

public-private partnerships

Ensuring visionary leadership for the new century requires the identification and nurture of talented young people from around the globe.

In partnership with The Goldman Sachs Foundation, the Institute conducts an annual competition on college campuses to identify 100 of the most accomplished second year university students. Fifty of those selected for "Top Honors" among the **Goldman Sachs Global Leaders** are invited to participate in the Goldman Sachs Summer Leadership Institute in New York City. In July, this select group of students had an opportunity to collaboratively examine important issues such as global leadership and the new world economy. World-renowned faculty from the Graduate School of Education and the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania, senior Goldman Sachs executives and special guest speakers from the diplomatic and non-profit sector led challenging and thought provoking seminars.

IIE works with other corporate foundation partners as well, all of which support programs to encourage and reward students who will become the leaders of the technology-driven economy of the 21st century. **The Lucent Global Science Scholars Program** is carried out in partnership with the Lucent Technologies Foundation. IIE manages this talent search in 21 countries. In July, 96 high school seniors and first year university students who have



demonstrated exceptional competence in science, math and technology were invited to participate in the program. Participants receive a financial award and take part in a weeklong Global Summit at Lucent's U.S. headquarters in New Jersey where they spend time with specially assigned mentors. IIE's New York and overseas staff, assisted by Fulbright Commissions and other local partners, manage the international aspects of this program.

To create a pool of well-trained "global engineers," equipped with the necessary foreign language ability, cross cultural skills and international experience to excel in the multinational/multicultural business environment of the 21st century, IIE and a consortium of American and European universities established the Global Engineering Education Exchange (Global E³). Over 400 students from 74 universities in 15 countries have studied engineering outside of their own countries on this pioneering program. On January 26th, the global technology company, ABB, Inc., announced a new

commitment to support the Global E³ program and provide scholarships targeted toward U.S. women engineering students who are substantially underrepresented in the field of engineering.

IIE also collaborates with corporate partners to create and manage scholarship programs for the children of their employees. **Children of Employee (COE)** scholarships can be international or domestic and usually focus on postsecondary study leading to a degree. Many companies prefer to have their COE programs administered by an independent organization such as IIE to relieve them

Former U.S. Ambassador to the UN Donald F. McHenry addressed the Goldman Sachs Global Leaders during the Summer Leadership Institute in New York City.



Shawn Baldwin

PARTICIPANTS IN THE TOYOTA INTERNATIONAL TEACHERS PROGRAM (at left) visit Japan to learn more about how industry and community partnerships there work together in support of education and the environment. The program is sponsored by Toyota Motor Sales, U.S.A., Inc.

of the administrative burdens of running such a program, and to assure that every scholarship competition is open and fair. A thorough understanding of the educational systems of different countries enables IIE to administer these scholarship programs with meticulous attention to detail. For over 20 years, IIE has administered the COE program for A.I.G., Inc. with support from The Starr Foundation. This is the largest such program administered by IIE.

Among the newest COE programs administered by IIE are the **GE Fund's STAR and ACE Scholarship Programs**. These programs provide grants for higher education, technical and vocational education, and are open to children of GE employees worldwide, with some 240 awardees each year. The GE Fund also supports in-country scholarship programs administered by IIE in India, Indonesia, South Korea, Malaysia, Mexico and Thailand, helping academically outstanding, but financially needy, undergraduates. IIE currently manages COE and other awards programs for over a dozen multinational companies.

Toyota Motor Sales, U.S.A., Inc., working in partnership with IIE, supports the **Toyota International Teachers Program** under which fifty American teachers from states where the company has operations participate in a global issues study visit to Japan. The visit highlights industry and community partnerships in education and the environment.

IIE has developed a new service to help our grantees find employment in the private, academic and non-governmental sectors when they return home upon the completion of their fellowship. **The Global Careers Service** will provide the highly talented individuals who participate in selected IIE-administered programs with opportunities for leadership-track positions in the business, academic, civic and non-governmental sectors where their leadership ability and technical skills can be utilized for individual and community advantage. The initiative will also help potential employers in the public and private sectors identify highly qualified, motivated and diverse employees who can work in culturally-varied situations at home and abroad. The Global Careers Service is designed to maximize the impact of the individual and public investment in tomorrow's leaders.