



MANAGING SCHOLARSHIPS

To help corporations, foundations, and individuals give back to their communities, promote educational opportunities, and build a skilled future workforce, IIE manages scholarship programs tailored to the specific goals of our sponsors and the countries in which they operate.

Global Scholarship Management | IIE's expert staff around the world develops and manages targeted scholarship programs to help individuals and foundations provide educational opportunities through gifts, bequests, and endowments.

From providing educational opportunities for children of employees to managing scholarships for future leaders, IIE offers services that corporations value and participants need. International Children of Employee (COE) Scholarship Programs managed by IIE provide scholarships to over 1,500 students around the world each year—a proven way for companies to retain international staff and enhance organizational benefits.



IMPACT > **GE FOUNDATION FOSTERS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.** In addition to providing crucial support to talented and disadvantaged students, the GE Foundation Scholar-Leaders Program develops leadership capabilities through a series of targeted seminars, mentor programs, and community projects. During the Program's UK summer leadership seminar, Scholar-Leaders cleaned up a London community center's playground to provide underprivileged children with a safe, clean and green environment.

In 2006, Chevron Corporation, in partnership with IIE's West Coast Regional Center, administered over 250 merit-based scholarships to enable children of Chevron's overseas employees to pursue undergraduate degrees in the country of their choice. This year, the program awarded a record 60 new renewable scholarships and ten one-year honorarium awards to students in 19 countries. IIE has also managed scholarships for AIG's employees internationally for over 30 years and administers COE programs for the GE Foundation, Lockheed Martin, Mattel, and the Phelps Dodge Foundation, among many others.

In 2006, IIE began a new partnership with the Inter-American Foundation (IAF) to administer the Grassroots Development Fellowship Program, supporting PhD field research across Latin America and the Caribbean for students from U.S. universities. Focusing on grassroots efforts to alleviate poverty in the region, IAF Fellowship recipients will share research findings and build a community of professionals and scholars concerned with grassroots development.

Connecting Corporations with Global Communities | Working locally through its offices around the world, IIE helps to build the global workforce of tomorrow. The GE Foundation Scholar-Leaders Program, administered by IIE since 1987, supports over 500 outstanding students who have financial need and those who are underrepresented in higher education geographically, ethnically, or by gender. In 2006, the program expanded to Romania and Vietnam, and now operates in fourteen countries including Brazil, Canada, the Czech Republic, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, Poland, Thailand, and the United Kingdom. Alumni of the GE Foundation Scholar-Leader Program have gone on to become leaders in the economic and social development of their home communities.

Started in 2004, the Partnership for Education and Community Development Program, supported by Philip Morris International affiliate DIN "Fabrika Duvana" Niš, has instilled a positive sense of energy and hope in the city of Niš, Serbia. In addition to awarding over 100 scholarships to local students, the program provides grants for student-led community-based projects, such as making streets wheelchair accessible, combating domestic violence against children, and tackling the city's solid waste problem, that help transform the city while teaching civic responsibility.

Building Bridges Through Educational Opportunity | Human resource development is a central concern for the petroleum industry. Thirty years ago, IIE played a pivotal role in educating and training Libyan oil professionals, many of whom have gone on to become leaders in the country's petroleum sector. In 2006, IIE launched a renewed partnership with Waha Oil Company of Libya, bringing employees to the U.S. for advanced training in geology, petroleum engineering, oil production and business management. IIE's renewed partnership with Waha Oil is among the first American initiatives with Libya as political relations between the two countries are restored. With this normalization, the Institute is resuming its partnership from the 1970s to address Libya's human capital needs.