Globalization is a driving force in the modern world. The context for this case study is the global goals and values of the United States and the Peoples’ Republic of China. The United States supports globalization efforts that support its continuing economic development. The United States seeks to implement democratic values and encourage respect of multiple cultures. If successful, the United States will maintain its power and leadership in an evolving world. The Peoples’ Republic of China is using globalization as a tool to enhance its economic, political and cultural development as a nation state. If successful, China will be recognized as a leading power in the world community in the 21st century. (Burton, Fairbank) Education is recognized as a leading agent of globalization. Higher education has been creating more and more learning opportunities where students can acquire economic, political and cultural knowledge and a comparative awareness of values.