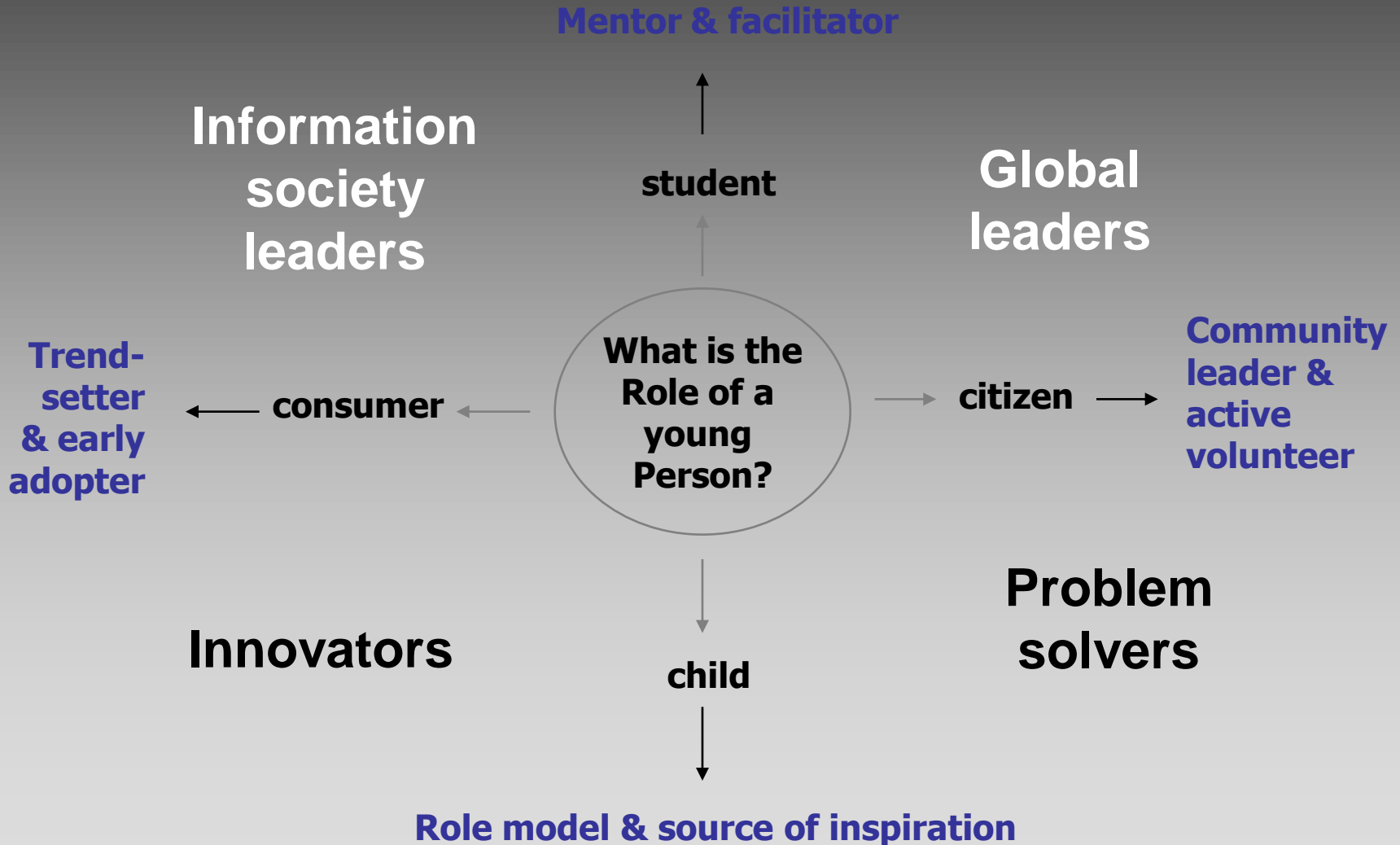


**Making Real World Connections  
through Virtual Learning  
Environments**

# Shift in the Role of Youth



English

go

> Logout

> Edit Profile



United States

My Organizations

My TIGed

My TIG

wise Resources



Express Yourself



Understand Issues



Explore the World

Home > Welcome to TakingITGlobal, Emily Kornblut!

> View Profile



# Welcome!

**TakingITGlobal.org** is an online community that connects youth to find inspiration, access information, get involved, and take action in their local and global communities.

- [about us](#)
- [tell friends](#)
- [site map](#)
- [donate](#)

Country Sites



Explore the world through TakingITGlobal's country sites.

→ [connect](#)



Featured: **Egypt**

→ [launch](#)

Spotlight



**Featured Understand Issues Topic**

TakingITGlobal's Understand Issues section has recently been relaunched with exciting new features and content. Learn more about this month's featured topic Climate Change!

→ [check it out](#)

Members Online



idrufem

jalexander

kalincsa



lemzo



maryanne2001

Guests Online: 939

Total Members: **167,241**

→ [view map](#)

→ [find members](#)

**Member Story**

**Mehmet Fatih**  
Turkey | 22

TakingITGlobal is one of the most important online resources available to me outside my regular university databases. On TIG, I am able to have the opportunity to meet



**Global Youth Service Day**  
Final Report now available!

Global Youth Action Network is



**MobileJam Fest**

Mobile Jam Fest (MJF), the world's largest youth creativity

# Social Network for Social Good

# Panelists

- Elizabeth Sanchez, Forks, Washington, USA
- Victoria Davis, Camilla, Georgia, USA
- Julie Lindsay, Doha, Qatar

❖ Forks High School <http://www.forks.wednet.edu/fhsmain/index.htm>

❖ Virtual High School <http://www.govhs.org/>

⇒ Site Coordinator

⇒ Course instructor

❖ My two courses:

⇒ Poetry Writing

⇒ Literacy Skills for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

❖ Taking it Global <http://www.takingitglobal.org/>

⇒ Class Map

⇒ Explore the World – Country Sites

⇒ Global Gallery

⇒ Global Youth Murals

⇒ Understand issues – Take Action

Liz Sanchez

[sancheze@esd114.wednet.edu](mailto:sancheze@esd114.wednet.edu)



**VHS**<sup>®</sup>  
Inc.

# The Flat Classroom Project

Vicki Davis, Westwood Schools, Georgia, USA

<http://coolcatteacher.blogspot.com/>

Julie Lindsay, Qatar Academy, Doha, Qatar

<http://123elearning.blogspot.com/>

<http://flatclassroomproject.wikispaces.com/>

# Key Best Practices in Online Global Collaboration

- Engage students as active co-creators of their learning experiences
- Local connections make global issues tangible and engaging for students
- A supportive environment helps even the most hesitant educators succeed in experimenting, innovating, and engaging in global collaboration

# Join the Conversation

Go to: <http://training.tiged.org/vss/register/>

Enter code: **vss07**

<http://www.tiged.org/bestpractices>

[emily@takingitglobal.org](mailto:emily@takingitglobal.org)