**Globalization of Business**

We are in the era of business globalization, and many businesses are venturing into the global market to expand their market share. Going global is not an easy task for businesses as it may seem because it is a process that takes time and requires resources. Companies are required to hire experts to venture into the target country to have a better understanding of the industry. This is where foreign assignments come from as a few people are selected by an organization to help study the international market (Becker, 2018).

If given a chance, I would accept taking a foreign assignment in any country. An international task may appear as unfavorable because of the uncertainties surrounding it, but to me, it is an excellent opportunity to be in a foreign land and understand how business is conducted in the given country. To survive in the duration, I will be doing the assignment I have to develop new skills to cope with the new environment, which is a way of helping me improve my overall skills. As a potential entrepreneur, this could be an excellent chance for me to have a better understanding of what to expect when venturing into the global market. Since I will be doing it for an organization, it means I will be compensated, and it will be no different from working in my home country. As I learn about the business culture of the target country, I will not only benefit the company that gave me the assignment but also gain knowledge that I can use in the future.

This will also create an opportunity for me to learn a new language. Living among people speaking a particular language makes it easier to learn the language than when learning is as a foreign language. It will also be an opportunity to learn a new culture that will broaden my perspective and increase my interests. Learning about a culture from the books and experiencing the religion itself are different things, and taking the foreign assignment will grant be an opportunity to experience a new culture. Some of the things I learn from the culture I will be working with will help me cope with other cultures and give me some ideas on how to conduct business with different people in the future. A foreign assignment will provide me with the opportunity to absorb another culture and hopefully make me more tolerant of differences between other people.

It may take some time, but ultimately living in a different culture than mine will give me a more flexible perspective, mainly if I live in a country with a different attitude towards life and work. Apart from gaining flexibility about life, I will gain confidence. Living overseas will give me a chance to experience many things that will be a threat to my faith, but with time I will learn how to tackle some of the overseas challenges and gain more courage to face any of the problems (Spieß, 2017).

Living abroad would make me more conscious of things that are happening around the world, and I am going to feel like a global citizen. It will be an opportunity for me to get exposure to new things happening in the world, and I will appreciate the global diversity. People across the globe have different trends, and living overseas will help me have a better understanding of the various patterns. By experiencing what it feels to live in a foreign land, I will learn to be more compassionate to foreigners I meet in my country in the future because I can tell the struggles they are going through as foreigners.

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