# ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT
# to the
# WHITE HOUSE INITIATIVE
# on
# HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

**FY 2003**

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## I. Executive Summary

In FY 2003, U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) awards to Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU) totaled $21,058,207. Awards to HBCUs in FY 2003 continued to be made primarily in the Research and Development, Fellowships, Third Party Awards, and Student Financial Assistance categories.

The USAID Minority Serving Institutions Unit's continued efforts in FY 2003 resulted in prime awards to HBCUs in both the Iraq Reconstruction initiative and the Farmer-to-farmer program. The MSI Unit working with the program offices and the Office of Procurement was able to add language to the solicitations to encourage the participation of MSIs including two set-asides under the Farmer-to-farmer program.

USAID remains committed to increasing the participation of HBCUs in its programs and activities and hopes that the recommendations of the MSI Committee and the work of the MSI Unit will help increase awards made to HBCUs in FY 2004.

## II. Summary of Total Awards to HBCUs, by Category: FY 2003

1. U. S. Agency for International Development (USAID)
   Department/Agency

2. Constance B. Newman — MSI Chairperson
   Name/Signature of Representative — Title

3. Total funds for awards to institutions of higher education (IHEs): $269,555,141

| CATEGORY | AWARDS TO IHE+ | AWARDS TO HBCUs | Awards to HBCUs as % of total awards to IHE |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. Research & Development | $243,655,741 | $15,594,183 | 6% |
| 2. Program Evaluation | | | |
| 3. Training | | | |
| 4. Facilities and Equipment | | | |
| 5. Fellowships, Traineeships, Internships, Recruitment and IPAs | | $792,097 | |
| 6. Student Tuition Assistance, Scholarships, and Other Aid | $25,899,400 | $2,921,927 | 11% |
| 7. Direct Institutional Subsidies | | | |
| 8. Third Party Awards | | $1,725,000 | |
| 9. Private Sector Involvement | | | |
| 10. Administrative Infrastructure | | | |
| 11. Other | | $25,000 | |
| **Total** | **$269,555,141** | **$21,058,207** | **8%** |

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## III. USAID FEDERAL AGENCY AWARDS TO INSTITUTIONS
## FY 2003

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | TPA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **ALABAMA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALABAMA A&M | 467,500 | | | | | | | | | | | 467,500 |
| ALABAMA STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BISHOP STATE COMM. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CARVER CAMPUS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CONCORDIA COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FREDD STATE TECH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GADSDEN STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LAWSON STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MILES COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OAKWOOD COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SELMA UNIVERSITY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J.F. DRAKE TECH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| STILLMAN COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TALLADEGA COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TRENHOLM STATE TECH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TUSKEGEE UNIVERSITY | 510,000 | | | | | 27,360 | | | | | | 537,360 |
| **ARKANSAS** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ARKANSAS BAPTIST | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PHILANDER SMITH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SHORTER COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| U. OF ARKANSAS @ PB | 17,626 | | | | | | | | | | | 17,626 |
| **DELAWARE** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DELAWARE STATE | | | | | 13,333 | | | | | | | 13,333 |
| **DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HOWARD UNIVERSITY | 103,769 | | | | 23,333 | 33,340 | | 125,000 | | | | 285,442 |
| UNIV. OF D. C. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | TPA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **FLORIDA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BETHUNE COOKMAN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EDWARD WATERS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FLORIDA A&M | 447,885 | | | | 23,333 | 22,500 | | 125,000 | | | | 618,718 |
| FLORIDA MEMORIAL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **GEORGIA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALBANY STATE | 467,500 | | | | | | | | | | | 467,500 |
| CLARK ATLANTA U. | | | | | 13,333 | | | 50,000 | | | | 63,333 |
| FORT VALLEY STATE | 2,340 | | | | | | | | | | | 2,340 |
| MOREHOUSE COLLEGE | | | | | 13,333 | | | | | | | 13,333 |
| MOREHOUSE MEDICAL | 65,800 | | | | | | | | | | | 65,800 |
| MORRIS BROWN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PAINE COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAVANNAH STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SPELMAN COLLEGE | | | | | 13,333 | | | 175,000 | | | | 188,333 |
| **KENTUCKY** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| KENTUCKY STATE | | | | | | 1,070,449 | | | | | | 1,070,449 |
| **LOUISIANA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DILLARD UNIVERSITY | 467,500 | | | | | | | | | | | 467,500 |
| GRAMBLING STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SOUTHERN U. & A&M | 17,626 | | | | | | | 200,000 | | | | 217,626 |
| SOUTHERN/BATON ROUGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SOUTHERN/NEW ORLEANS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SOUTHERN/SHREVEPORT | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| XAVIER UNIVERSITY | | | | | 13,333 | | | | | | | 13,333 |
| **MARYLAND** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOWIE STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| COPPIN STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MORGAN STATE | | | | | | 102,771 | | 200,000 | | | | 302,771 |
| U. OF MARYLAND ES | 1,955,878 | | | | 452,100 | | | | | | | 2,407,978 |

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | TPA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **MICHIGAN** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LEWIS COLLEGE OF BUS. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **MISSISSIPPI** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALCORN STATE | 17,626 | | | | | | | | | | | 17,626 |
| COAHOMA JR. COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HINDS COMM. COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| JACKSON STATE | | | | | | 415,900 | | 200,000 | | | | 615,900 |
| MARY HOLMES | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MISSISSIPPI CONSORTIUM | 5,190,364 | | | | | 34,265 | | 50,000 | | | | 5,274,629 |
| MISSISSIPPI VALLEY | 50,000 | | | | | | | | | | | 50,000 |
| RUST COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOUGALOO COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **MISSOURI** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HARRIS STOWE STATE | | | | | | 1,170,618 | | | | | | 1,170,618 |
| LINCOLN UNIVERSITY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **NORTH CAROLINA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BARBER-SCOTIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BENNETT COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ELIZABETH CITY STATE | 884,400 | | | | | | | | | | | 884,400 |
| FAYETTEVILLE STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| JOHNSON C. SMITH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LIVINGSTONE COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N. C. A&T STATE | 445,796 | | | | | | | | | | | 445,796 |
| N. C. CENTRAL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ST. AUGUSTINE | 467,500 | | | | | | | | | | | 467,500 |
| SHAW UNIVERSITY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WINSTON-SALEM STATE | | | | | | | | 50,000 | | | | 50,000 |
| **OHIO** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CENTRAL STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILBERFORCE UNIV. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **OKLAHOMA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LANGSTON UNIV. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | TPA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **PENNSYLVANIA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CHEYNEY UNIV. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LINCOLN UNIV. | | | | | | | | 200,000 | | | | 200,000 |
| **SOUTH CAROLINA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALLEN UNIVERSITY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BENEDICT COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CLAFLIN COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CLINTON JR. COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DENMARK TECH. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MORRIS COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| S. C. STATE UNIV. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| VOORHEES COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **TENNESSEE** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FISK UNIV. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| KNOXVILLE COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LANE COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LEMOYNE-OWEN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MEHARRY MEDICAL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TENNESSEE STATE | | | | | | 21,224 | | | | | | 21,224 |
| **TEXAS** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HUSTON-TILLOTSON | | | | | | | | 50,000 | | | | 50,000 |
| JARVIS CHRISTIAN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PAUL QUINN COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PRAIRIE VIEW A&M | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAINT PHILLIP'S | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SOUTHWESTERN CHRIST. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TEXAS COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TEXAS SOUTHERN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILEY COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | TPA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **VIRGINIA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HAMPTON UNIV. | 3,243,180 | | | | 13,333 | | | | | | | 3,256,513 |
| NORFOLK STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAINT PAUL'S | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| VIRGINIA STATE | 652,193 | | | | 13,333 | | | | | | | 665,526 |
| VIRGINIA UNION | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **WEST VIRGINIA** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLUEFIELD STATE | 19,700 | | | | | 23,500 | | | | | | 43,200 |
| W. VIRGINIA STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| UNIV. OF THE V. I. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **HBCU CONSORTIUMS AND ORGANIZATIONS** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MINORITY HEALTH PROF. | | | | | 200,000 | | | | | | | 200,000 |
| HBCU/MI CONSORTIUM | 100,000 | | | | | | | | | | | 100,000 |
| UNCFSPC IDP | | | | | | | | 300,000 | | | 25,000 | 325,000 |
| **GRAND TOTAL** | 15,594,183 | | | | 792,097 | 2,921,927 | | 1,725,000 | | | 25,000 | 21,058,207 |

CATEGORIES

R&D - RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT
PE - PROGRAM EVALUATION
TRAINING
F&E - FACILITIES & EQUIPMENT
FELLOWS- FELLOWSHIPS, RECRUITMENT, IPA
SFA - STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
DIS - DIRECT INSTITUTIONAL SUBSIDIES
TPA - THIRD PARTY AWARDEES
PSI - PRIVATE SECTOR INVOLVEMENT
AI - ADMINISTRATIVE INFRASTRUCTURE

## IV. Awards to HBCUs and Narrative Information

### A. Introduction

USAID awards to HBCUs in FY 2003 totaled $21,058,207. Of this amount, $15,594,183 was awarded for technical assistance (i.e., Research and Development) activities; $792,097 was awarded for fellowships, internships and IPAs; $2,921,927 was awarded for participant training (i.e., Student Tuition Assistance) activities; $1,725,000 was awarded for third party awards, and $25,000 was award to assistance with the Global Partnerships Conference.

USAID remains committed to increasing the participation of HBCUs in its programs and activities, and will continue to identify programs and ways in which HBCUs can become partners with USAID in the international development arena.

### B. Overview of USAID

The USAID is the independent federal agency that administers the U.S. Foreign Assistance Program. USAID has four regional Bureaus (Africa; Asia and the Near East; Latin America and the Caribbean; and Europe and Eurasia) and three central Bureaus (Legislative and Public Affairs; Policy and Program Coordination; and Management). USAID now has three program pillars: 1) Economic Growth, Agriculture, and Trade; 2) Global Health; and, 3) Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance. Each operating unit has a strategic plan which includes one or more strategic objectives that must fall within the overall Agency goals (for Regional Bureaus, this includes overseas missions and USAID offices in Washington that receive program funding). All projects and activities funded by USAID operating units must support the strategic objectives articulated in their approved strategic plan.

### C. Summary of USAID Involvement and Accomplishments with Historically Black Colleges and Universities in FY 2002

USAID has benefited from HBCU involvement in its programs and activities for many years. In FY 2003, HBCU participation in USAID programs and activities included:

-- **Research and Development** or what USAID commonly refers to as technical assistance activities and sub-grants under an inter-agency Reimbursable Services Support Agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA/RSSA);

-- **Student Tuition Assistance** (which USAID commonly refers to as participant training programs) for students from USAID countries. These students attended HBCUs for long and short-term technical and academic training;

-- **Fellowships, Internships, and IPAs:** Fellowships are provided to HBCU graduate and undergraduate students under the Bureau for Global Health's Population Fellows Program's HBCU Initiative. Fellowships are also provided to HBCU Faculty in international population and health programs. Internships are provided to graduate students from HBCUs to work in a USAID Mission in Africa. USAID has an IPA from a HBCU who is responsible for the management of the Education for Democracy and Development Initiative (EDDI).

-- **Other Activities**: Sponsoring conferences, meetings and seminars.

## D. Agency-Wide Activities and Initiatives

### 1. Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Committee

USAID's Minority Serving Institutions Committee (MSIC) was established in 1994 to ensure compliance with the various Executive Orders concerning Minority Serving Institutions (MSIs). The MSIC develops and recommends policies and activities to increase the participation of MSIs in USAID programs. The MSI Committee chairperson is Constance B. Newman, Assistant Administrator for Africa. The committee membership is comprised of senior level representatives from each of USAID's Bureaus and independent offices. The MSIC meets every 6-8 weeks.

### 2. Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Unit

USAID has a MSI Unit located in the Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization, which serves as the secretariat of the MSI Committee. The MSI Unit consists of the MSI Coordinator and an Administrative Operations Specialist. The MSI Unit is responsible for data collection, information sharing, and providing advice and counsel to HBCUs and other MSIs. They also provide guidance to USAID Bureaus and missions in developing activities and initiatives to increase the participation of HBCUs and other MSIs in USAID programs.

The following HBCU-specific activities were carried out by the MSI Unit in FY 2003:

- November 2002: Participated in the White House Initiative/HBCU Regional Technical Assistant Workshop at Mississippi Valley State University.

- November 2002: Participated in the International Reproductive Health: Challenges, Priorities, and Opportunities for Historically Black Colleges and Universities Conference sponsored by the Minority Health Professions Foundation (MHPF) in collaboration with JHPIEGO and the United States Agency for International Development.

- December 2002: Participated in the Professional Agriculture Workers Conference at Tuskegee University.

- March 2003: USAID Administrator, Andrew Natsios, addressed the UNCF Special Programs Corporation's Global Partnerships Conference.

- March 2003: Participated in the WHI/HBCU International Technical Assistance Workshop at the University of the Virgin Islands, St. Croix, USVI.

- March 2003: Participated in the Annual NAFEO Conference.

- July 2003: Participated as an exhibitor and presenter at the NAFEO Presidential Peer Seminar in Palm Beach, FL.

- September 2003: USAID hosted a reception at the 2003 National HBCU Conference. The Administrator, Andrew Natsios addressed the participants and presented the USAID-HBCU Partnership Award to Fisk University, Albany State University, Jackson State University, St. Augustine's College, Dillard University, Elizabeth City State University, Huston-Tillotson College, Winston-Salem State University, Morgan State University, and Alabama A&M University. Mr. Alfred Harding, MSI Coordinator, addressed the International session.

During FY 2003, the MSI Unit participated actively in the monthly meetings of the White House Initiative on HBCU's International Cluster. The MSI Unit was responsible for the development and approval of the Annual Performance Report on HBCUs which was submitted to the White House Initiative on HBCUs and OMB.

## E. Bureau Activities and Initiatives

## 1. Bureau for Economic Growth, Agriculture and Trade (EGAT)

### a. Office of Education (EGAT/ED)

#### i. International Development Partnerships (IDP)

The United Negro College Fund Special Programs Corporation (UNCFSP) has been the entity that is responsible for administering and managing the International Development Partnerships (IDP) program through a USAID cooperative agreement since FY 1998. The IDP program is a five year program designed to increase the involvement of Historically Black Colleges and Universities in international development activities in Africa, Europe/Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean, to increase the capacity of universities in developing countries to contribute to national development, and to help USAID Missions achieve their strategic objectives. In FY 2003, UNCFSP awarded linkage grants valued at $200,000 each to:

a. **Morgan State University** in partnership with Universidad Tecnologica de Honduras to reactivate a program to meet the needs of the poor to improve of access to basic instruction and vocation skills, and to increase respect for human rights. **Amount Awarded: $200,000.**

b. **Jackson State University** in partnership with Mahatma Ghandi College in India to enhance the institutional capacity of Mahatma Ghandi College and to improve business development in the Guntur region of India. **Amount Awarded: $200,000.**

c. The partnership between **Lincoln University** in Pennsylvania and the Autonomous Regions of the Caribbean Coast of Nicaragua, which will focus on creating programs and academic infrastructures capable of enriching the academic and global experience of students and faculty. **Amount Awarded: $200,000**.

d. The partnership between the Schools of Business of **Southern University and A&M College** in Louisiana and Makerere University in Uganda which is designed to internationalize both business schools through curriculum enhancement and development of new international business

programs, improve instructional and research competency of faculty, and to position Makerere University's School of Business Small Business Development Center to provide entrepreneurship and to export readiness training workshops to Uganda's small- and medium-sized businesses. **Amount Awarded: $200,000.**

During FY 2003, UNCFSP also provided technical assistance to HBCUs in developing proposals and understanding how USAID operates, in an effort to expand HBCU participation in USAID programs. Funding awarded to UNCFSP for IDP totaled $1,100,000, which included $300,000 for administrative costs. The USAID Office of Education also provided $25,000 to UNCFSP to support the Global Partnerships Conference in March 2003.

### ii. Cross Hemispheric Partnerships

Cross Hemispheric Partnerships is a program between HBCUs and Afro-Latino organizations and universities that focuses on curriculum development in Latin American Studies, with emphasis on Afro-Latino Studies for K-12 teachers. The following partnerships were awarded in FY 2003:

- **Huston-Tillotson College** in collaboration with the University of Costa Rica and the Instituto Technologico of Monterrary in Mexico to create an interdisciplinary Afro-Latino Studies course for educators that will examine the historical and cultural aspects of the Afro-Mexico and Afro-Costa Rican experiences. **Amount Awarded: $50,000.**

- The **Winston-Salem State University** partnership with the University of Veracruz in Mexico to lay the foundation for a minor in Latin American Studies with an emphasis on Afro-Latinos. **Amount Awarded: $50,000.**

- **Mississippi Consortium for International Development** in partnership with Bluefields Indian and Caribbean University in Nicaragua to build capacity at all institutions in Latin American studies. **Amount Awarded: $50,000.**

- **Clark Atlanta University** in partnership with the University of Autonomous Regions of the Caribbean Coast of Nicaragua that

proposes to address deficiencies in the teaching of Latin American studies in colleges and public schools. **Amount Awarded: $50,000.**

- **Spelman College** in partnership with the Fundacion AfroAmerica in Venezuela and Thomasville Heights Elementary School in Atlanta, Georgia to address a void that exists in the curriculum of U.S. colleges and universities and primary and secondary schools concerning the histories and cultures of people of African descent in Latin America. **Amount Awarded: $50,000.**

### iii. Institutional Partnerships in Higher Education for International Development

In FY 2003, the Association Liaison Office (ALO), through a cooperative agreement funded by USAID for linkage grants to be awarded to U.S. institutions of higher education (IHE), continued to make awards to the entire higher education community for linkage grants under Institutional Partnerships in Higher Education for International Development activity. In FY 2003, three HBCUs were awarded ALO grants: Howard University, Florida A&M University, and Spelman College.

- **Howard University** and the University of the Western Cape (UWC) are collaborating to develop and execute a comprehensive university HIV/AIDS policy to improve UWC's capacity to manage the HIV/AIDS epidemic within the campus environment. **Amount Awarded: $125,000.**

- **Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University** and the University of Zululand (UZ) seek to enhance the public administration and management capacity of UZ and the KwaZulu Natal Province. Its goal is to maximize the efficiency and effectiveness of the local governments, thereby making them more responsive to citizens' needs. **Amount Awarded: $125,000.**

- **Spelman College** in partnerships with Mangosuthu Technikon (Mantec) seeks to increase Mantec's capacity to undertake and sustain efforts to raise its visibility and to secure and manage grants, contracts, and financial support from government, industry, non-governmental organizations, and alumni of the institution. **Amount Awarded: $125,000.**

### iii. Participant Training

In FY 2003, EGAT/EDs Participant Training program funded 106 trainees at eight HBCUs for a total of $2,335,327. USAID's automated directives system, chapter 253—Training for Development, defines "participant" as a host country resident or national taking part, under USAID sponsorship, in a structured learning activity. All program-funded training of "participants" is called "participant training."

Participant training may be either short-term technical skill development activities or longer-term, academic degree programs for mid- to high-level professionals from the public and private sectors that may be conducted in the U.S., in third countries, or in-country, depending on the objectives to be achieved and the most efficient, results-oriented, cost-effective manner. Training is a structured experience that helps individuals acquire new, predetermined knowledge, skills, and attitudes, to address and/or solve targeted operational problems. All USAID participant training supports the achievement of Mission's Strategic Objectives and Intermediate Results. It cuts across all sectors of the Agency's development portfolio and supports all other interventions. The participation training institutions currently receiving funds from EGAT/ED are listed below.

| HBCUs (# of trainees) | AMOUNT |
|---|---|
| Harris Stowe State College (37) | $1,170,618 |
| Howard University (3) | $ 33,340 |
| Jackson State University (17) | $ 415,900 |
| Kentucky State University (36) | $ 529,849 |
| Mississippi Consortium (6) | $ 34,265 |
| Morgan State University (5) | $ 102,771 |
| Tennessee State University (1) | $ 21,224 |
| Tuskegee University (1) | $ 27,360 |
| **TOTAL** | **$2,335,327** |

### b. Economic Growth and Agriculture Development (EGAT/EGAD)

In FY 2003, the Center for Economic Growth and Agricultural Development (EGAD) made awards to HBCUs that were participants with other U.S. IHE in agricultural research activities under the EGAT/EGAD Collaborative Research

Support Programs (CRSPs). A description of these activities and HBCU participation follows:

### i. Peanut CRSP

The goals of the Peanut CRSP are to enhance the peanut research capability of developing countries and in the United States, and to focus this increased capability on development of technology that will help remove constraints limiting sustainable production and utilization. The Peanut CRSP enhances the potential of peanut as a crop for human food and animal feed in host countries and the United States, while contributing to the increase of rural incomes.

a. **North Carolina A&T State University** is focusing its attentions on value adding peanut-based industries in Senegal and in the USA. The program has expanded its training activities and trainees in this program and won awards at the International Food Technologists meeting. The goals of North Carolina A&T State University are to improve the use of the peanut as a direct food source and food ingredient in West Africa, particularly Ghana. Use of peanuts in weaning foods is a priority. **Amount Awarded: $12,500.**

b. **Florida A&M University** is working to apply biotechnology to assist in breeding for drought and aflatoxin resistant peanuts. Collaboration has been established with institutes in India, Bangladesh and Georgia. **Amount Awarded: $65,000.**

### ii. Other HBCU Agricultural Research work included:

a. The **University of Maryland-Eastern Shore** was awarded a sub-grant under a U.S. Department of Agriculture - Resources Support Services Agreement (USDA/RSSA) to provide technical support and expertise in the areas of agriculture policy and sector planning, biodiversity micro enterprise and other agriculture related fields. **Amount Awarded: $1,100,000.**

b. **The John Ogonowski Farmer-to-Farmer (FTF) Program**

The FTF Program was authorized by the U.S. Congress as a direct person-to-person program. The purpose of the FTF program is to assist developing countries, middle-income countries and emerging democracies to increase farm

production and farmer incomes, thereby increasing food production and distribution and improving the effectiveness of the farming and marketing operations.

The FTF Program supports three priority areas:

1. Promoting open and competitive economies;
2. Developing science and technology to improve agricultural productivity, natural resource management marketing, and human nutrition; and
3. Expanding access to economic opportunities for the poor.

**Florida A&M University** received a cooperative agreement as a prime implementing agency. FAMU's program will provide 85 U.S. volunteers to support development of 28 producer organizations in South Africa with membership of historically disadvantaged rural people who are receiving land allotments. **Award amount: $300,000.**

**Virginia State University** received a cooperative agreement as a prime implementing agency. VSU will provide 82 U.S. volunteers to work with development of rural extension services and promote household income diversification in Ethiopia and Eritrea and to improve watershed management in Ethiopia. **Award amount: $300,000.**

**Farmer-to-Farmer Sub-grants**

- Sub-grants were awarded by Opportunities Industries Centers International (OICI) for work in Western Africa to provide for placement of U.S. volunteers to work on horticultural and nontraditional products production and marketing in Ghana, Mali, and Senegal; producer organization strengthening in Nigeria; and agribusiness development and natural resources management in Guinea. Each university received a sub-grant in the amount of $17,626. **Total amount awarded: $88,130.**

**Subgrantees:** **Alcorn State University**
**North Carolina A&T State University**
**Southern University and A&M College**
**University of Maryland-Eastern Shore**
**University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff**

- **University of Maryland-Eastern Shore** was awarded a sub-grant from Land O'Lakes to provide placement of U.S. volunteers in Southern Africa to work on dairy production and marketing in Malawi and Zambia; horticultural production in Angola; and cashew production and marketing in Mozambique. **Amount Awarded: $103,500.**

- **Florida A&M University** was awarded a sub-grant with Partners of the Americas for work in the Caribbean will provide for placement of US volunteers to work on high value crop production and marketing in Haiti, Guyana, and Jamaica. **Amount Awarded: $56,868.**

- **Virginia State University** was awarded a sub-grant from ACDI/VOCA to provide for placement of volunteers in Kenya and Uganda to support producer organization development and maize, dairy and horticultural development. **Amount Awarded: $114,702.**

**c. Natural Resources Management (EGAT/NRM)**

In FY 2003, EGAT/NRM continued its support to North Carolina A&T State University, Fort Valley State University, and Florida A&M University. North Carolina A&T State University will continue its work on peri-urban horticulture in Mali. Fort Valley State University will continue to work in Uganda on Integrated Pest Management (IPM) of vegetable crops. Florida A&M University will continue to work in Ecuador on IPM of plantains and potatoes.

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| **North Carolina A&T State University** | **$ 25,670** |
| **Fort Valley State University** | **$ 2,340** |
| **Florida A&M University** | **$ 6,237** |

**d. Energy and Information Technology (EGAT/EIT)**

**Howard University** received funding from the Office of Energy and Information Technology to conduct a faculty development program for professors at the Université de Bamako, Mali to: train 150 Université de Bamako professors from five colleges in the use of the Internet in research and teaching; train 25 Université de Bamako professors from five establishments in the techniques of web page design; conduct a pilot project in curriculum development at the Université de Bamako; and train 90 Université de Bamako professors from five colleges in the techniques of training others in the use of the Internet in research and teaching. **Amount Awarded: $103,769.**

## 2. BUREAU FOR GLOBAL HEALTH

### a. Population Fellows Program

This Initiative which began in 1994 is an effort being undertaken by the University of Michigan, with USAID funding. The Initiative supports training, internships and two-year fellowships for students from HBCUs. Students are recruited who excel in their areas of study, have an interest in international family planning or population-environment, and are willing to supplement their graduate programs with training in international health and family planning and/or environmental studies. To increase the group of potential candidates, the program has been expanded to include summer internships to a promising group of undergraduates to introduce these students to the field before they have settled on another career path. Students participated in the program from the HBCUS listed below during FY 2002. **Amount Awarded: $120,000.**

**HBCUs Involved**

**Clark-Atlanta University**
**Florida A&M University**
**Howard University**
**Spelman College**
**Xavier University of Louisiana**
**Delaware State University**
**Hampton University**
**Morehouse College**
**Virginia State University**

### b. HBCU/MI Consortium w/Pact/Community REACH

Through a collaborative partnership Pact's Community REACH Program, the **Historically Black Colleges and Universities/Minority Institutions** (HBCU/MI) Consortium has been working to establish its role as a potential new USAID partner. In FY 2003 HBCU/MI staff and members participated in USAID Office of HIV/AIDS meetings on Presidential Initiatives and in particular, on developing a twinning relationship with African counterparts.

The HBCU/MI consortium is made up of more that 25 colleges and universities around the United States. **Award amount: $100,000**

**HBCU INSTITUTIONS:**

Alabama State University
Coppin State College
Bowie State University
Delaware State University

Florida A&M University
Lincoln University
Meharry Medical College
Tennessee State University
Virginia State University
Hampton University
Medgar Evers College
Morgan State University
University of the District of Columbia
York College

## 3. BUREAU FOR POLICY AND PROGRAM COORDINATION

The Bureau for Policy and Program Coordination reported funding awarded to **North Carolina A&T State University** in FY 2003 via a sub-grant through a Participating Agency Service Agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA/PASA). PASA personnel are used in a variety of tasks across sectors in which PPC conducts program activities. **Award Amount: $390,000.**

## 4. BUREAU FOR AFRICA

The Bureau for Africa reported funding provided to HBCUs in FY 2003 through activities being implemented under several technical areas and special program initiatives. These activities were as follows:

### a. Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources

**Tuskegee University** received funding to develop micro & small enterprises and improved bio-diversity conservation by using a community-based approach for natural resource management. **Amount Awarded: $450,000**.

**Tuskegee University** was awarded a sub-grant under a U.S. Department of Agriculture - Resources Support Services Agreement (USDA/RSSA), to provide technical assistance in agriculture. **Amount Awarded: $ 60,000.**

The **University of Maryland-Eastern Shore** was awarded a sub-grant under a U.S. Department of Agriculture - Resources Support Services Agreement (USDA/RSSA), to provide technical and professional leadership for the Bureau for Africa in policy, outreach, strategic planning, results management, M&E, and African institutional capacity building. **Amount Awarded: $ 149,166.**

**Virginia State University** received funding from USAID/Ethiopia to support to the AMAREW Project is agricultural research and the primary areas of focus are in:

- Developing strategies for the control of the recently introduced noxious weed, *Parthenium*; and
- Promoting the production and utilization of the potentially important new oil crop, *Vernonia*.

**Amount Awarded: $237,491.**

**b. Education**

i. **African Education Initiative** - In June 2002, President Bush formally announced the Africa Education Initiative (AEI) to increase access to quality basic educational opportunities for Africa. Through this initiative, six HBCUs are working in collaboration with six African institutions of higher education to develop 4.5 million textbooks and other learning tools for children in Africa.

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| **Hampton University** (consortium lead) | $3,243,180 |
| **Elizabeth City State University** (Senegal) | $ 884,400 |
| **Albany State University** (Mali) | $ 467,500 |
| **Dillard University** (Guinea) | $ 467,500 |
| **St. Augustine's College** (Benin) | $ 467,500 |
| **Alabama A&M University** (Ethiopia) | $ 467,500 |
| **Amount Awarded:** | **$5,997,580** |

ii. The **University of Maryland-Eastern Shore** was awarded a sub-grant under a U.S. Department of Agriculture - Resources Support Services Agreement (USDA/RSSA), provides expert leadership for the Africa Education Initiative in the areas of interagency coordination, program direction, strategic management, African consultation, private sector liaison, coordination with other donors and budget management. **Amount Awarded: $452,100.**

iii. The **University of Maryland-Eastern Shore** provided support for numerous Leland Initiative activities, including country assessments, program design, implementation, monitoring and reporting. **Amount Awarded: $517,685.**

**c. Health**

**Morehouse School of Medicine** provided consultation in Primary Health Care to strengthen and improve the quality of performance of health care workers at the health facility and community levels in Liberia. **Amount Awarded: $65,800.**

### d. Africa Bureau HBCU Summer Intern Program

The Africa Bureau has operated a limited HBCU summer intern program since 1996. It is a program which provides primarily graduate students from HBCUs with an opportunity to live in an African country and work with a USAID field mission during the summer months. The Africa Bureau HBCU summer intern program continues to generate much interest and enthusiasm from both the institutions of higher learning and from USAID field missions in Africa. It has proven to be a worthwhile, although time-intensive undertaking.

FY 2003 HBCU placements were as follows:
(one student per mission, $5000/mission)

- **Howard University** to USAID/Ghana
- **Florida A&M University** to USAID/Mozambique

USAID field missions in Africa provided housing, in-country travel and a small monthly stipend to the students, while the schools and students were responsible for the international airfare. The program continues to be a powerful summer experience for the students and very worthwhile endeavor for the missions involved. **Amount Awarded: $10,000**

### d. Minority Health Professions Foundation (MHPF)

The MHPF is a consortium of nine HBCUS: Charles Drew University, Florida A&M University, Hampton University, Howard University, Meharry Medical College, Morehouse School of Medicine, Texas Southern University, Tuskegee University and Xavier University of Louisiana. The program strengthens the capacity of HBCUs in USAID international population and health programs. **Amount Awarded: $200,000.**

## 5. BUREAU FOR ASIA AND THE NEAR EAST

### a. Iraq Higher Education and Development Partnerships

The Higher Education and Development (HEAD) program for Iraq is one of USAID's most significant engagements with the university community in recent

years. The universities will support the work of the Coalitional Provisional Authority (CPA) to strengthen the capacity of Iraqi universities.

The **Mississippi Consortium for International Development**, a consortium of four HBCUs, received an award to provide assistance to the University of Mosul to assist the university in becoming a premier education and research institution of advanced learning in Iraq and the Middle East. This partnership will target its efforts on strengthening the University of Mosul's leadership role in a new Iraq by targeting public health and sanitation as the main sectors of support. The University of Mosul will develop new avenues to strengthen civil society organizations which will be important partners working in these sectors. **Amount Awarded: $4,990,364.**

The Oklahoma Higher Education Partnership (OHEP), which includes Cameron University, Oklahoma State University and **Langston University**, an HBCU, will provide technical expertise to Iraq's universities and technical colleges. The program will help the universities provide access to research and academic databases, which were previously unavailable under the Hussein regime. The program will encourage Iraqi higher education administrators, faculty and students to engage in the revitalization of Iraq's higher education system. Some of the initiatives include the establishment and maintenance of the academic exchange program, promoting collaborative research and providing opportunities for faculty and students to interact.

## 6. BUREAU FOR EUROPE AND EURASIA

a. **Bluefield State College** worked on Bulgarian hospital reform under the EGAT Participant Training Activity implemented through World Learning. A group of 11 high-level hospital administrators and local government health officials were exposed to different ways to form networks and partnerships among hospitals and health-related institutions located in one region or in neighboring regions in order to increase efficiency and provide better services to patients. **Amount Awarded: $23,500.**

b. **Bluefield State College** assisted in the development of media network management in Croatia. **Amount Awarded: $6,000.**

c. **Bluefield State College** worked on the development of the Tehnokoop Furniture Company in Macedonia. The furniture company's executive manager toured West Virginia's furniture and related businesses to study

management information systems, how client and market information are integrated with financial data and production to predict costs and profitability, and ways by which a customer- focused approach to marketing can be developed. **Amount Awarded: $6,900.**

d. **Bluefield State College** worked on the development of Macedonia's Treska Furniture Factory that is still struggling from privatization in the late 1990's. **Amount Awarded: $6,800.**

e. **Mississippi Valley State University (MVSU)**, through the Mississippi Consortium for International Development, is working with Baku State University (BSU) in Azerbaijan to develop an architectural design curriculum. Students from BSU attend MSVU for training and professors from MVSU attend BSU. **Amount Awarded: $50,000.**

f. **Florida A&M University / North Florida International Visitors Center** worked on improving municipal social services for citizens under the EGAT Participant Training Activity implemented through World Learning. Twelve representatives of municipalities, along with Bulgaria's Agency for Social Assistance, and NGOs dealing with municipal issues learned about different ways to expand and improve the provision of social services in Bulgaria. **Amount Awarded: $22,500.**

g. **Florida A&M University / North Florida International Visitors Center** ran the Anti-corruption Training Program for Albanian Public and Civil Society Officials. The program is aimed at exposing the participants to various measures and safeguards that have been put in place at the state and local government levels in the U.S. to reduce opportunities for corruption. **Amount Awarded: $4,000.**

h. **Florida A&M University / North Florida International Visitors Center** assisted in the development of the Macedonian eggs industry. **Amount Awarded: $15,780.**

**7. Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean**

a. Under LAC's Cuba program, **Mississippi Consortium for International Development** at Jackson State University was awarded a two-year grant to implement a leadership and community development training program that will empower local non-government organizations in Cuba to develop and