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PREFACE

This document is divided into two sections. The first part is a partially annotated list of institutions in Latin America and the Caribbean conducting, funding or coordinating research and development activities in a number of key sectors of interest to A.I.D. in the LAC region. Some of these groups have experience with gender research, while others were identified as potential groups to use in gender related research, but not necessarily having experience in gender related research. The second section is a list of U.S.-based institutions who conduct research in the sectoral areas. Some of the U.S. institutions work throughout the Third World and others specialize in Latin America and the Caribbean region. All U.S. entries are annotated, describing the organization and the type of activities that they undertake.

GENESYS gratefully acknowledges the previous works that allowed the compilation of this list, including work by ICRW, the National Council for Research on Women, and Gale Research. Several sources are listed at the back of this document. In many cases, the annotations are taken from material published by the groups themselves. Other times, interviews or personal communications informed the blurbs. Special thanks to Laurie Stevens for assistance with the national institutes of statistics and final additions. GENESYS welcomes any additions, corrections or updates on the information contained herein.

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GENESYS (Gender In Economic and Social Systems) is an A.I.D. funded project supporting A.I.D.'s efforts to integrate women into the national economies of developing countries around the world. The project provides assistance to A.I.D. staff worldwide in reviewing, initiating, or expanding women in development activities for sustainable economic and social development. Project components include technical assistance, training, policy research and evaluation, and information dissemination and communications. The sectoral foci are private enterprise, agriculture and rural development, and environment/natural resource management.

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-- all sectors, annotations plus addresses

SOUTH AMERICA

ARGENTINA:

- * **Centro de Estudios de la Mujer**
(Center for Women's Studies)
Nicaragua 4908
Buenos Aires (1414), Argentina
Phone: 72-0142
Gloria Bonder, Director
The Center conducts research in the areas of women and education, work and health. Programs stress the action and enablement of women. Publications center on women's status in Argentina and the world.

- * **Centro de Investigación Social - CIS**
(Center for Social Research, Posadas)
Instituto de Investigación
Facultad de Humanidades y Ciencias Sociales
Universidad Nacional de Misiones
Tucuman 1946
3300 Posadas
Argentina
Phone: 2-5641
D. Baranger, Director

- * **Centro Multinacional de la Mujer**
(Multinational Center for Women)
Avda. Velez Sarsfield 153
5000 Cordoba, Argentina
Phone: 45750
Dra. Alicia Malanca de Rodriguez Rojas, Executive Officer
The principal purpose of the Center is the advancement of women for the development of Latin American countries through research and workshops.

- * **Fundación para Estudios e Investigación de la Mujer - FEIM**
(Foundation for Women's Studies and Research)
Vte. López 2602 - Piso 13"A"
Buenos Aires 1125, Argentina
Phone: (54) 1-802-3635

BOLIVIA:

- * **Centro de Estudios de la Realidad Económica y Social - CERES**
(Center for Economic and Social Studies)
Phone: (42) 401-56
Cochabamba, Bolivia

- * **Centro de Formación e Investigación Interdisciplinaria - CEFOIN**
Universidad Mayor Nacional de San Simon
Cochabamba, Bolivia

- * **Centro de Información y Desarrollo de la Mujer - CIDEM**
Aspizau 736
La Paz, Bolivia
Phone: 374961
Carola Muñoz Vera, Director
- * **Centro de Investigaciones Sociales - CIS**
(Social Research Center)
Casilla 5931
Correo Central
La Paz, Bolivia
Phone: (02) 352931
Dr. Antonio J. Cisneros, Executive
- * **Centro de Promoción de la Mujer - CEPROMU**
Hugo Estrada No. 6
La Paz, Bolivia
Phone: 363953

BRAZIL:

- * **Ação Democrática Feminina Gaúcha - ADFG**
Miguel Tostes, 694
Porto Alegre 90420
Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil
Phone: (55) 0512-328-884
Magda Renner

ADFG, a women's group originally formed to further women's political rights, has been focusing since 1972 on the linkages between the environment and quality of life. In 1983 it became an affiliate of "Friends of the Earth," and its activities now include seminars, public protests, and lobbying for environmental laws.

- * **Centro Informação Mulher - CIM**
(Women's Information Center)
Caixa Postal, 11399
São Paulo - SP CEP 05499
Brazil
Phone: (55) 011-229-4818
Suzana Maranhão

This organization functions as an information clearinghouse for women's groups. It is currently collecting and disseminating information on the upcoming UNCED meeting. It also publishes a newsletter on women and the environment.

- * **Development Alternatives with Women for a New Era - DAWN (Regional Office for Latin America)**
Ms. Neuma Aguiar
IUPERJ, Rua de Matriz
82 Betafogo, CEP 22260
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

DAWN was organized in 1984 to provide a forum for women from the South to formulate issues from a gender perspective, and provide a vehicle for influencing public policy. The three research themes for the early 1990s are alternative economic frameworks, reproductive rights and population, and environment and development. The research program will explore the links between the three themes: how to enable women to control their fertility and protect the environment, and how to meet basic needs within the constraints of resource depletion and structural adjustment policies. DAWN's strength lies in its capacity for linking theory and policy to grass roots reality. The General Coordinator for DAWN currently is Peggy Antrobus at WAND in Barbados (see entry for WAND in this section).

* Fundação Instituto Brasileiro de Geografia e Estatística
(Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics)
Avda. Franklin Roosevelt 166
20021 Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
Phone: (021) 297-3911
Prof. Edmar L. Bacha, President

* Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas de Amazônia - INPA
(National Institute of Amazon Research)
Alameda Cosme Ferreira 1756
69000 Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil
Phone: (092) 236-9400
Dr. Herbert Otto Roger Schubart, Director

* Instituto de Pesquisas Sociais
(Institute of Social Research)
Joaquim Nabuco Foundation
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52071 Recife, Pernambuco, Brazil
Phone: (081) 268-2000
Fax: (081) 268-9600
Dr. Clóvis Cavalcanti, Superintendent

* Rede Mulher
CX Postal 1803
Sao Paulo, Brazil
Phone: 2629407
Moema Viezzar, Executive Director

The purpose of the Rede Mulher is to promote the popular education of women, communication between women and to perform participatory research and documentation.

CHILE:

* Instituto Interamericano de Cooperación para la Agricultura - IICA
(Inter-American Institute for Cooperation in Agriculture, Chile Office)
Casilla 244, Correo 34
Santiago, Chile
Phone: (0562) 485363
Fax: (0562) 2283003
Alfredo Alonso Elizondo, Director

* The Latin American Demographic Centre
Edificio Naciones Unidas
Avenida Dag Hammarskjöld
Casilla 91
Santiago, Chile
Phone: (56) 2-485051
Fax: 480252

The Latin American Demographic Center was established in 1957 to provide technical cooperation to the countries of the region in the study of population problems and in the training of national personnel therein. In 1957, it was incorporated into the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean system. The Centre attempts to contribute to the socioeconomic development of Latin American and the Caribbean countries in the field of population by helping them increase their self-reliance and promote horizontal cooperation while providing services that can be furnished more effectively at the regional level. These goals are achieved through the provision of teaching, research, technical assistance, and technical information services; the analysis of population growth

and its relationship with economic, social, environmental, and political aspects of development; and providing to national institutions the technical cooperation, training, services, and technology required to utilize population information.

COLOMBIA:

* **Centro Interdisciplinario Estudios Regionales - CIDER**
(Center for Interdisciplinary Regional Studies)
Carretera 1E No. 18A-10, Bloque B, piso 4
Apartado Aéreo 4976
Bogotá, Colombia
Phone: (01) 281-49-86
Fax: (01) 284-1890
Edgar Forero Pardo, Director

* **Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical - CENTA**
(International Center for Tropical Agriculture)
Apartado Aéreo 6713
Cali, Colombia
Phone: (23) 67-50-50
Fax: (23) 64-72-43
Dr. John L. Nickel, Director General

* **Facultad de Economía**
Universidad de los Andes
AA 4976
Bogotá, Colombia
Phone: 2410377
Dr. Augusto Cano, Director

The principal purpose of the department is to study Colombian problems in the areas of: women's studies, family and socioeconomic development; employment and poverty; population and development; rural and agricultural development; and industrial development. Main activities are research and teaching.

ECUADOR:

* **Centro de Estudios y Datos - CEDATOS**
(Center for Studies and Statistics)
Avs. Amazonas 2374 y Eloy Alfaro, pisos 2-4
Quito, Ecuador
phone: 550-688 and 553-531
fax: 545-545
Dr. Polibio Córdova, General Director

CEDATOS is a private consulting firm founded in 1974 that works in both the public and private sectors, including conducting market research studies for IBM, Texaco, Coca Cola, and others. Ongoing research studies include a study on the perspectives of democracy, comparing Ecuador to other Latin American countries. Past research covers drug use, tourism, a comparison of military and democratic governments, and a study for UNICEF on child abuse and children's perspective on the world around them. Locally, they have worked with FECAP on a study of women workers, exploring the issues of female-headed households, migration, and microenterprise. CEDATOS works with institutions in Colombia, Peru, Venezuela, Costa Rica, Guatemala, and the United States. They have experience with United States institutions such as A.I.D. (and GENESYS), Robert Nathan and Associates, the World Bank, the United Nations and many others. In 1989, CEDATOS worked with two other consulting groups on a project on non-traditional exports, involving a study of the potential

for Ecuadorian goods in the international market. They produce many monthly and annual publications as well as occasional series of articles in the local newspaper. CEDATOS maintains an archive of 4 thousand names of journalists, ambassadors, and local business leaders, called Líderes y Dirigentes (LID).

* **Centro de Planificación y Estudios Sociales - CEPLAES**
(Center for Planning and Social Studies)

Av. 6 de diciembre 2912 y Alpallana
Casilla 6127 C.C.I.
Quito, Ecuador
phone: 54 85 47 and 23 22 61
Silvia Vega, Directora Area Mujer

CEPLAES is a non-profit research institution founded in 1977 that concentrates on research in the areas of women and economic policies, but also has projects in the areas of social policy and ecology. Current studies include: women and violence (ongoing since 1986, looking at indigenous, coastal rural women, and urban middle class women), gender identities, economic models for the agricultural sector (for the Central Bank), and social policy and the family. CEPLAES has worked in the areas of WID, economic analysis, socio-political systems analysis, natural resources, and democratization. In 1990, CEPLAES held a seminar on Women and Work with funding from UNFPA. In 1991, CEPLAES held a regional workshop on Women and Natural Resources, in conjunction with Fundación Natura. In addition to these two international organizations, they have worked with the Canadian International Development Agency, the Inter-American Foundation, UNICEF, and the Institute for Development Research and Cooperation.

* **Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Socio-Económicos - CIESE**
(Center for Socio-Economic Research and Studies)

Psje. Luis Martinez 148 y Av. 6 de Diciembre
Casilla 161, Suc. 72
Quito, Ecuador
phone: 23 49 24
Julio Echeverria

* **CORPECO**

Quito, Ecuador
phone: 45 74 66
Dra. Laura Coba

CORPECO is a private consulting group formed by professionals of different disciplines. The main focus of CORPECO is microenterprise which involves women as participants and beneficiaries. They work with women to help them form their own enterprises and become self-sufficient, raising their standard of living and that of their household. Current projects include microenterprise development, community development and agroindustries. CORPECO tries to integrate women into all levels of their projects.

* **Fundación para el Desarrollo Agropecuario - FUNDAGRO**

Moreno Bellido 127 y Amazonas
Box 17-16-219 C.E.Q.
Quito, Ecuador
Phone: 553-718/553
Fax: 503-243

FUNDAGRO is a private nonprofit institution whose principal objective is to contribute to the improved well-being of Ecuadorians through sustainable development. FUNDAGRO supports the strengthening of research, extension, and education activities in the public and private sectors to improve producers' access to appropriate technologies. FUNDAGRO offers support services to institutions to improve the use of resources.

* Instituto Ecuatoriano de Investigaciones y Capacitación de la Mujer - IECAIM
(Ecuadorian Institute for Research and Training for Women)

Luis Felipe Borja 217 y Av. 6 de Diciembre, 4^o piso
Quito, Ecuador

Phone: 52 55 17 and 56 32 32

Fabiola Civi Ortiz, Directora y Economista

IECAIM is a member institution of INSTRAW created in 1986. IECAIM works to increase the participation of women in the development process through research and training activities, and the dissemination of information. They strive to improve the socio-economic, political and cultural position of women through their research activities. IECAIM organizes seminars and classes for the training of women. Projects include (1) research on: basic health, education and employment of women; the situation of women in microenterprises in three marginal neighborhoods in Quito; and wage discrimination (2) training in: civil defense; tourist guides; hotel jobs; industrial sewing; and microenterprise (3) information dissemination: radio, newspaper and television informational programs; "La Mujer hasta el año 2000"; and publication of the magazine IECAIM-Noticias. IECAIM is funded through INSTRAW, the Ecuadorian government, and the Women's World Bank.

* Instituto de Estudios Ecuatorianos - IEE
(Institute of Ecuadorian Studies)

José Luis Carrión 555B, segunda planta

Quito, Ecuador

phone: 23 21 23

Hernán Ibarra, Director Ejecutivo

Magdalena León, Coordinadora Académica

IEE is a non-profit research group founded in 1985 that works in research, training, seminars, workshops, and evaluation. The staff of ten full-time researchers and members from 17 other countries have experience in the areas of agriculture, population and employment, ethnicity, social movements, the state and politics, culture, women, and urban studies. Current projects include: 1) the impact of seasonal migration on fertility and population growth, 2) an inventory of the programs and projects of the Frente Social, 3) the sexual division of labor: socialization and new roles of campesino women, 4) abortion in Quito, 5) strategies of the Government during the crisis: the case of Ecuador, 6) cultural values of the people of Secoya-Siona, and 7) the present state of land tenure in Ecuador. They also have a women's workshop organized to help women cope with the rapid social and economic changes occurring in Ecuador, including role changes and power relationships within the household. IEE has worked with other research groups both in Ecuador and regionally. They worked with CLACSO on a comparative study of the informal sector in 7 Latin American countries. They have also collaborated with IDEA and CIESE on various projects.

* Instituto de Investigaciones Socio-Económicas y Tecnológicas - INSOTEC
(Institute for Socio-Economic and Technological Research)

Juan Leon Mera 920 y Presidente Wilson

Quito, Ecuador

phone: 54 32 60 and 55 05 27

fax: 56 65 85

INSOTEC was formed in 1980 by a group of business and technical experts who wanted to contribute to the economic, social, educational and technical development of Ecuador. They support industrial development by strengthening micro, small and medium industry. They work with women in the context of their informal sector and small scale enterprise projects. INSOTEC has three main divisions: 1) CEDEPI (Centro de Desarrollo de la Pequeña y Mediana Industria) which offers technical assistance, funding, and other mechanisms of support and promotion to micro, small and medium industries; 2) CIEDC (Centro de Investigaciones Educativas y Culturales) which works for the educational development of Ecuador; and 3) CEDOIN (Centro de Documentación e Información) for development publications and statistics. INSOTEC is a member of a regional network called FOPIAL which includes Venezuela, Colombia, Bolivia and Chile. They have worked with such international organizations as A.I.D. (on the PROPEM Project), Catholic Relief Services, GEMENI, the Inter-American Development Bank, and CIDA.

* Instituto Latinoamericano de Investigaciones Sociales - ILDIS
(Latin American Social Sciences Research Institute)
Avda. Colón 1346
Casilla 367-A
Quito, Ecuador
Phone: (02) 543-0000

* Urbana Consultores
(Urbana Consultants)
Cordero 1467 y Av. Amazonas, 2º piso
Apartado 4800 C.C.I.
Quito, Ecuador
phone: 54 29 28
fax: 44 03 14
Andrés Jarrin Serrano, President

Urbana Consultores is a private multidisciplinary consulting firm applying research, training, evaluation and policy design to the problems inherent in regional and urban development. They work not only to regain and strengthen the economic situation in deprived areas, but also to design mechanisms to ensure the implementation of more efficient and sustainable economic systems. Urbana was formed to assist institutions and agencies who work in regional development, including regional development groups, research organizations, and policy makers. They specialize in these areas: urban, rural and regional development; employment and the work force; institutional development; technology; information systems and statistics; and research and evaluation. Urbana has participated on the national level in projects for rural development (in Occidente de Pichincha), urban development (in Babahoyo, Santo Domingo, and other cities) and economic and policy development. In the international realm, they have worked in the United States, Portugal, Tunisia, Egypt and Colombia. They recently completed a study for A.I.D. (RHUDO USAID/E) "Urban Poverty and Economic Growth in Ecuador" in which gender was one of the main components.

PARAGUAY:

* Centro de Estudios y Formación para el Ecodesarrollo - ALTER VIDA
(Center for Studies for Ecodevelopment)
Artigas 960; Casilla Postal 2334
Asunción, Paraguay
Phone: (595) 21-207-246
Fax: (595) 21-443-462
Manuelita Escobar, Coordinadora General

The Center recently completed a diagnostic survey of women's use and management of the environment in peri-urban areas.

* Grupo de Estudios de la Mujer Paraguaya
(Group for the Study of Paraguayan Women)
CPEE Eligio Ayala 973
C.C. 2157
Asunción, Paraguay
Phone: 4-3734
Graziella Corvalan, Coordinator

PERU:

- * Asociación para el Desarrollo e Integración de la Mujer
(Women's Development and Integration Association)

Apartado #41-0097

Lima 41, Peru

Phone: 37-1997

Gabriela Canepa Perez Albela

The purpose of the Association is to promote women's advancement and integration into socio-economic activities with equal opportunities

- * Asociación Peru-Mujer
(Peru-Women's Association)

Apartado Postal 949, Correo Central

Lima 100, Peru

Phone: 314416

Blanca Figueroa, Director

The principal purpose of the Association is to use research and action to encourage the participation of women in development at all levels. Their main activities are in four areas: 1) Women and Nutrition - communal gardens and breast feeding programs; 2) Women and Work - projects for the production of Andean crafts and textile work; 3) Women and Services - including childcare and legal aid; and 4) Women and Health - educational programs.

- * Centro Flora Tristan

Parque Hernan Velarde 42

Lima 1, Peru

Phone: 248008/240839

Dr. Antonio J. Cisneros, Executive Director

The principal purpose of the Center is to advance women's rights in Peru, forwarding new theoretical approaches on development issues and proposing legal changes which benefit women. Main activities include: popular education, communication, research, and legal assistance to women.

- * Grupo de Estudios para el Desarrollo - GREDES
(Development Studies Institute)

General Valle Riestra 520

San Isidro

Lima 27, Peru

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Dr. Bruno Podesta, Executive President

- * Instituto Andino de Estudios en Población y Desarrollo - INANDEP
(Andean Institute of Studies on Population and Development, Lima)

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C. Monge, Director

- * Instituto Libertad y Democracia

Avenida Benavides 881

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The Institute was founded by Hernando de Soto and investigates social and economic development issues in Latin America. ILD's work on the informal sector has highlighted women's strong presence in that sector's work force.

URUGUAY:

- * **Centro de Estudios de la Realidad Económica y Social - CERES**
(Center for Economic and Social Studies)
address
telephone
CERES is a nonprofit voluntary association whose objective is the promotion of scientific research on the economic and social realities facing Uruguay, in order to improve understanding of the problems that affect the country. CERES develops basic and applied social science research and disseminates it through meetings, seminars, conferences, and publications, while promoting an open and pluralistic debate of the conclusions and proposals.

- * **Centro Latino Americano de Ecología Social - CLAES**
(Latin American Center for Social Ecology)
Casilla Correo 13000
11700 Montevideo, Uruguay
Graciela Evia, Psicóloga Investigadora
The Center just completed a case study that explored the environmental problems in a peri-urban neighborhood and how these problems affect women's daily quality of life.

VENEZUELA:

- * **Grupo de Estudio Sobre Mujer y Ambiente - GEMA**
(Group for the Study of Women and the Environment)
Apartado 118
San Antonio de Los Altos (120-A)
Estado Miranda, Venezuela
Phone: (58) 782-8711
Rosa Trujillo
The organization's objective is to contribute information about women and the environment through research and other activities. In the gold mining region of Guayana, GEMA is planning to undertake an applied research study of gender and the environment, the results of which will be used to establish an environmental education program for women.

- * **Instituto de Altos Estudios de América Latina - IAEAL**
(Institute for Advanced Latin American Studies)
Apartado 17271
El Cande
Caracas 1015-a, Venezuela
Phone: (02) 572-99-53
Dr. Miguel Angel Burelli Rivas, Director

- * **Instituto de Geografía y Conservación de Recursos Naturales**
(Institute of Geography and Conservation of Natural Resources)
University of the Andes
Vía Los Chorros de Milla
Mérida, Venezuela
Phone: (074) 527315
Prof. José Rojas-Lopez, Director

- * Instituto Libertad y Democracia de Venezuela - ILDV
(Institute for Liberty and Democracy of Venezuela)
La Estancia
Las Mercedes, Piso 4
Caracas 1061-A, Venezuela
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Fonseca, President

GUYANA:

- * Women's Affairs Bureau
237 Camp Street
South Cummingsburg
Georgetown, Guyana
Phone: 65371
Cde. Urmia Johnson, Director

The principal purpose of the Bureau is to work towards the removal of all discriminations against women, to promote the development of their potential and to ensure their integration in the national development of the country. Main activities include: the formulation of policies for the integration of women in development, the development of proposals to the government in relation to legislation and legal reforms with reference to women, and the designing and organizing of training programs for women aimed at disseminating information and upgrading the skills of women in all spheres of activities.

CENTRAL AMERICA

BELIZE:

- * Belize Rural Women's Association (BRWA)

The mission of the BRWA is to help disadvantaged rural and urban women to raise their standards of living. Programs include: health care using medicinal herbs, training for microenterprise development and communications, and environmental studies.

COSTA RICA:

- * Centro Agronómico Tropical de Investigación y Enseñanza - CATIE/Department of Renewable Natural Resources
(Tropical Agriculture Research and Training Center)
7170 CATIE
Turrialba, Costa Rica
Phone: 56-60-21
Dr. José Flores, Acting Head of Department of Renewable Natural Resources
Dr. Rodrigo Tarté Ponce, Director

- * Centro Feminista de Información y Acción - CEFEMINA
(Feminist Center for Information and Action)
Apartado 5355
San José 1000, Costa Rica
Phone: (506) 24-46-20

CEFEMINA was created in 1981 by a group of Costa Rican women to channel basic necessities to women in marginalized communities. They concentrate on projects in training on health, employment, and housing. They have dedicated their efforts to finding solutions that are socially and environmentally sound to the problems of housing. One major project, GUARARI, is an urban housing project, which has raised the quality of life for participants/beneficiaries above the national standards. The project also includes environmental components: raising rabbits, cultivating medicinal herbs, and gardens.

- * Centro Latinoamericano de Demografía - CELADE
(Latin American Demographic Center - San José)
Comisión Económica para América Latina
Edificio Unibanco
Calle 19 con Avda. 6
Apartado Postal 5249
San José, Costa Rica
Phone: 22-36-11

- * Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales - FLACSO
Avenida 11, Calle 33
Barrio Escalante
Apartado 5429
1000 San José
Costa Rica
Phone: 53-18-11
Camacho Monge, Director

FLACSO was the coordinating institution for the comprehensive regional survey and analysis of the effects of the economic crisis on women in Central America, and the publisher of the resulting volumes, *Mujeres Centroamericanas* (1989).

- * **Fundación Mujer**
(Women's Foundation)
Frente al Max X Menos de San Pedro
Edificio San Francisco, Apartamento #4
San José, Costa Rica
Phone: (506) 53-16-61
Patricia Rodríguez Canossa, Directora Ejecutiva
The organization is designing a women and sustainable use of natural resources program that will include education about waste collection, reforestation, water management, and hygiene.

- * **Instituto de Investigaciones Sociales**
(Institute of Social Research)
Apdo. 2060
Universidad de Costa Rica
San Pedro, Costa Rica
Phone: 53-37-21
Dr. Jorge Rovira Mas, Director

- * **Organización para Estudios Tropicales - OTS**
(Organization for Tropical Studies)
Apdo. 676-2050
2050 San Pedro Montes de Oca
San José, Costa Rica
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Prof. Charles E. Schnell, Director

- * **Servicio Especial de la Mujer - SEM**
(Special Services for Women)
Apartado 1985-1002
Paseo de los Estudiantes
San José, Costa Rica

SEM is a news agency for Third World women. Correspondents cover 15 countries in Latin America and the Caribbean, Africa, and southeast and east Asia. The correspondents report exclusively on women and women's roles in the development process. Their aim is to create a source of communication for women who would not normally have access to communication. SEM publishes a bi-monthly magazine called Mujeres that is a collection of the best daily reports on women and development, contraceptives, politics, economy, sustainable development, ecology, natural resources, and other subjects that affect women. Currently, SEM is working with IUCN/ORCA to develop a series of reports on the projects that IUCN is undertaking in Central America.

- * **Unión Internacional para la Conservación de la Naturaleza y los Recursos Naturales; Oficina Regional para Centro América - ORCA/UICN**
(Regional Office for Central America; International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources)

Apartado 91-1009
San José, Costa Rica FECOSA
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Vivienne Solís, Coordinadora, Programa Mujer y Desarrollo Sostenible
ORCA, in collaboration with CEFEMINA, has undertaken the project "Women and Sustainable Development in Central America," a study to determine how women's groups are confronting the serious environmental problems affecting Central America. A second phase will include regional training workshops, production of training materials, and the creation of a network of Central American women involved in sustainable development.

- * Universidad Para La Paz - UPAZ
Estudios Sobre Mujer Y Paz
Apdo. #199
Escazú, San José, Costa Rica
Phone: 491-072
Ana Isabel García, Coordinator for research on women and peace

GUATEMALA:

- * Asociación de Investigaciones y Estudios Sociales (ASIES)
Guatemala City
Phone: 347-178
Arnoldo Kuesterman, Executive Secretary
- * Consejo Nacional de Mujeres de Guatemala
(National Council of Women of Guatemala)
5 Ave. 15-79, Zone 14
Guatemala City, Guatemala
- * Oficina Nacional de la Mujer
(National Office for Women)
Ministerio de Trabajo
2ª Calle 9-67
Zona 1
Guatemala City, Guatemala
María Eugenia Mijangos M., Directora
The Office is undertaking an environmental health study focused on the working conditions of women in the off-shore assembly plants.

HONDURAS:

- * Asociación Andar
Apartado Postal 2818
Colonia a la Meda
Calle Arturo Lopez ???, casa No. 306
Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Phone: 31-1123
Narda Melendez, Director
Formerly a local affiliate of OEF International, Asociación Andar's recent work includes a six month data collection and analysis effort working with the Asociación de Campos Nacionales. The team gathered and analyzed information on socioeconomic status, family composition, income sources and uses, and time allocation of rural women in two regions.

* **Centro de Estudios y Promoción del Desarrollo - CEPROD**
(Center for Studies and Promotion of Development)

Apartado Postal 1761
Colonia Palmira, casa No. 464
Frente a Plaza San Martín
Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Phone: 32-6077/1289
Fax: 32-9774
Dr. Guillermo Molina, Director

CEPROD is a private, nonprofit organization dedicated to scientific research, development, education and training, and technical assistance. They have worked with UNICEF on a review of women's health status in Honduras, which included development of indicators, special attention to marginalized groups in society, and a review of the literature. An ongoing research effort analyzes the impact of the economic crisis on women. CEPROD works with both rural and urban populations on projects including: a program of technical assistance for microentrepreneurs; an effort to identify linkages between forest conservation, health and food production in the household, and sustainable income generating opportunities; and a revolving fund for agricultural development, including attention to increasing rural women's productivity levels.

* **Fundación Friedrich Ebert**

Apartado Postal 1744
13a La Granja y 2a Ave., Casa No. 224
Comayagüela, Honduras
Phone: 33-2800
Fax: 33-6499
Contact: Sara Elisa Rosales

The foundation conducts research and development programs including work in agricultural and rural development, cooperatives and strengthening the role of women within rural societies.

* **Instituto de Investigaciones Socio-Económicas - IISE**
(Institute for Socio-Economic Research)

Apartado Postal 440
Calle Peatronal, Edificio Pa Baharona
Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Phone: 37-3899/8657
Fax: 38-1305
Dr. Ramon Velázquez Nazar

IISE is known as one of the best groups in Honduras for field work in rural areas. They are working with FEMUC (Federación Hondureña de las Mujeres Campesinas) to train leaders of rural community groups. Some of the problems addressed include division of labor within the family, social organization, cultural biases against women, and consideration of one's comparative advantage when choosing employment or an occupation. The program also aims to develop self-esteem, community solidarity and national pride, and recognizes the importance of the parents in passing these values on to their children.

* **Unidad de Servicios de Apoyo para Fomentar la Participación de la Mujer Hondureña - UNISA**
(Union for Support Services for the Increased Participation of Honduran Women)

Edificio Alonso, 2o piso, No. 7
Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Phone: 22-8240
Ms. Melba Zuñiga, Directora

UNISA is a private development organization formed by a group of Honduran professionals interested in the incorporation of women and the family in the development process, as active participants and agents of change. Their objectives are to: improve the quality of life of the Honduran family, define the role of the family and women in a social context, improve actions to incorporate women and the family in development through coordination of resources and services, and to make women participants as well as beneficiaries of development programs. UNISA is primarily involved with

projects that assist Honduran women, including training programs for small entrepreneurs, health and education clinics and programs, preschool programs, community banking services and literacy/numeracy programs.

- * Uno Más Uno
Barrio San Rafael
Primer Calle, Casa No. 1514
Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Phone: 32-4093
Ms. Lily Caballero

Uno Más Uno is a development research firm formed by five consultants who work in women's issues. Their research efforts include investigation into the status of rural women in Honduras. They are collaborating with Fundación Friedrich Ebert to conduct an impact evaluation of the effect of the economic crisis on women in Honduras. The effort includes a literature review of periodicals; an analysis of social services and welfare compensation; interviews with 100 urban women and in-depth interviews with a subsample of the 100; and focus groups. The evaluation is looking at problems women have had to face during the crisis, including problems specific to women in industrial and private sector employment, the provision of basic services and transportation.

MEXICO:

- * Centro de Estudios Demográficos y de Desarrollo Urbano - CEDDU
(Center for Demographic and Urban Development Studies)
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- * Comunicación, Intercambio y Desarrollo Humano en América Latina (CIDHAL)
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México
- * Instituto de la Investigación en Humanidades
(Institute of Legal Research)
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Ciudad Universitaria
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Dr. Jorge Madrazo, Director
- * Instituto de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores Económicos y Sociales - IIESES
(Institute for Advanced Economic and Social Research)
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91030 Xalapa, Vera Cruz, México
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Dulce Ma. Cinta Loaiza, Director
- * Instituto Mexicano de Recursos Naturales Renovables, A.C.
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03020 México 12, DF, México
Phone: (5) 19-16-33
Prof. Dr. Enrique Beltrán, Director

NICARAGUA:

- * **Centro de Investigaciones - ITZTANI
(ITZTANI Research Center)
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Marvin Ortega, Director**

The Coordinator of the Division of Women's Studies (Direccion de Estudios de la Mujer) is Ada Julia Benes Peña. ITZTANI's interdisciplinary team conducts research on women in development and provides technical assistance in the area. Projects include evaluation of rural development activities, research on survival strategies and health of Nicaraguan women, and publication of a book on women and the Nicaraguan Revolution.

PANAMA:

- * **International Center for Economic Growth - ICEG
P.O. Box 7737
Panama, Zone 9
Panama**

CARIBBEAN

BARBADOS:

- * Development Alternatives with Women for a New Era (DAWN) -- Secretariat
c/o Women in Development Unit (WAND)
University of the West Indies
Bridgetown, Barbados
Phone: (809) 426-9288, 436-6312/6313
Fax: (809) 429-4854
Peggy Antrobus, General Coordinator

DAWN is an international network that is especially active in Africa and the Caribbean. They concentrate their research in three areas for the present: alternative economic frameworks, reproductive rights, and environment and natural resources. They attempt to link micro level impacts to macro level changes in the environment, whether induced by humans or nature. They have regional representatives in the developing world, and coordinate research on an international level. The research coordinator for DAWN's work on the environment lives in Barbados, Rosina Wiltshire (202 Atlantic Shores, Christ Church, Barbados).

- * Institute of Social and Economic Research, Eastern Caribbean (ISER)
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Dr. Joycelin Massiah, Director

ISER has a staff of six professionals, including a political scientist (policy issues), an economist (social economy and structural adjustment), a medical anthropologist (health), a sociologist (entrepreneurship) and two graduate assistants (youth and development). ISER conducted a three year project during the 1980s to analyze the role of women in development in the English-speaking Caribbean, entitled "Women in the Caribbean Project." The project produced a series of research papers, including women in politics, education, the family, and the law, as well as a survey of women and work, perceptions of women, and a statistical profile. The director, Massiah, is known for, among other achievements, her research on women headed households in the region. Dr. Cristine Barrow, while not with the Institute, is Chair of the university's Department of Government and Sociology, and has looked at gender issues in land tenure in the region.

- * W.I.D. Limited
Melbourne
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Lynn Allison, Executive Director

The mission of W.I.D. Limited is to assist low-income persons, especially women, in creating, identifying and securing income-generating opportunities. Within this framework, the organization's major objectives are achieved through 4 main services: 1) Loan Programme - to provide credit and technical assistance for small business development; 2) Placement Centre - to link job applicants to job opportunities; 3) Apprenticeship Scheme - to place clients in on-the-job training situations; and 4) Training Centre - to provide skills training and business courses.

- * Women in Development Unit (WAND)
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Peggy Antrobus, Director

DOMINICA:

- * Dominica National Council of Women (DNCW)
18 King George V Street
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Roseau, Commonwealth of Dominica
Phone: (44) 83-935
Mrs. Neva Edwards, President
Mrs. Ophelia Linton, DNCW Secretary

The DNCW was founded in 1986 as an umbrella organization to coordinate the activities of the various self-help groups on the island that work with women's issues. They have received a number of grants from organizations, including OXFAM and Humanistic Values for Development. DNCW is staffed primarily by unpaid volunteers. DNCW currently is undertaking a survey (1992) of nearly two thousand women on the island to assess the status of women. Upon completion of the survey, the research committee will recommend a series of interventions and seek financial and technical assistance from various national and international organizations. The primary goal of the Council is to improve the quality of life of poor women on the island.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC:

- * Centro de Solidaridad para el Desarrollo de la Mujer -- CE-MUJER
(Center for the Solidarity of Women in Development)
Calle Casimiro de Moya 155, Gazcue
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Phone: (809) 686-3388
Luz M. Abreu L., Coordinadora General

- * Instituto de Estudios de Población y Desarrollo - IEPD
(Institute of Population and Development Studies)
Calle Dr. Piñeyro No. 160
Apartamento 302
Apartado Postal 1053
Santo Domingo, República Dominicana

IEPD is a private, nonprofit center created by PROFAMILIA (The Dominican Association for the Promotion of Family Welfare) to promote the analysis of the relationships between demographic, social, and economic aspects of development in the Dominican Republic. The objectives of IEPD are to: produce studies on national development planning; contribute to policy formation at the national level; serve as a processing and distribution center for data; and give assistance to researchers. In its eight years of existence, IEPD has produced eight sociodemographic studies in the areas of: labor force; production of food; housing and energy; health; status of women; education; internal migration.

- * Mujeres en el Desarrollo Dominica, Inc.
(Dominican Women in Development)
Av. Maximo Gomez #70
Santo Domingo, D.N.
Apartado Postal 325
Republica Dominicana
Phone: (809) 685-8111

The principal purpose of the Dominican Women in Development is to aid rural women in the development process. Primary activities include: enablement, technical assistance, financing of productive projects, legal aid and ecological education.

- * Naciones Unidas Instituto Internacional de Investigaciones y Capacitación para la Promoción de la Mujer - INSTRAW
(United Nations International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women)
Cesar Nicolas Penson 102-A
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Phone: (809) 685-2111
Dunja Pastizzi-Ferencic, Director
INSTRAW acts as a catalyst to promote the full participation of women in all aspects of development through research, training, and the exchange of information. INSTRAW works to increase women's potential economic contribution to development and to integrate them into the development process. They also work to raise awareness of women's issues worldwide and to incorporate agenda items on women into the work of relevant U.N. bodies.

ST. LUCIA:

- * National Research and Development Foundation - NRDF
P.O. Box 1097
Barnard Hill
Castries, St. Lucia
Phone: (45) 24-253, 26-627
Mrs. Patricia Charles, Director
Mrs. L. Crane, Research, Development and Training component
The NRDF has a staff of approximately 24 people working in several components, including a Credit and Counselling division, and managing a hostel. Their work is not directly focused on women, although women are often surveyed in the course of their research.
- * Women's Action Council - WAC (no permanent address)
Contact: Mrs. Ingrid Skerret (Board of Directors)
A.F. Vaimont & Co., Ltd.
17 Laborie Street, P.O. Box 172
Castries, St. Lucia
Phone: (45) 23-817, -818, -819
Fax: (45) 24-225
The Women's Action Council has approximately 30 members, united by their interest in women's rights and their desire to participate in the process of democracy. They recently received a small grant from the Caribbean Association for Feminist Research and Action (CAFRA) in Trinidad, for a study on women and the law that was completed by one of the group's members with group support. WAC is not a research group, *per se*, but rather a group of interested individuals trying to make a difference in the welfare of women in St. Lucia through their personal efforts.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO:

- * Caribbean Agricultural Research and Development Institute (CARDI)
University of the West Indies
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- * Institute of Social and Economic Research - St. Augustine
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Trinidad and Tobago
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III. National Institutes of Statistics

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- * Instituto Nacional de Estadística y Censos
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Luís A. Beccaria, Director

Bolivia

- * Instituto Nacional de Estadísticas (INE)
Ministry of Planning
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Jose Luis Lupo, Director

Brazil

- * Instituto Brasileiro de Geographia e Estadística (IBGE)
Avenida Franklin Roosevelt 166-Centro
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- * Instituto Nacional de Estadísticas
Casilla 498
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Alexis Guardia, Director

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Rudolfo Uribe, Director

Ecuador

- * Instituto Nacional de Estadística y Censos - INEC
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Quito, Ecuador
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Gaudencio Zurita, General Director
- * Instituto Nacional de Empleo - INEM
Ministry of Labor and Human Resources
Quito, Ecuador

Paraguay

- * Centro de Estadísticas y Censos
Chile 128 y Palmaa
Asunción, Paraguay
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Peru

- * Instituto Nacional de Estadística
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Lima 1, Peru
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Graciela Fernández de Valdez, Chief

Uruguay

- * Dirección General de Estadísticas y Censos
Cuareim 2052
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Venezuela

- * Oficina Central de Estadística e Informática
Edificio Fundación La Salle
Avenida Boyaca (Cota Mil)
Maripédez, Caracas
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Guyana

- * Ministry of Finance
Urquhart Street
Georgetown, Guyana
Phone: (02) 71114

Fr. Guiana

- * Caisse Central Cooperacion Economique
13 Rue Luis Blanc
Cayenne, French Guiana
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CENTRAL AMERICA:

Belize

- * Bureau of Standards
Belize City, Belize
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Costa Rica

- * Dirección General de Estadística y Censos
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El Salvador

- * Direccion General de Estadistica y Censos
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Guatemala

- * Instituto Nacional de Estadistica
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Guatemala City, Guatemala
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Honduras

- * Ministerio de Planificacion
Direccion General de Estadisticas
Honduras
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- * La Secretaria de Programcion y Presupuesto
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Panama

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Mr. Carles, Director
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CARIBBEAN:

Antigua

- * Statistical Department
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- * Oficina Nacional de Estadísticas y Censos
Dominican Republic
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Haiti

- * Institut Haitien de Statistique Informatique (IHSI)
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Jamaica

- * Statistical Institute of Jamaica
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Trinidad and Tobago

- * Ministry of Finance
Central Statistical Office
23 Park Street
Port of Spain, Trinidad
Trinidad and Tobago
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PART B:

U.S. INSTITUTIONS

I. Sector Listings
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WOMEN IN DEVELOPMENT

UNIVERSITIES AND AFFILIATED CENTERS:

*	Michigan State University/Office of Women in Development	44
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CONSULTING GROUPS WITH RESEARCH COMPONENTS:

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NOT FOR PROFIT GROUPS AND ASSOCIATIONS:

*	Association for Women in Development - AWID	50
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AGRICULTURE

UNIVERSITIES AND AFFILIATED CENTERS:

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CONSULTING GROUPS WITH RESEARCH COMPONENTS:

*	Chemonics International	48
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UNIVERSITIES AND AFFILIATED CENTERS

- * **Clark University**
Center for Technology, Environment and Development - CENED
950 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01510
CENED is a consortium of interdisciplinary research groups established to conduct basic and applied research related to major societal and global problems. (areas of interest: hazard and risk assessment, risk analysis, occupational health and safety, radioactive waste, climate and society, energy studies, environment and development, international development, water resources planning and management).
- * **Columbia University**
Center for the Study of Human Rights
704 School of International Affairs
New York, NY 10027
Phone: (212) 280-2479
The Center promotes the teaching and research in human rights both internationally and within nations. Its activities involve all disciplines and address both theoretical and policy questions. Areas of interest: the humanities, law, political science, sociology, public health and welfare, social work, philosophy, ethics, medicine.
- * **Consortium for International Development - CID**
5151 East Broadway, Suite 1500
Tucson, Arizona 85711-3766
Phone: (602) 745-0455
Fax: (602) 745-1404
A not-for-profit consortium of ten universities located in the western region of the U.S., CID was founded in 1967. Member universities working through the Consortium have a record of successful accomplishments in over thirty developing countries, including most of the African nations. CID member universities provide technical assistance in: agricultural development, economic policy, education, women in development, natural resource management, rural development, rural credit, aquaculture, private sector development and health and nutrition. Services include sector assessment and analysis, institution building, project design, implementation and evaluation, and both short and long term technical assistance. Major clients: A.I.D. and the World Bank.
- * **Ecology, Community Organization, and Gender - ECOGEN (Clark University & Virginia Tech)**
1060 Litton Reaves Hall
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Blacksburg, Virginia 24061
The ECOGEN Project was established for the purpose of examining the role of gender in rural livelihood systems. The project is funded by the WID Office of USAID in cooperation with the International Development Program at Clark University and the Office of International Development at Virginia Tech. ECOGEN offers collaborative research, training and policy analysis and brings together U.S. researchers with colleagues from Asia, Africa and Latin America.
- * **Harvard Institute for International Development - HIID**
Office of Women in Development
1 Eliot Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
Phone: (617) 495-2161
Funded by governments of host Third World countries, A.I.D., the United Nations, and other agencies, HIID is Harvard University's center for programs of service, research, and training related to developing countries. It provides technical assistance to government agencies and conducts a broad program of research, much of it in collaboration with institutions in the Third World. (areas of interest: education, public health, urban and regional planning, rural development, economics, public finance, public management and policy, women in development)

* **Latin American Studies Association - LASA**

William Pitt Union, 9th floor
University of Pittsburgh
Pittsburgh, PA 15260
Phone: (412) 648-7929
Fax: (412) 624-7145

LASA is a nonprofit educational and charitable organization. It was established to foster the concerns of all scholars interested in Latin American studies; to encourage more effective training, teaching, and research in connection with such studies; and to provide a forum for dealing with matters of common interest to the scholarly professions and to individuals concerned with Latin American studies. Scholarly programs and concerns of the association membership are fostered through task forces, committees, and working groups. They include task forces on: human rights and academic freedom, the mass media, women in Latin American studies, scholarly resources, scholarly relations with Cuba, and Latin Americanists in Japan, the Natural Science Community, Central America, the Soviet Union, and Spain. Publications include the Latin American Research Review and LASA Forum.

* **Michigan State University**

Institute of International Agriculture
101 Agriculture Hall
East Lansing, MI 48824
Phone: (517) 355-0174

The Institute promotes, develops, and coordinates international programs on-campus and overseas that are integral parts of academic department programs in research, teaching and extension. (areas of interest: agriculture and natural resources; women in international development; agriculture and resource development, management, policy and planning; marketing and institution building)

* **Michigan State University**

Office of Women in Development
202 Center for International Programs
East Lansing, MI 48824-1035
Phone: (517) 353-5040

MSU/WID works to bring new perspective to the international development process by focusing on the roles of women in their social, economic and political contexts. It develops, fosters, and coordinates research on issues of women in international development, promotes the incorporation of women and their concerns into development projects, disseminates information about the interaction of gender and the process of socioeconomic development, stimulates and maintains communication among national and international scholars, practitioners, and policy makers concerned with development.

* **Midwest Universities Consortium for International Activities, Inc. - MUCIA**

Riverwatch Tower, Suite A
364 West Lane Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43201
Phone: (614) 291-9646
Fax: (614) 291-9717

MUCIA, which includes the Universities of Indiana, Iowa, Michigan State, Minnesota, Ohio State, Wisconsin, and Illinois, was founded in 1964 to provide opportunities for research and technical assistance overseas. The office also participates actively in supporting the work of the Association of Women in International Development (AWID) and the International Federation for Women in Agriculture. MUCIA focuses exclusively on international programs in the areas of technical assistance, institution building, education and training.

- * Northeast Council for International Development - NECID
Rutgers, State University of New Jersey
Cook College, P.O. Box 231
New Brunswick, NJ 08903
(201) 932-8954

In six continents and more than a hundred nations, the faculty members of NECID have shared their expertise and technology for producing more food for peoples of the world. One of main objectives is to gather and share information about international program and project opportunities relating to agriculture, natural and marine resources, and other rural development activities. Strong domestic and international programs in poultry, marine, dairy, forestry, fruit and vegetables, public policy, rural/urban development, agricultural and fisheries economics and marketing, food technology and processing, and community planning. The council's headquarters are at Rutgers, which has a human ecology program. Member Universities: Connecticut, Cornell, Delaware, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, Rutgers, Vermont, and West Virginia.

- * South-East Consortium for International Development - SECID
Center for Women in Development
1612 K Street, NW, Suite 704
Washington, D.C. 20006
Phone: (202) 429-1804

SECID's Center for Women in Development is guided by the premise that women in developing countries perform crucial roles in economic production, family support, community structures, and the development process. Two primary goals: to increase awareness of women's vital roles in agriculture and industry, domestic economies, and community structures and to increase the involvement of women from developed and developing countries in international efforts.

- * University of Arizona
Bureau of Applied Research in Anthropology
Tucson, AZ 85721
Phone: (602) 621-6282

A division of the Department of Anthropology, the bureau is an academic research and training institute dedicated to the application of anthropological approaches to practical problems that confront different social and cultural groups. The bureau has five operational sections including the culture and agriculture section focusing on international and national rural development with a special emphasis on farming systems research and agricultural policy analysis, and the women in development section concentrating on research and training on gender-related issues.

- * University of Florida
Center for Latin American Studies
319 Linton E. Gritner Hall
Gainesville, FL 32611
Phone: (354) 392-0375

Although its 115 affiliated faculty members conduct research in virtually every country of Latin America, the Center has special research and training interests in the Caribbean, Brazil and the Amazon Basin, and Andean South America. The Center for Latin American Studies held its 40th annual conference March 1991, "Andean Crises: Traditional Dilemmas and Contemporary Challenges," which drew researchers from both Latin America and the United States. Publications include the *Latinamericanist* and presentations at colloquia on varied topics including: social change, politics and religion, the environment and global climate change, and literature.

- * University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Office of Women in International Development
320 International Studies Building
910 South Fifth Street
Champaign, IL 61820
Phone: (217) 333-1977

Fax: (217) 333-6270

The Office of Women in International Development is an academic unit concerned with the role of women in developing societies and the impact of international development on women and men throughout the world. Office programs actively support research, teaching, service, and international scholarly exchange in these areas.

* University of Minnesota

Women in International Development Research and Information Center - WIDRIC
Institute of International Studies (IIS)
Social Sciences Building, Room 214
267 19th Ave South
Minneapolis, MN 55455
Phone: (612) 624-9007

Activities in the Center include the International Relations undergraduate program, foreign studies program, Women in International Development Research and Information Center (WIDRIC), and the Latin American Studies undergraduate program. Areas of interest: International relations with primary emphasis on education concerning international politics and foreign policy, development, international and cross-cultural communications, and global policy analysis.

* University of Pittsburgh

Center for Latin American Studies
4E04 Forbes Quadrangle
230 South Bouquet Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15260
Phone: (412) 624-5563

Areas of Interest: Latin American Studies, with special emphasis on Cuba, Mesoamerica, and the Andes, including anthropology, economics, fine arts, history, linguistics, music, political science, sociology, literature, business, education, library science, public health, public and international affairs, and social work.

* University of Texas

Institute of Latin American Studies
Sid Richardson Hall, Unit 1
Austin, TX 78712-1284
Phone: (512) 471-5551

The Institute of Latin American Studies has three centers which support scholarly research, meetings and seminars, and publish working papers: the Mexican Center, which conducts a seminar series, organizes scholarly conferences, and publishes a series of working papers; the Brazilian Studies Program, which concentrates on language and culture; and the Latin American Economic Studies Program, which includes joint research programs with Latin American colleagues and institutions, specialized training programs, and the development of a publications program disseminating critical contributions to the bridging of region and paradigm. An Outreach Program was formed in 1972 to enrich public understanding of Latin America and to encourage the study of that area of the world in the communities and schools throughout Texas.

* University of Wisconsin

Land Tenure Center (LTC)
1300 University Ave.
Madison, WI 53706
Phone: (608) 262-3657
Fax: 262-2141

LTC focuses its research on the interdisciplinary issues of land tenure, agrarian reform, and related institutional aspects of rural development and natural resource management, with an emphasis on the rural poor's access to land, water, and other natural resources. The Center administers an integrated program of research, teaching, information dissemination, and consulting in all regions of the world. In its current projects, the LTC is exploring three principal research themes: Tenure and

natural resource management, land markets and transactions, and institutional and structural factors in tenure change. There are also cross-cutting emphases on security of tenure and gender issues.

* Virginia Polytechnic and State University
Office of International Development
1060 Litton Reaves Hall
Blacksburg, VA 24061-0334
Phone: (703) 231-6338
Fax: 231-6741

Virginia Tech has been involved with international development in Asia, Africa, the Middle East, and Latin America since 1972. With 23,000 students it is a comprehensive university with strengths in forestry, natural resource management, agriculture, rural development, and social sciences.

CONSULTING GROUPS WITH RESEARCH COMPONENTS ON GENDER AND LAC

- * **Chemonics International**
2000 M Street, N.W., Suite 200
Washington, D.C. 20036
Phone: (202) 466-5340 or 293-1176
Fax: (202) 331-8202
Chemonics is a consulting group with substantial expertise in research on agricultural development. They are the primary contractor on the DESFIL Project (Development Strategies for Fragile Lands) which has a special focus on gender issues in environmental development.
- * **Creative Associates International, Inc. - CAII**
5301 Wisconsin Ave, NW, Suite 700
Washington, D.C. 20015
Phone: (202) 966-5804
Fax: 363-4771
CAII is an international professional and technical services organization that manages projects throughout the United States, Central and South America, Europe, the Middle East, Africa, and Asia. CAII provides training and educational programs, automated information systems, and marketing and communication services through three divisions: 1) Education and Training Services - to provide people with opportunities for choice and for the realization of their potentials, targeting women, children, families, communities, employers, and employees; 2) Information Management and Systems - provides state-of-the-art expertise to help its clients meet the demands of an ever-changing technological environment; and 3) Marketing and Communications - provides consulting services to corporations and public sector organizations both nationally and internationally.
- * **Development Alternatives Inc. - DAI**
624 9th Street, NW, Sixth Floor
Washington, D.C. 20001
Phone: (202) 783-9110
Fax: 783-2962
DAI is an international consulting firm providing quality services in planning, technical assistance, and applied research to public and private organizations in developing countries. DAI's technical capabilities are concentrated in two practice areas: agriculture and natural resources; and finance, management, and economics. Current projects include the GEMINI (Growth and Development Through Microenterprise Investments and Institutions) project for A.I.D., which maintains an ongoing concern for gender issues in microenterprise development, and the GENESYS project, where DAI holds the subcontract for technical assistance provision.
- * **The Futures Group**
One Thomas Circle, 6th Floor
Washington, D.C. 20005
Phone: (202) 775-9680
Fax: (202) 775-9694 or 9699
The Futures Group is a marketing, management, and strategic planning consulting organization that specializes in helping clients make strategic decisions in the presence of future uncertainty. Since its founding in 1971, Futures has worked for more than 600 private and public clients in over 40 countries on topics as diverse as communications, trade policy, market and product analysis, social marketing of health and family planning products, modeling and forecasting, women in development, AIDS, food assistance, environment, insurance, health systems, and aging. Futures uses many of its private sector skills and techniques to promote international development, its major public sector focus, with services including: forecasting, modeling and evaluation; social marketing and communications; policy analysis and development; research; and women in development/gender analysis. It is the main contractor on the GENESYS project for A.I.D.'s Office of Women in Development.

- * Institute for International Research, Inc. - IIR
1815 N. Fort Myer Drive, 6th floor
Arlington, VA 22209
Phone: (703) 527-5546

IIR is dedicated to international development and is noted for innovative and effective approaches to providing technical services. Activities include: education systems development, communication systems and applications, educational technology, educational research and analysis, information and communications technology, management information systems, project planning and design, public and private management systems, evaluation, training, and conference and workshop design and management.

- * Management Systems International - MSI
600 Water Street, S.W., NBU 7-7
Washington, D.C. 20024
Phone: (202) 484-7170
Fax: (202) 488-0754

MSI is a woman-owned consulting firm specializing in international development. Along with substantial experience in training and evaluation for A.I.D., MSI is the prime contractor for A.I.D.'s Program Performance Information for Strategic Management (PRISM) project. The PRISM project is charged with developing an A.I.D.-wide performance information system of strategic objectives, performance indicators, and collecting and analyzing performance data. Measuring performance on a gender-disaggregated basis is a key focus for the project. MSI also is a subcontractor on the GENESYS project, responsible for developing and providing training services to A.I.D. in gender analysis.

- * Robert Nathan and Associates, Inc.
2101 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1200
Arlington, VA 22201
Phone: (703) 516-7700

Robert Nathan and Associates Inc., is one of the oldest and most respected U.S. economic and management consulting firms. With a record of service in the U.S. and almost 70 countries around the world, they specialize in providing practical, problem-solving analysis, research and council on economic, financial and management issues. Its clients have included private corporations and businesses, government agencies and multilateral lending institutions. In recent years, they have been active in assisting private investors to identify and assess overseas business opportunities, and in helping foreign governments to design and execute export and investment promotion programs. They have worked with A.I.D.'s WID Office in the past on gender issues in small scale enterprise development.

- * Sigmar International, Inc.
10715 S.W. 74 Court
Miami, FL 33156
Phone: (305) 661-3906

Sigmar International is geared to assist private sector development in Latin America and the Caribbean as well as trade expansion and government economic reform. Range of activities: business planning, strategies and marketing; project analysis, evaluation and monitoring; development of investment/divestment strategies; regulatory/policy analysis, country risk assessment; export/import market development; energy/oil sector analysis; government contacts and negotiations; communications/public relations; business executive training; women in development; civic participation and democracy training.

NOT FOR PROFIT DEVELOPMENT GROUPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

- * **Accion International/AITEC**
1385 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02139
Phone: (617) 492-4930

Funded by foundations, public agencies, corporations, and individuals, Accion International/AITEC is concerned with the creation of opportunities for employment and economic well-being among low-income populations in the Americas. Areas of interest: small business development and support, credit and guarantee mechanisms, low-cost business training techniques, informal sector and micro-enterprise research and gender issues, monitoring, and evaluation systems, rural economic development.
- * **Agricultural Cooperative Development International - ACDI**
50 F Street, NW, Suite 900
Washington, D.C. 20001
Phone: (202) 638-4661

ACDI is a non-profit training, technical and management assistance organization created by the leading agricultural cooperatives and farmer organizations in the US. Its mandate is to respond to the needs of agricultural cooperatives, farm credit systems, agribusinesses and supporting government agencies in developing countries. ACDI provides technical assistance in the development of agricultural credit, supply, marketing and related services. Its projects often play an important role in fostering and/or strengthening cooperative independence.
- * **American Friends Service Committee - AFSC**
1501 Cherry Street
Philadelphia, PA 19102-1479
Phone: (215) 241-7000

The AFSC is an independent, non-profit Quaker organization that carries out programs of service, development, justice and peace, both in the U.S. and in the Third World. The 1990 Annual Report of the AFSC discussed a village water project in Laos, a home-based pre-school program in Gaza, an irrigation project in Mali, and program on Economic Justice in West Virginia, among others.
- * **Association for Women in Development - AWID**
Office of Women's Programs
10 Sandy Hall
Virginia Tech
Blacksburg, VA 24061
Phone: (703) 231-7615
Fax: 231-6741

AWID is a US-based professional association that focuses on international development and gender issues. AWID is a part of the global network of scholars, practitioners, and policy makers committed to increasing the awareness of the interdependence of nations, institutions, and individuals in development and to insuring that women participate as full and active partners in a more equitable development process, and that they share in its benefits. Dissemination efforts include: conferences, newsletter, Paper Series, workshops and seminars.
- * **Central American Resource Center**
P.O. Box 2327
Austin, TX 78768
Phone: (512) 476-9841

The Central American Resource Center is a nonprofit information clearinghouse which provides publications on Central America covering the issues of human rights, environment, economics, and revolution, among others. The Center publishes a bi-weekly news and resource update called *Central American Newspak*. It includes articles and updates on WID related materials.

- * **The Centre for Development and Population Activities - CEDPA**
 1717 Massachusetts Ave, NW, Suite 202
 Washington, D.C. 20036
 Phone: (202) 667-1142

CEDPA's mission is to empower women at all levels of society to be full partners in development. To this end, CEDPA: conducts creative training programs; carries out innovative training projects; builds institutions; and establishes linkages to indigenous people and institutions. CEDPA supports partnership projects both in the U.S. (bringing Third World women to Washington, D.C. for training workshops) and in all regions of the Third World. Projects primarily focus on: family planning, maternal and child health care, literacy, vocational training/income generation. Publications include conference and workshop reports, annual lectures, project brochures, and special publications.

- * **Consultative Group for International Agricultural Research - CGIAR**
 World Bank, Room N-5050
 1818 H Street, NW
 Washington, D.C. 20433
 Phone: (202) 473-8951
 Fax: (202) 334-8750

CGIAR is an informal association of 40 public and private sector donors that supports a network of 16 international agricultural centers. Over 1,000 scientists representing 60 different nationalities conduct research at the 16 CGIAR research centers or in some 40 developing countries where international scientists are posted to work in collaboration with their developing country partners. CGIAR's mission is: "Through international research and related activities, and in partnership with national research systems, to contribute to sustainable improvements in the productivity of agriculture, forestry, and fisheries in developing countries in ways that enhance nutrition and well-being, especially among low-income people. Programs carried out by CGIAR-supported centers fall into six broad categories: productivity research, management of natural resources, improving the policy environment, institution building, germplasm conservation, and building linkages. They are currently conducting a gender analysis of their project portfolio.

- * **Council on Hemispheric Affairs - COHA**
 1612 20th Street, NW
 Washington, D.C. 20009
 Phone: (202) 745-7000

A nonprofit research organization founded to promote the common interests of the hemisphere, raise the visibility of inter-American processes, and encourage a constructive Latin American policy on Washington's part. It is funded by over 30 national trade unions, professional organizations, and religious and academic groups. Areas of interest: Latin American human rights, economy, politics, and relations, hemispheric interests.

- * **Domestic Technology Institute - DTI**
 P.O. Box 2043
 Evergreen, CO 80439

The Institute is a private, non-profit organization that develops and promotes technologies, crafts and skills which directly and favorably impact families. Over the last ten years, the institute has developed a broad research, implementation and training capability in domestic lifestyle alternatives, food production and renewable energy systems. The institute has conducted training in the US and eight foreign countries.

- * **Equity Policy Center - EPOC**
 4818 Drummond Ave.
 Chevy Chase, MD 20815

EPOC's goal is to ensure that the impact of national and international programs on the individual is equitable regardless of sex, age, health, ethnic background, nationality, or place of residence, while recognizing the different needs of individuals may require different regulations, delivery systems, funding, or even different laws. Areas of interest include: equitable administration of legislation,

impact of development assistance on women in developing countries, alleviation of the drudgery of women's lives in developing countries by appropriate technology, rural energy studies, women's role in the world's food production and distribution system, water and sanitation projects.

- * The Ford Foundation
320 East 43 Street
New York, NY 10017
Phone: (212) 573-5000
Fax: (212) 297-0969

The Ford Foundation is a private philanthropic institution dedicated to international peace and to advancing the well-being of people throughout the world. The Foundation grants and lends funds for educational, developmental, research, and experimental efforts designed to produce significant advances on problems of worldwide importance and has funded work on gender issues and women in development. The Foundation operates out of its New York headquarters and field offices in Asia, Africa, and Latin America. Grants are made through a program division encompassing six broad categories: Urban Poverty, Rural Poverty and Resources, Human Rights and Social Justice, Governance and Public Policy, Education and Culture, and International Affairs.

- * The Global Fund for Women
2400 Sand Hill Rd., Suite 201
Menlo Park, CA 94025
Phone: (415) 854-0420

The Global Fund for Women is a grant-making organization that provides funds to seed, strengthen and link groups that are committed to women's well-being internationally and work for their full participation in society. The Fund also promotes greater understanding of the importance of funding women's activities internationally and encourages increased support for women's programs both in this country and globally.

- * Institute for Policy Studies
1601 Connecticut Ave., NW, 5th Floor
Washington, D.C. 20009
Phone: (202) 234-9382

Sponsored by various private foundations and individuals, the institute conducts research and analysis projects in domestic public policy, foreign and military policies, and international economic order. Areas of interest include: human rights, militarism, arms sales, disarmament, impact of nuclear weapons and technology, food and hunger, role of multinational corporations in developing countries.

- * Institute for Global Communications
18 De Boom Street
San Francisco, CA 94107
Phone: (415) 442-0220
Fax: (415) 546-1794

The Institute runs a global computer network for environment, peace and human rights to monitor developments around the world. The network is used to communicate, share information, pool resources and plan events with individuals and groups all around the world.

- * Inter-American Association for Democracy and Freedom - IADF
c/o Frances Grant, Secretary-General
310 West End Ave
New York, NY 10023
Phone: (212) 221-6790

IADF seeks to create a democratic front to fight totalitarianism in all its forms and to investigate and verify violations of civil and political liberties in the Americas; to protest violations in governmental and intergovernmental communities; and to help in ameliorating such violations and to help individuals thus victimized. Areas of interest: Inter-American relations, especially in reference to democratic institutions and civil and political liberties; the continuing struggle for freedom in dictator countries and the process of expanding social, economic and political opportunities.

- * **Inter-American Bar Foundation**
 1819 H Street, NW, Suite 310
 Washington, D.C. 20006
 Phone: (202) 293-1455

Areas of interest: administration of justice in Western Hemisphere countries, common and civil law, continuing education of lawyers.
- * **Inter-American Dialogue**
 Aspen Institute
 11 Dupont Circle, NW, Suite 502
 Washington, D.C. 20036
 Phone: (202) 265-5350
 Fax: 265-5425

The Inter-American Dialogue is an independent, nonpartisan Washington-based forum for sustained exchange among leaders of the Western Hemisphere. Since 1982, the Dialogue participants from the United States, Canada, Latin America and the Caribbean have worked together to promote cooperative approaches to the major challenges confronting the Americas. The Dialogue works through seminars and workshops, monthly roundtables, in-depth studies and comprehensive reports, and Congressional testimony and briefings. Members believe that in the 1990s, there will be a growing need for improved cooperation to confront their shared problems: promoting trade, regulating migration, protecting the environment, curbing the traffic of drugs and arms, safeguarding human rights, and nurturing democratic governance.
- * **International Center for Research on Women - ICRW**
 1717 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Suite 501
 Washington, D.C. 20036
 Phone: (202) 797-0007
 Fax: (202) 797-0020

ICRW works to improve the economic, health and social status of poor women in developing countries worldwide. Focusing on the dual economic and family responsibilities of most Third World women, ICRW's programs influence development planning and policy to ensure that development interventions enhance women's earning power, strengthen their already significant participation in agriculture, industry and commerce, expand their contribution to economic development, and improve their health and social status. (policy research, technical services, public education)
- * **International Food Policy Research Institute - IFPRI**
 1776 Massachusetts Ave, NW
 Washington, D.C. 20036
 Phone: (202) 862-5614

Sponsored by CGIAR, IFPRI conducts research on selected policy problems affecting the production, consumption, trade, and distribution of food in the developing world. Areas of interest: agricultural development; food distribution and nutrition; agricultural trade; food statistics; food consumption; food production; development economics.
- * **International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources - IUCN**
 1400 16th Street, NW
 Washington, D.C. 20036
 Phone: (202) 797-5454

The IUCN's mission is to provide leadership and promote a common approach for the world conservation movement in order to safeguard the integrity and diversity of the natural world, and to ensure that human use of natural resources is appropriate, sustainable and equitable. IUCN's present membership includes 106 countries. Six commissions, made up of volunteer experts, make a major contribution to the development and execution of the IUCN program in the areas of: ecology, education and communication, environmental law, environmental strategy and planning, national parks and protected areas, and species survival. Publications include: *World Conservation Strategy*, *Red Data Books*, *Red List of Threatened Animals*, *United Nations List of National Parks and Protected Areas*, and the *IUCN Bulletin*.

- * International Women's Tribune Center - IWTC
777 UN Plaza
New York, NY 10017
Phone: (212) 687-8633
Fax: (212) 661-2704

IWTC was set up following the International Women's Year Tribune in Mexico City, 1975. Beginning with attempts to respond to the requests for information and assistance from many of the 6,000 women who attended the conference, IWTC has grown into a communications and technical assistance support service for more than 16,000 women and women's groups in 160 countries. Working as a small "task-force", IWTC seeks to ensure that women have the information, training, technology and tools with which to become active participants and shapers of women-oriented development plans, policies and projects.

- * La Buena Fe Association
7 Oak Hill Cluster
Independence, MO 64050
Phone: (816) 229-9252

Areas of interest: practical education and community development in Latin America, with an emphasis on Guatemala and Honduras. Programs are available in health and nutrition education, vocational training, and community organization.

- * National Council for Research on Women
The Sara Delano Roosevelt House
47-49 E. 65th Street
New York, NY 10021
Phone: (212) 570-5004

The Council is an independent association of 69 member centers and organizations that provide resources for feminist research, policy analysis, and educational programs for women and girls. The Council also works to strengthen ties with other international organizations. The Council functions are to: 1) facilitate collaborative research, communication and cooperation exchange among member centers and affiliates; 2) promote visibility for feminist research and build links between individuals and organizations doing research, policy, and grassroots work on women; 3) expand international networks and serve as a clearinghouse for current information about research, policy initiatives, funding opportunities and other resources. Publications include: *Women's Research Network News*, directories of women's research groups, and research working papers.

- * Overseas Development Council - ODC
1717 Massachusetts Ave, NW, Suite 501
Washington, D.C. 20036
Phone: (202) 234-8701

Partially funded by foundations, corporations, and private individuals, ODC seeks to increase American understanding of the problems faced by developing countries and the importance of these countries to the United States. Areas of interest: United States foreign policy toward the developing countries; international trade, finance, and health; industrial policy; debt; development strategies; Africa; Latin America; Mexico; Asia; the Caribbean; U.S.S.R.'s role in the Third World; international economics and security.

- * Partners of the Americas
1424 K Street, NW, No. 700
Washington, D.C. 20005
Phone: (202) 628-3300
Fax: 628-3306

Partners of the Americas is a private nonprofit organization that promotes economic, social, and humanitarian development in the American hemisphere. It works by linking people in a state in the U.S. with people in a state, region, or country in Latin America and the Caribbean. Once joined in this "partnership", they work together as volunteers on mutual self-help projects. (projects include:

agriculture and rural development, public health, education, rehabilitation, sports, trade and investment, community development, cultural exchange, emergency preparedness, women in development, university linkages, youth development and student exchanges, small business development, and journalism.)

- * Partnership for Productivity International - PFPI
2001 S Street, NW, Suite 610
Washington, D.C. 20009
Phone: (202) 387-7027

Funded by a variety of international donors, contracts, corporations, foundations, and individuals, PFPI facilitates the growth of network agencies, domestic and international, working in small scale enterprise development and entrepreneurship. Areas of interest include: small enterprise development, small business management and start-up, entrepreneurship, information networks, agriculture, international development, project design and management, loan programs.

- * Research Triangle Institute - RTI
P.O. Box 12194
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709
Phone: (919) 541-6000
Fax: 541-5985

RTI is an independent scientific organization that provides research, development and technical services to clients in government and industry. Founded in 1958, the Institute provides contract services in the fields of social, statistical, chemical, life and physical services. The Center for International Development provides international research, technical and social development assistance; delivers applied, policy-oriented services in economics, urban and regional development, social services delivery, demographics, human resource development, public finance, and environmental policy and planning; and stresses action-oriented results to help increase the capacity of host-country institutions to develop and implement policies for equitable development. Its work on gender includes policy dialogue efforts and computer modeling.

- * Save the Children
54 Wilton Road
Westport, CT 06880
Phone: (203) 226-7271

Areas of interest: community development, appropriate technology, planning, evaluation, refugees, health, nutrition, gardening, women in development, Third World country information, water resources, income-generating projects.

- * Social Development Center - SDC
1313 East 60th Street, Room 476
Chicago, IL 60637
Phone: (312) 947-2010

Funded by AID, the SDC is dedicated to the solution of important social problems through the application of social science research findings. Areas of interest: family planning and reproductive health, demography and population policy, urban planning, regional development and environmental protection; health, environment, sanitation, and nutrition; sociology and psychology of the family; educational planning; social welfare programs; human rights; women's status; economic development planning and evaluation; social, economic, and political organization and change.

- * Society for International Development - SID
SID-USA Chapters Center
1401 New York Ave, NW, Suite 1100
Washington, D.C. 20005
Phone: (202) 347-1800

SID is the world's largest and most geographically widespread association for people with an interest in international economic, political and social development. It is a multi-disciplinary, non-political and

non-profit organization which promotes international cooperation and dialogue on global development issues. SID has a working group on women in development, the SID/WID group, that meets regularly in the Washington, D.C. area and publishes its own newsletter.

- * **WINROCK International Center for Agricultural Development**
Route 3, Petit Jean Mountain
Morriston, AR 72110
Phone: (501) 727-5435
Fax: 727-5242

Winrock was established in 1985 and incorporates more than 50 years of combined organizational experience in providing technical assistance and professional expertise to international agricultural development. Winrock's mission is to help people around the world by increasing agricultural productivity and improving nutrition. Staff members work with host governments, private voluntary organizations, producer groups, and others to provide research and analysis, education and training, technical assistance, and communications services. Areas of emphasis are human resources, renewable resources, food policy, animal agriculture and farming systems, and agricultural research and extension. WINROCK also runs a leadership training program for women in Africa.

- * **Washington Office on Latin America - WOLA**
110 Maryland Ave, NE
Washington, D.C 20002
Phone: (202) 544-8045

A nonprofit organization, WOLA monitors human rights practices and political developments in Central and South America and the formulation of the United States' Latin American policies. It provides timely information and analyses and facilitates dialogue among a broad base of forces, including governmental and nongovernmental agencies, the media, academic, religious, and human rights organizations in Latin America, Europe, and the United States.

- * **Women's International League for Peace and Freedom/U.S. Section**
1213 Race Street
Philadelphia, PA 19107
Phone: (215) 563-7110

Areas of interest: elimination of war and its causes, world peace and freedom, world development, world disarmament, federal budget reform, elimination of racism, sexism, and other forms of oppression.

- * **Women's International Network - WIN**
c/o Fran P. Hosken, Coordinator
187 Grant Street
Lexington, MA 02173
Phone: (617) 862-9431

WIN is a not-for-profit charitable organization. Areas of interest include: women's development, international women's year, women's activities and achievements, women's equality and self-reliance, women and human rights, the United Nations, international affairs, development, health, violence, science, environment, and the media.

- * **World Priorities**
P.O. Box 25140
Washington, D.C. 20007
Phone: (202) 965-1661

World Priorities, Inc. was established in 1977 as a public interest research organization to assemble and analyze factual information and social policy issues of global importance, and to provide clear, brief and balanced reports for public dissemination and debate. Its first objective was to continue the body of research and annual publication of *World Military and Social Expenditures*, started in 1974. In addition to this continuing work, World Priorities is undertaking a broader research program to include social policy issues of world importance. These reports include *World Energy Survey* and *Women...a world survey*.

- * World Relief - Washington Liaison
220 I Street, NE, Suite 200
Washington, D.C. 20002
Phone: (202) 544-4447

World Relief is the international assistance arm of the National Association of Evangelicals, USA. They work with the poor and hungry in all areas of the Third World and with refugees in the United States. Projects include: health care, AIDS education, subsistence gardening, and small business development.

- * World Resources Institute
Center for International Environment and Development
1709 New York Ave, NW
Washington, D.C 20006
Phone: (202) 638-6300

WRI is a research and policy organization helping governments, the private sector, environmental and development organizations, and others address a fundamental question: How can societies meet human needs and nurture economic growth while preserving the natural and environmental integrity on which life and economic vitality ultimately depend? Through its policy studies, WRI aims to present accurate information about global resource and environmental conditions, analysis of emerging issues, and development of creative yet workable policy responses. In developing countries, WRI provides field services and technical support for governments and NGOs that are working to ensure the sustainability of natural resources.

- * Worldwatch Institute
1776 Massachusetts Ave, NW
Washington, D.C. 20036-1904
Phone: (202) 452-1999

The Worldwatch Institute, founded in 1974, is an independent, nonprofit research organization. Its goal is to help raise understanding of global environmental issues to the point where the public will support the policies needed to create an environmentally sustainable global economy. *Worldwatch Papers*, the annual *State of the World* report and *World Watch* magazine are marketed throughout the world, responding to a strong demand for comprehensive public policy research. Worldwatch has an information-gathering network in the fields of science, economics, demography, energy, agriculture, the environment, and development.

- * WorldWIDE Network (World Women in Environment)
1331 H Street, NW, Suite 903
Washington, D.C. 20005
Phone: (202) 347-1514

WorldWIDE's goals are to: establish a worldwide network of women concerned about environmental management and protection; educate the public and its policy makers about the vital linkages between women, natural resources, and sustainable development; promote the inclusion of women and their environmental perceptions in the design and implementation of development policies; and mobilize and support women, individually and in organizations, in environmental and natural resource programs. Programs include a directory of women in environment, community forums, newsletters, and an information service.

III. U.S. and International Government

Organizations with WID Components

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Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)
1300 New York Ave., NW
Washington, D.C.
Phone: (202) 623-1000

Sponsored by 43 member nations, including the United States, Canada, and Latin American and European nations, the Bank fosters the development of its member countries, both individually and collectively, in Latin America by giving them loans and technical assistance in such fields as industry, agriculture, electrical power, transportation, water supply, housing, and education. In 1988 (?) the Bank named its first full time WID advisor, charged with integrating gender issues into the Bank's activities.

Inter-American Foundation
1515 Wilson Blvd., 5th Floor
Rosslyn, VA 22209
Phone: (703) 841-3800

The Foundation is an independent government corporation that supports the self-help efforts of poor people in Latin America and the Caribbean. It responds directly to their initiatives by making grants to private, indigenous organizations throughout the region, which carry out projects in economic and social development. It also provides fellowships to graduate students at U.S. Universities to do field work in Latin America on problems of the poor. Since 1972, the Foundation has made 3,111 grants throughout Latin America for a total of \$311.8 million. Grants go to grassroots organizations, such as agricultural cooperatives, community associations and small urban enterprises, as well as larger organizations that work with local groups and provide them with credit, technical assistance, training, and marketing services.

International Labor Organization (ILO)
1828 L Street, NW, Suite 801
Washington, D.C. 20036

In the ILO, employers, workers and governments unite as equals to improve living and working standards worldwide. The ILO has performed research, training and consultation in management and small business development with the goal to boost productivity, encourage entrepreneurship, improve enterprise efficiency, strengthen training and development institutions and groom better managers. It has sponsored considerable amounts of research on gender in the labor force, including its ongoing research study series entitled *Women, Work and Development*.

Organization of American States - OAS
Inter-American Commission on Human Rights
1889 F Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20006
Phone: (202) 789-6000

The Commission is a principal organ of the OAS, the function of which is to promote the observance and protection of human rights in the Americas and to serve as a consultative organ of the OAS on these matters.

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development - OECD
2001 L Street, NW, Suite 700
Washington, D.C. 20036
Phone: (202) 785-6323
Fax: 785-0350

Areas of interest: economic development, including statistics, theory, history, transportation, international trade, money and international finance, public finance, sociology, environment, employment, technology, and multi national enterprise. The OECD has a working group on women in development as a subcommittee of its Development Assistance Committee. The working group encourages exchange and coordination among its member countries regarding policies and methodologies aimed at integrating women into their government's development assistance programs.

Pan-American Health Organization (PAHO)
525 23rd Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20037
Phone: (202) 861-3300
Fax: (202) 223-5971

PAHO, the Regional Office for the Americas of the World Health Organization, embraces 35 member countries from the Americas and 3 participating European governments with territories in the Western Hemisphere that have joined forces to improve the health and raise the standards of their people. The Organization's mission is to foster and coordinate efforts in the Americas to fight disease, lengthen life, and promote the physical and mental health of their populations. The Organization cooperates with Member Countries in a variety of ways - it identifies immediate and long-term health threats and develops approaches to overcome them; makes available the latest scientific and technical information in health; provides assistance for developing and improving national and local health services; promotes research and development of technology; grants fellowships and organizes seminars; and supports national activities and programs that address public health problems.

Peace Corps
Women In Development/OTAPS
1990 K Street, NW #8660
Washington, D.C. 20526

The Peace Corps recognizes that development programs must address the significant roles and responsibilities that women have in countries where volunteers serve. By helping people to help themselves, Volunteers reaffirm their commitment to the role and importance of women, fully integrating them into projects. Through training, women benefit directly by improving their income-generating ability, expanding their technical knowledge, learning management skills, and increasing their confidence.

United Nations Fund for Women (UNIFEM)
304 E. 45th Street, 6th floor
New York, NY 10017
Phone: (212) 906-64
Fax: (212) 906-6705

UNIFEM was created to provide direct support for women's projects, and to promote the inclusion of women in the decision-making processes of mainstream development programs. UNIFEM has improved the lives of tens of thousands of women in more than 100 African, Latin American/Caribbean, Asian, and Pacific countries by providing them with access to credit, training and technologies.

U.S. Bureau of the Census
Center for International Research
U.S. Department of Commerce
Washington, D.C. 20233
Phone: (301) 763-2870

Sponsored by the Agency for International Development and other government agencies, the Center's mission is to: (1) maintain an up-to-date collection of demographic information for all developing countries; (2) conduct demographic research with primary emphasis on evaluation and analysis of basic data; (3) prepare computer programs for evaluation and analysis of demographic data; (4) prepare estimates of a variety of demographic parameters for all countries of the world for publication/distribution; (5) conduct economic research on, and prepare input/output tables for the People's Republic of China and the Soviet Union; (6) represent the Bureau of the Census in International statistical activities; (7) maintain and update a computerized international data base. It has conducted several projects for A.I.D.'s WID Office and continues to collaborate with them on the development and refinement of gender disaggregation and data collection methodologies.

The World Bank
1818 H Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20433
Phone: (202) 473-3483

The World Bank is a multilateral lending agency consisting of four closely associated institutions: 1) The International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) lends to developing countries with relatively high per capita incomes. It is owned by over 150 member governments. The IBRD provides loans, training and technical advice to help developing countries address their own problems; 2) The International Development Association (IDA) provides assistance on concessional terms to the poorest developing countries. The IDA provides interest-free loans along with training and technical advice; 3) The International Finance Corporation (IFC) promotes growth in developing countries by providing support to the private sector. In collaboration with other investors, IFC invests in commercial enterprises through both loans and equity financing; and 4) The Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA) helps encourage investment in developing countries by providing guarantees to foreign investors against loss caused by noncommercial risks. The World Bank established a WID Office in 1985 (?) to better integrate gender issues into its activities.

World Health Organization (WHO)
525 23rd Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20037
Phone: (202) 861-3200
Fax: (202) 223-5971

WHO is an intergovernmental organization within the United Nations system whose objective is the attainment by all peoples of the highest possible level of health. WHO has two main constitutional functions: to act as the directing and coordinating authority on international health work; and to encourage technical cooperation for health with 166 Member States. WHO projects work in the following areas: immunization, tropical diseases, malaria, diarrhoeal diseases, acute respiratory infections, safe motherhood, sexually transmitted diseases, AIDS, noncommunicable diseases, mental health, health and the environment, food safety, urbanization, shelter, sustainable development, human resources development, health protection and promotion, rehabilitation, injury, worker's health, prevention of blindness, oral health, tobacco or health, health of the elderly, nutrition, and action programme on essential drugs.

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