

# Washington, DC GLOBAL SOFT LANDING PROGRAM

Welcome to the epicenter of global influence – Washington, DC. As the nation's capital, we are home to over 175 international embassies, more than 550 international companies, world-renowned universities, and headquarters of notable international institutions such as The World Bank, the International Monetary Fund, and the Delegation of the European Union to the United States. Our unrivaled location gives you a front seat to the decision-makers that shape national and global policy.

### SETTING UP YOUR FUTURE HOME IN WASHINGTON, DC

It is essential to have the right partners to help you establish your U.S. presence. Our team of experts, made up of economic developers, world-renowned universities, local government, chambers of commerce, and local businesses, are here to provide you with the expertise and connections required for a successful entry into Washington, DC.

## WASHINGTON, DC GLOBAL SOFT LANDING CAN HELP WITH:



Discounted Real Estate in Prime Location



Tailored Immigration Solutions



Site Selection Assistance



Custom Research & Market Intelligence



Customized Community Tours



Access to Networking Opportunities



Assistance Navigating Regulations



Connections to Local Service Providers





We offer two primary programs to expedite your entry into the heart of the nation's capital. Both programs are located in the Golden Triangle neighborhood, which sits in the central business district. The Golden Triangle, home to the Penn West Equity and Innovation District, is a walkable, safe, transit-connected neighborhood with a wide array of amenities, including many of DC's best restaurants, shops, bars, parks, public art, and more, as well as close proximity to established residential neighborhoods with robust housing options.

# Penn West Global Soft Landing Program

This program offers international companies a flexible, discounted real estate solution in the Penn West Equity and Innovation District, a premier destination for uniting technology with public policy, equity, and social impact. Participants will land at Studio by Tishman Speyer, a premium coworking space located in the heart of the city's bustling Golden Triangle neighborhood.

## GW x Penn West Global Build Fellowship

Developed in collaboration with the George Washington University and the immigration experts at The Build Fellowship by Open Avenues, this program provides access to a cap-exempt H-1B visa solution for international entrepreneurs establishing their business in Washington, DC. Learn more about each program, see eligibility requirements, and submit an intake form by scanning the QR code below!



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#### WASHINGTON, DC GLOBAL SOFT LANDING PARTNERS

Our network of partners can help answer common questions across a range of topics, including business structure and incorporation, visa and immigration, costs of doing business, labor availability, and more. We are here to maximize the success of your international expansion by providing support, guidance, and resources to make it easy for your business to call Washington, DC home.





















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#### **ABOUT WDCEP**

The Washington DC Economic Partnership (WDCEP) is a nonprofit, public-private partnership at the core of economic development in Washington, DC. We connect national and international corporations to the public and private sector to advance sustainable and inclusive economic development.