

International Education Committee
October 12, 2006, International House

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

1. Minutes of September 7 '06 meeting were approved.
2. WTE Scholarship Procedure document was approved
3. Boncella and Stoica's amendments to their funding applications were accepted.
4. Zhang reported that two German artists were on campus performing and conducting master classes for the Music and Modern Language Departments and that the Trade Mission to China group departed on October 12. Dinkel reported that the School of Nursing had just hosted five scholars from Hungary, Finland, and Northern Ireland. Glashausser reported that the Law School faculty had approved the proposal to enter into a consortium of American and South African law schools to allow students and faculty the opportunity to study abroad.
5. Stone volunteered to serve on the Study Abroad Scholarship Subcommittee with the approval of the full committee.
6. Modern Languages Department's proposal to set up an exchange program with the Fachhochschule Osnabrück in Germany was approved.
7. Three WTE study abroad programs were reviewed and discussed. Ellis's Nicaragua proposal was approved; Altman's Rwanda proposal was approved on condition that the international transformational component is articulated; Freeman's Ghana proposal was returned for more development in the areas of defining goals and identifying related activities, identifying and utilizing campus and remote resources, and pre-trip plans.
8. Faculty applications for funding to travel abroad were presented and discussed. The following actions were taken:
Deborah Altus: approved for \$1,200 to go to Milan
Elizabeth Campbell: approved for \$1,200 to go to Sydney
Patricia Joyce: approved for \$1,200 to go to Moscow
Ali Khan's proposal was approved on condition of providing more information on OIC.
Bruce Young's proposal was tabled till more information is available.
Eric Bosse's proposal was not recommended for funding.

Respectfully submitted,

Baili Zhang