International Education Committee
Dec. 7, 2006, International House

In attendance: Azyz Sharafy, Alex Glashausser, Dmitri Nizovtsev, Mary Sheldon, Brian Ogawa, Shirley Dinkel, Kent Stone, and Baili Zhang.

1. Minutes of Nov. 16 ’06 meeting were approved.

2. Zhang reported that the Phi Beta Delta/ IEC holiday dinner is Dec. 8 in the i-House; Study Abroad Award ceremony is Dec. 3-4; and international student graduation reception is Dec. 13, 4-5. Glashausser reported that the Law School Dean’s search was going well and the candidates were strong.

3. Old business: the Rwanda proposal was officially approved as a WTE-eligible program based on Altman’s addendum to the original proposal.

4. The following funding requests were approved:
   Eric Bosse: $935 to Italy
   Gordon Crews: $1,200 to Ghana
   Angela Crews: $1,200 to Ghana
   Lyn Goering: $1,200 to Kenya

   Bosse’s vote was 4-3 with Zhang abstaining; the others were unanimous.

5. Two group WTE study abroad programs were reviewed and discussed and approved as TWE-eligible:
   J Karen Ray’s proposal: Introduction to Irish Culture
   Alan Bearman’s proposal: Road to Reformation

6. Three students, Ruskin Kwofie, Jordab Frieb, and James Dummermuth’s proposal to travel to Ghana were discussed. The students were invited to join the meeting to answer questions. The committee expressed appreciation for their enthusiasm and interest. No action was taken. It was decided that the members would communicate and vote by email.

Respectfully submitted,

Baili Zhang