



As a GLN country leader there are many things for you to think of as you invest into the next generation. This booklet is here to help you ask the right questions and set a plan to make sure you take the needed first steps to moving your GLS NEXT GEN from vision to reality.

We are not pushing one model or method to best impact your country; you know your country and what is best! We want to come along side and support you as you ask the questions that will help you *form a plan to awaken young leaders in your country on their leadership faith and life journey, activating them to be a force for good in their world for Jesus and connecting them to a community of growth.*

## NEXT STEPS FOR YOUR *Next* GEN GLS

As you seek to bring NEXT GEN transformation to your country, start by processing these questions.

**What is the target age for youth and young adults (NEXT GEN) in your country?**

**What are the needs of the NEXT GEN in your country?**

**What is your *WHY* or dream for the NEXT GEN in your country?**

**How could the GLS NEXT GEN fit into the overall GLN strategy for your country?**

**Where do you want to see the GLS NEXT GEN in 3 years? Dream Big!**

**What groups would be open to receiving the GLS NEXT GEN in your country?  
Think through churches, schools, or organizations.**

**What organizations are aligned with the GLN in your country and would benefit  
from knowing that you are going to run the GLS NEXT GEN?**



# BUILDING A ROAD MAP

Building a road map will help you to achieve your plan. Prayerfully chart the course, prepare for the journey, and then set off on your adventure!

Below is an example of an actionable plan that will help you on your journey.

## VISION (Where are you headed)

**Awaken young leaders on their leadership. faith and life journey activating them to be a force for good in their world for Jesus and connecting them to a community of growth.**

What does this look like in your country? Once you have a clear picture of this then you can set some goals for the future.

- How can you Awaken?
- How can you Activate?
- How can you Connect?



# YOUR GOALS

To achieve your vision. Let's set some goals.

## 1 Year Goals:

This is an example template for goal setting. We encourage you to develop your own goals.

| Area                               | Goal  | Date |
|------------------------------------|---|------|
| <b>GLN Leadership Team</b>         | + Recruit a GLS NEXT GEN leader to work with your Country's leadership team.  |      |
| <b>Host Sites</b>                  | + Plan a specific number of host sites you hope to recruit to run the GLS NEXT GEN (5).<br>+ Plan a specific number of NEXT GEN participants you aim to be empowered and equipped (500).<br>+ Create a plan for ongoing coaching with host site leaders.  |      |
| <b>Content</b>                     | + Develop/gather (From Global Toolkit) content elements that a NEXT GEN audience would enjoy. (There are many resources for you already),<br>+ review and reshape processing tools to enhance these pieces of content.<br>+ Build a network of NEXT GEN champions around the country that are always looking for fresh, new content that speaks directly to young leaders in your country |      |
| <b>Ongoing Leadership training</b> | + Cast vision and coach up all GLS NEXT GEN sites to host the GLS NEXT GEN and develop a 365 (year-round) Leadership mindset and community.<br>+ Create monthly coaching gatherings (on zoom or in person) with all those who take that challenge.  |      |

## 4 Month Action Plan:


Make your action plan specific and clear so it shows who is responsible for different tasks. ***Be smart, keep it simple and make it attainable.***

***Example template for goal setting.***

| Area                               | Goal   | Date |
|------------------------------------|--|------|
| <b>GLN Leadership Team</b>         | + Appoint a GLS NEXT GEN leader from your country.   |      |
| <b>GLN Leadership Team</b>         | + Connect the GLS NEXT GEN leader with the GLS NEXT GEN Event Tool Kit and the GLS NEXT GEN Regional Leader.                       |      |
| <b>Host Sites</b>                  | + Prepare a GLS NEXT GEN page on the GLN country website.  |      |
| <b>Host Sites</b>                  | + Download pre-made marketing materials and contextualize to your country.   |      |
| <b>Host Sites</b>                  | + Create a list of the top potential host sites and make your initial approach.  |      |
| <b>Host Sites</b>                  | + Have an informational Zoom call with potential host sites.   |      |
| <b>Host Sites</b>                  | + Recruit NEXT GEN volunteers to be on a team together to support the overall vision and develop the GLS NEXT GEN in your country. |      |
| <b>Ongoing Leadership Training</b> | + Download training and clear understanding on 365 leadership from the GLS NEXT GEN Regional Leader.                               |      |
| <b>Ongoing Leadership Training</b> | + While recruiting host sites mention the idea of building a 365 (year-long) leadership journey.                                   |      |
| <b>Ongoing Leadership Training</b> | + Invite sites hosting the GLS NEXT GEN to participate in the 365 Leadership Community.  |      |

## **START TODAY!**

Take your next steps:

- + Pray.
  - + Invite the right people to join the conversation.
  - + Work through this country leaders guide together.
  - + Connect with the Global GLS NEXT GEN leadership team for questions and clarity.
  - + Move ahead - Don't wait.
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# 4 Month Action Plan Sheet

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**Area**

**Goal**

**Date**