Grant Title: BUSINESS AND INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

CFDA: 84.153A

Area of Research: Expand the capacity of the business community to engage in international economic activities.

Release & Archive Dates: October 11, 2006 release; November 22, 2006 expiration.

Application Deadline: November 21, 2006

Amount: \$50,000-110,000 per year. 26 awards.

Length of Support: Up to 2 years.

Eligible applicants: Institutions of higher education that enter into agreements with business enterprises, trade organizations or associations that are engaged in international economic activity, or a combination or consortium of these enterprises, organizations, or associations, for the purposes of pursuing the activities authorized under this program.

Agency/ Department: DOE, Office of Postsecondary Education

Summary: The purpose of this program is to enhance international business education programs and to expand the capacity of the business community to engage in international economic activities. The priority for this program is innovation and improvement of international education curricula to serve the needs of the business community, including the development of new programs for nontraditional, mid-career, or part-time students. Applications from institutions of higher education that propose educational projects that include activities focused on the targeted world areas of the Middle East, East Asia, South Asia, Russia, and Africa. These projects should be integrated into the curricula of the home institution or institutions. Preference will be given to applications that focus on developing, improving and/or disseminating best practices of international business training programs, teaching, and curriculum development to increase American competitiveness.

Detailed Information:

 $\underline{http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20061800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2006/E6-16827.htm}$