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ALLOCATIONS

Fiscal Year 2005 (October 1, 2004 - September 30, 2005)

EXPENDITURES BY LOCATION (ASIA)

Afghanistan	23,698,012
Bangladesh	3,419,340
Cambodia	5,664,760
China	10,611,470
East Timor	1,464,622
India	58,455
Indonesia	7,336,449
Japan	548,393
North Korea	599,014
South Korea	845,360
Laos	88,376
Malaysia	241,162
Mongolia	2,090,034
Nepal	2,599,647
Pacific Islands	297,014
Pakistan	3,715,338
Philippines	6,981,113
Sri Lanka	7,114,849
Taiwan	195,839
Thailand	2,191,776
Vietnam	2,350,569
Subtotal	82,111,592

EXPENSES

93% Programs
7% Administration



93% 7%

■ Programs □ Administration

U.S.-ADMINISTERED PROGRAMS

Asian-American Exchange	392,448
Books for Asia	1,944,446 ¹
Economic Reform & Development	568,318
Environment	281,146
Give2Asia	796,062
Governance, Law, & Civil Society	1,430,497
International Relations	418,204
Luce Scholars	246,923
Washington, D.C.	1,082,052
Women's Empowerment	905,562
Subtotal	8,065,657

Management, External Relations,
and Administrative Services 7,091,743

Grand Total **97,268,993²**

1. Includes San Francisco Books for Asia operations; country programs include BFA expenditures in those locations.
2. Includes \$29.4 million in in-kind contributions to the Books for Asia Program.

AFGHANISTAN

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Elections and Legislative Development

Asian Network for Free Elections

International observation mission consisting of 20 long-term and six short-term observers and a four-person in-country management team, deployed in 11 provinces over the campaign period, election day, and the vote-counting period; Production of five public statements of observation findings; One press conference; Assistance to the Joint Electoral Management Body (JEMB) and the United Nations to identify, assess, and establish voter registration and polling sites in every province of Afghanistan

Center for International Journalism

Workshops and intensive training for 350 journalists covering the elections; Roundtable discussions for 163 station managers, editors, journalists, and government officials to discuss the role of the media in parliamentary elections; Publication and/or broadcast of approximately 280 stories by training participants

Joint Electoral Management Body

Two study tours for election commissioners and senior staff to Bangladesh and Sri Lanka, with three participants to each destination; Observation of a by-election and the voter registration process; Meeting with counterpart election commissioners, political parties, security personnel, NGOs working on elections, and other election actors

Joint Electoral Management Body's Elections Resource Center

Seed funding for an Elections Resource Center library, including public outreach and archiving; Information management consultant to train staff and plan the Resource Center's books, equipment, and archiving materials

Joint Electoral Management Body's Media Commission

Access for all electoral candidates to produce and broadcast campaign material in a regulated manner

Technical Assistance

International consultant to assist Altai with design, fieldwork, and reporting on pre-elections voter research; Technical assistance on the election process by 14 international and four Afghan consultants on media, capacity building for elections management, legal and political affairs, civic education, monitoring and evaluation, observation, and research

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Academy of Science

Publication of the first-ever electronic version of the *Pashto Encyclopedia*

Afghan Civil Society

Establishment of two study rooms and a storage facility for 800 students in Kandahar University

Afghan Civil Society Forum

Distribution and production of three special editions of the magazine *Jamea-e-Madani* (Civil Society) with a print run of 12,000 copies per month throughout the country

Afghan National Participation Association

Production and broadcast of a 12-installment drama on the parliamentary and provincial council elections on 27 radio stations across Afghanistan explaining the role of the National Assembly, women's participation, and voting

Agency Coordinating Body for Afghan Relief

Provision of power generation facilities

Altai

Pre-elections research and public release of the report, which covered elections planning and civic education through 117 focus group discussions held in 12 provinces

American University of Afghanistan

Financial and administrative support and oversight

Aryanz

Needs analysis for financial training of Foundation grantees and contractors

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Awaz Productions

Production of 13 episodes of “The Citizen” interactive radio quiz show about parliamentary elections on 27 radio stations throughout Afghanistan; Distribution of 20,000 elections board games; Support for three public-interest radio spots on the Joint Electoral Management Body’s Electoral Complaints Commission; Radio public service announcements about the Joint Electoral Management Body’s Media Commission

Development for Humanitarian Services Afghanistan

Special edition on the elections and four regional inserts in the popular women’s magazine *Mursal*, focusing on women’s participation in elections through the use of interviews, photo stories, and analysis; Publication of 15,000 copies for each edition

Foundation for Culture and Civil Society

Compilation of candidate profiles to the parliament’s National Assembly (Wolesi Jirga) to assist voters; Printing and distribution of 176,000 catalogs (representing 90 percent of the candidates) in 33 of Afghanistan’s 34 provinces

Foundation for Culture and Civil Society and Sayara Media and Communication

Civic education theater, reaching approximately 400,000 spectators with a comic and informative drama about election participation

Inkeshaf Consulting

National media monitoring system to inform the Joint Electoral Management Body’s Media Commission of violations of Codes of Conduct; Monitoring of 47 broadcast outlets and 10 major print publications through local monitors in 24 offices in 17 provinces

Internews

Broadcast of daily Joint Electoral Management Body-created public service announcements on 12 independent radio stations before the 2004 presidential elections

Sayara Media Communication

Media training for representatives of 39 political parties to prepare them for presenting their platforms to the

media and public during the parliamentary elections campaign; National production of 13 15-minute radio programs to encourage women’s participation as candidates and voters in the National Assembly elections

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT

Afghan NGOs Coordination Bureau

International Women’s Day conferences in Jalalabad, Kabul, Kandahar, and Kunduz, encouraging women’s participation in the parliamentary elections

Afghan Women Lawyers Council

Establishment of a reading room in Kabul for female defense lawyers; Training for 20 female lawyers; Workshop entitled, “The role of advocate lawyers in the judicial system of Afghanistan”

ASROA Women Handicrafts Production Center

One-year vocational and marketing training program for women in Pul-e-Khumri, Baghlan province

Kandahar University

Supplementary college entrance training for 27 twelfth grade female students; Publication of a university quarterly

Khawhan Improvement Organization

Vocational training (tailoring) for 100 women in Kunduz

Noor Education Center

Training workshop on a “Our Country, My Role” manual for 60 representatives from female NGOs, the Ministry of Women Affairs, and female candidates for parliament

Rabia Balkh Girls High School, Kabul

Construction and establishment of a resource center with a library, a computer/Internet room, and a conference hall for 3,000 female students

Study Tours

Two study tours to Indonesia and Malaysia for three professors under the South Asia Women and Islam regional program

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ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Hambastagi Foundation

Distribution of 15 Milch goats to cave dwellers in Bamiyan

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Afghan NGOs Coordination Bureau

Participation by the chairperson in the World Social Forum in Brazil

Office of Administrative Affairs

Participation in the U.S. observation tour for the director general of the Afghan president's Office of Administrative Affairs; Provision of furniture and equipment

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Two roundtable seminars on human rights and women's issues, and Islam and politics; Support for the Library of Institute of Diplomacy

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Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 38,000 books valued at nearly \$1.5 million to 137 schools, universities, and libraries across Afghanistan

BANGLADESH

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Law and Justice

Madaripur Legal Aid Association

Pilot community-oriented policing programs to promote improved public security and reshape traditional police management and operational strategies through facilitation of collaborative working relations between citizens and police

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Democracywatch

Seminars and public events to engage young Bangladeshis in governance reform

Islam and Development

Bangladesh Unnayan Parishad

National survey study of Islam in Bangladesh

Islamic Foundation Bangladesh

Imam Orientation Program to engage 2,200 local religious leaders in dialogue on national development issues in the fields of democracy and governance, human rights, prevention of trafficking in persons, education, public health, environmental conservation and resource management, agriculture, fisheries, and other areas

Palashipara Samaj Kallayan Samity

Dialogue on education reform with *madrassa* principals, teachers, and administrators

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Association for Community Development; Banchte Shekha; Nari Uddug Kendra

Education and skills development training to assist female victims of violence, trafficking in persons, and abject poverty to achieve economic self-sufficiency

Bangladesh Legal Aid and Services Trust

Legal aid, legal counseling, alternative dispute resolution services, and advocacy to protect the legal rights of women workers in the ready-made garments sector

Bangladesh National Women Lawyers' Association

National roundtable dialogue series on advancing women's rights in an Islamic framework

Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Foreign Affairs Academy

Training program on trafficking in persons for young foreign service officers

Nari Uddug Kendra

Research, advocacy, professional development training, and other support services to minimize the negative effects of the phase-out of the Multi-Fiber Arrangement on female workers in the ready-made garments industry

PALOK

Roundtable dialogue and legal support services to advance women's rights in an Islamic framework

Women for Women

Participation in the Asia-Pacific NGO meeting on Beijing + 10 in Bangkok

Additional Programs

Bangla-language translation of international books and articles on women's rights in an Islamic framework; Regional planning meeting on Women and Islam

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Ad-Din Welfare Institute; Bangladesh Association for Maternal and Neo-natal Health; Data International Ltd.; Family Planning Association of Bangladesh; Gono Kallyan Sangstha; Grameen Manobic Unnayan Sangstha; HEED Bangladesh; HOPE; Palashipara Samaj Kallayan Samity; Palli Shishu Foundation of Bangladesh; Paribar Kallyan Samity; Rangpur Dinajpur Rural Services; Srizon Bangladesh

Monitoring and analysis of the performance of USAID-funded Title II food security programs, with a focus on social investment activities that complement mainstream economic reform efforts, including the role and responsibility of local government to invest in local economic infrastructure

BANGLADESH

**Centre for Policy Dialogue; Ministry of Commerce;
Nari Uddug Kendra**

Participation in an international conference on the phase-out of the Multi-Fiber Arrangement and policy options for Bangladesh and other exporting countries

CSL Software Resources Ltd.

Assistance to the NGO Affairs Bureau to streamline operations through eGovernance innovations

Ministry of Finance, AIMS of Bangladesh

Participation in the second annual meeting of Asian public pension fund managers, with a particular focus on sound corporate governance practices in pension management and policy options for Bangladesh in moving from a revenue-funded to an investment-based public pension system

Additional Programs

Study of the economic governance environment of Greater Jessore for KATALYST

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

The Daily Star

Participation in the annual meeting of the World Economic Forum and the Inaugural Summit of The Forum of Young Global Leaders

North South University

Participation in the Young Global Leaders' International Model United Nations

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Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 60,000 donated books, journals, and software worth \$2 million, to hundreds of schools, universities, and other recipient institutions

CAMBODIA

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

Commune Council Best Practices in Planning & Budgeting

Development of case studies in two communes illustrating best existing practices in commune council planning and budgeting

Commune Council Conflict Mediation Guide

Guide to Conflict Mediation and Resolution for commune councilors; Improved capacity and effectiveness of commune councils; Clarification of the councilors' mandate, specific guidance for addressing certain disputes and conflicts within their mandates, and identification of other relevant resources to access assistance to commune councils and other dispute mediators throughout Cambodia

Commune Council Support Project

Annual awards program to recognize commune council engagement in the development of best practices and case studies; Increased capacity and efficiency; Increased understanding of the proposed decentralization and deconcentration framework through national forums and feedback to drafters of organic law; Development of the Citizen's Rating Report, a public assessment tool, to measure improvement of public services during the mandate of the commune councils

Commune Council Survey

Survey on the role of commune councils in managing local-level conflict; Practical guide to dispute resolution for commune councils

Law and Justice

Center for Social Development (CSD)

Monitoring of six provincial and municipal courts, Court of Appeals, and Supreme Court; Collection and analysis of data regarding the implementation of due process; Publication of findings in the *Court Watch* bulletin; Forums for citizens with courtroom experience to uncover problems encountered in courts; Roundtable discussions for legal practitioners in which findings from public forums and court observations

are presented; Person-to-person advocacy with key judges and prosecutors; Meetings with members of the Supreme Council of Magistracy, senior officials at Ministries of Justice and Interior, key members of the Legal and Judicial Reform Council, Council of Jurists, and the Bar Association of Kingdom of Cambodia, human rights NGO leaders, law instructors, leaders of the judicial police, and key members of parliament

Documentation Center of Cambodia

Documentation of experiences of torture under the Khmer Rouge period; Psychological support to the Khmer Rouge victims in Kandal, Kompot, and Takeo provinces

Information Technology

Buddhism for Development; Cambodia Family Development Services; Fine Arts Association of Cambodia; International Cooperation for Development and Solidarity; Khmer Institute of Democracy; Small and Medium Enterprise Cambodia

Management and operation of Community Information Centers, which provide citizens access to information through a library and Internet/digital technology in 22 provinces

Community Information Centers (CICs)

Support to 22 CICs, covering every province in Cambodia; Provision of a public space for local members of the community to access news and information

Provincial Business Education through the Community Information Centers (CICs)

Business and formal university-level educational opportunities to individuals through utilizing the infrastructure of CICs and adapting face-to-face, lecture-based online learning courses; Seven online distance education courses to 270 students

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Action Pour Les Enfants (APLE)

Monitoring and investigation of pedophile activities to combat child sexual exploitation and trafficking

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ADHOC

Protection of young migrant women and girls seeking work abroad via public forums on trafficking prevention

AFESIP

Shelter-related operations and activities to benefit Vietnamese and Khmer trafficking victims, including psycho-social counseling, legal support, life skills, marketable vocational training, basic shelter, reintegration, and repatriation for Khmer and non-Khmer survivors of trafficking and sexual exploitation

The Cambodia Center for the Protection of Children's Rights

Shelter operation and provision of services to 30 victims of trafficking/exploitation in the Svay Rieng province; Establishment of a Community Based Protection Network (CBPN) in eight communes; Engagement by CBPN members in prevention and protection against trafficking

Cambodian Committee of Women

Advocacy for the passage of the Domestic Violence Law through roundtable discussions and a media campaign

Cambodian Defender Project

Increased investigation capacity of anti-trafficking police in Phnom Penh, Koh Kong, and Banteay Meanchey provinces through skill-focused workshops, on-the-job guidance, and collaboration in case representation

Cambodian Women's Crisis Center

Review and revision of a Khmer-language database; Vocational training and start-up capital for survivors of trafficking in Siem Reap

Center for Advance Study

Study on the silk sector; Exploration of potential employment opportunities for trafficking victims and those at risk of being trafficked

Child Rights Foundation

Promotion of child rights and prevention of trafficking and sexual exploitation among primary and secondary school children in Kandal province

Coalition to Address the Sexual Exploitation of Children in Cambodia

Management and coordination of a pilot project awarding scholarships and providing marketable vocational training skills and job-placement facilities to trafficked victims and at-risk groups

Digital Divide Data (DDD)

Information technology vocational training for survivors of trafficking over 18 years of age; Counseling services and apprenticeship opportunities; Integration into mainstream workforce

Enfants & Development

Mobilization of communities in the Kong Pisei district of Kampong Speu province to prevent child trafficking and protect victims of trafficking and exploitation through the development of a Village Child Protection Network

Fit Media

Production of an educational documentary video on trafficking illustrating the realities of the sex industry and lives of trafficked women and girls

HAGAR

Literacy education and life skills and vocational training to trafficking survivors and women and girls at risk of being trafficked who live on the streets and in the squatter settlements of Phnom Penh

Kampuchean Action for Primary Education

Girls' education and scholarship program for economically disadvantaged girls; Curriculum enhancement; Post ninth grade vocational training for girls who completed grade 9, but did not pass the national examination to be eligible for their continued tenth grade studies

Legal Support for Children and Women

Legal consultation and representation for victims of human trafficking, sexual exploitation, labor exploitation, and rape in the Koh Kong and Prey Veng provinces

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Mith Samlanh/Friends

Prevention and protection of young migrants at risk of being trafficked in Phnom Penh; Short- and long-term shelter, life skills and vocational training, general safety information, job placement, and reintegration service

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Four year-project, “Combating Trafficking and Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children Through Education”; Counter-trafficking activities in support of policy advocacy

Project Against Domestic Violence

Activities related to the Men Stop Violence Community Network, including community workshops involving victims of domestic violence, perpetrators, students, and local authorities

Protection of Juvenile Justice

Legal services to child victims of rape and sex trafficking in Kompong Cham and Siem Reap; Legal training on anti-trafficking law and children’s rights to local communities

Rural Development Association

Sensitization of community members to consequences of migration and issues of trafficking; Provision of scholarships to 80 at-risk girls; Provision of stipends to families in promotion of income-generating activities

TIPinAsia

Support for an anti-trafficking website (www.tipinasia.info), with information available in Khmer, Thai, and English

Transcultural Psychosocial Organization

Counseling for victims at NGO-managed shelters in Battambang and Banteay Meanchey provinces

Wattanakpheap

Launching of a Careers and Resource Center (CRC) in the Svay Rieng province; Economic services and career and psycho-social counseling; Life skills,

vocational training apprenticeship, and job-placement support to 31 at-risk and trafficked victims; Legal services to victims at risk of trafficking, as well as those who have been reintegrated in their communities

Women for Prosperity

Continued activities with a network of women commune councilors, providing a forum for women-elected officials to share experiences, address problems, and identify issues of concern

Additional Programs

Coordination activities on counter-trafficking issues; Facilitation of “coordination meetings/workshops” on trafficking-related issues including standards of care for survivors of trafficking and other forms of exploitation, counter-trafficking law and bilateral agreements, preventative strategies, and a holistic inter-disciplinary team approach to psychosocial service delivery to exploited women and children

Research Activities

Study on reintegration assistance for trafficked women and children in Cambodia to identify strengths, untapped potential, and gaps in current Cambodian reintegration services; Review of research studies, assessments, and surveys to systematically collect and catalog the literature on trafficking in persons in Cambodia; Development and maintenance of the TIPinAsia Cambodian anti-trafficking website

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Economic Institute of Cambodia

Research on: (1) the impact of WTO membership on the economy; (2) the competitiveness of the Cambodian economy and the competitive advantages of the Cambodian industry; (3) economic monitoring and forecasting; (4) macroeconomic policy to effectively reduce poverty; and (5) publication of the findings in the *Economic Review*, *Economic Watch*, and the *Economic Report*

Small and Medium Enterprise of Cambodia

Business development services for provincial associations

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and federations of SME owners from rice milling, brick and tile manufacturing, rural electricity enterprise, and fishery trading and processing centers

Additional Programs

Building support for WTO accession through a series of sector-specific roundtables on critical issues in implementing accession requirements; Publication and distribution of the *Economic Newsletter* with articles and surveys focused on Cambodia's accession to the WTO; Formation of three provincial multi-sector business associations; Publication of research on barriers to provincial trade and investment; Capacity building on policy advocacy on barriers to trade

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ADHOC

Support for the Assistant to Women's Program to join The Asia Foundation's Asian Emerging Leaders Traveling Seminar in the U.S., where a group of professionals from Northeast, Southeast, and South Asia gained a firsthand understanding of the dynamics and complexities of American politics and society and how they influence the shaping of U.S. foreign and domestic public policy

Books For Asia

Acquisition and distribution of 23,901 donated books and journals to approximately 115 public libraries of educational institutions, NGOs, and ministries

Girl Guides Association of Cambodia

Participation by the Commissioner for Programs at the 32nd World Conference of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS) in Amman, Jordan

International Institute of Cambodia

Technical assistance for an eLearning program to provide online business education in Kampong Cham, Kampong Som, Pursat, Banteay Meanchey, and Pailin provinces

Media, Communication & Development

Implementation and management of four Khmer provincial newspapers in Siem Reap, Battambang, Kampong Som, and Kampong Cham

Open Forum of Cambodia

Implementation and management of the Khmer Web Portal content (www.cambodiacic.org), "Community Information Centers for Democracy and Development"

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GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

State Council, Development Research Center

Pilot project to reduce conflict between farmers and the grassroots government through increased farmer participation in local governance

Tsinghua University

Study and action project entitled, “Urban Movement During China’s Social Transition: The Creating and Development of the Urban Societies in Contemporary China”

Yan Yangchu Rural Construction College

Three-part series of educational activities including development of rural cooperatives through training, activities to strengthen cooperatives through collective economic activities, and experiments in integrated village development

Yunnan Academy of Social Sciences

Exploration of practical and preventative solutions to rural conflict in relation to use of land and natural resources

Law and Justice

Anhui Labor and Social Security Bureau

Continued support to conduct a Performance Monitoring Plan that accesses a series of pilot activities focused on increasing migrant workers’ legal awareness of labor laws

Columbia Law School, Center for Chinese Legal Studies

Support for the administration of Columbia Law School’s conference “New Scholarship on Chinese Law,” in honor of Professor Stanley Lubman; Conference participation for four prominent Chinese law professors

Dadao Legal Assistance Center for Administrative Law

Legal aid in administrative law cases

Farmer Rights Protection Center, China Agricultural University

Recommendations to policymakers for ongoing revisions to laws protecting farmer rights; Analysis, promotion, and enforcement of the P.R.C Agricultural Law, “Chapter 9 Farmer Rights Protection”

Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region Legal Aid Center

Sustainable legal aid development and expansion of operations in the Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region

National School of Administration

Three-day workshop on the amendment of the State Compensation Law (SCL) in Shanghai, in which Chinese and U.S. scholars explored potential revisions to the SCL with the Chinese SCL drafting team

Sun Yat-sen University

Improvement of the quality and expansion of legal aid services to migrant women workers

Tianjin Labor and Social Security Bureau

Series of pilot activities to increase workers’ legal awareness of labor laws and improve and expand labor legal services; Provision of a project coordinator to implement and manage project activities

The University of Hong Kong

Independent assessment of the overall impact of The Asia Foundation’s 11 years of law programming in China (1994-2005)

Yunnan Labor and Social Security Legal Counseling and Service Center, Yunnan Labor and Social Security Bureau

Survey on the impact of the Performance Monitoring Plan and the labor law project in Yunnan for a series of pilot activities focused on increasing migrant workers’ legal awareness of labor laws and improving and expanding legal services

Yunnan Provincial Legal Aid Center

Six-day training course for the Yunnan legal aid personnel, especially those working in poverty-stricken areas, to better understand the Legal Aid Regulation formulated by the State Council; Discussion of legal

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aid practices as related to labor disputes, compensation for physical injuries, and fact-finding

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education **Ministry of Civil Affairs**

Support for the first of a two-year project to include popular participation and community involvement in improvement of the current disaster relief system; Facilitation of disaster relief operation legislation

NPO Capacity Building and Regional Network Development Project

Local NPO capacity building and regional network development project in Inner Mongolia, Ningxia, Guizhou, and Shaanxi; Facilitation and training expertise to formulate the concepts and practical tools at the local NPO Capacity Strengthening for Effective Performance Workshop in Yingchuan, Ningxia

Sichuan Rural Economy Association

Project planning and capacity building of Sichuan grassroots NGOs through mini-grants

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Guangdong Provincial Labor Union

Facilitation, supervision, evaluation, and reporting on the rights awareness and occupational health and safety training project for women workers in non-state enterprises in Foshan, Nanhai, and Shunde

Guangdong Women's Federation, Women's Rights Department

Continued support for the sixth phase of a legal aid and education project to benefit migrant women workers in Guangdong

Guangdong Women's Professional Technical College

Second year activities of the Scholarship Program for Migrant Women Workers in the Pearl River Delta

Horizon Research Group

Consultation services to develop and effectively monitor, measure, and evaluate the impact of educational training, counseling, and legal aid

services on migrant women workers; Tracking program effects on workers' future development

Panyu Migrant Workers Document Handling Service Center

Series of legal aid services for migrant workers, including free labor rights hotline services, legal counseling through Mail-box for Rights Protection, and visits and counseling to injured migrant workers in Guangdong

Sun Yat-sen University

Improvement and expansion of legal aid services to migrant women factory workers and their communities

Sun Yat-sen University, Department of Social Work

Program entitled, "Management and Teacher Training at Schools for Migrant Children in Guangzhou City"

Zhongshan Labor and Social Security Bureau

Basic computer skills training to migrant women workers in Sanxiang town of Zhongshan

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Organizational development of farmer-managed community services; Establishment of a pilot project to help farmers create economic cooperative organizations in Qingxian county, Hebei province

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Aspen Institute

Continued support for the annual congressional conference on China in Shanghai, Nanjing, Xian, and Beijing; Participation by American and Chinese scholars as sources of expertise, with conference topics including: Security Issues: Taiwan, North Korea, and the War on Terror; Economic and Trade Issues: From Deficit to Global Demand for Resources; Political Change in China; and Environmental Challenges to China's Future

Caijing Magazine

One-year scholarship for the fifth recipient of the Foundation's L.Z. Yuan Fellowship in the Master of

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International Public Policy Program at the Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies at Johns Hopkins University; Observation program and meetings with policy and media practitioners

China Central Television

One-year scholarship for the sixth recipient of the Foundation's L.Z. Yuan Fellowship in Media and International Affairs to earn a master's degree in the International Public Policy Program at the Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies at Johns Hopkins University; Observation program and meetings with policy and media practitioners

China Foundation for International and Strategic Studies

Exchange visits and workshops for the purpose of advancing peaceful cross-Strait development in the context of an improved East Asian security pattern

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Three one-year master's degree fellowships at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University and International Public Policy Program at the Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies at Johns Hopkins University; Support for a six-member delegation to undertake an observation tour in the U.S. to observe the U.S. electoral process and determine the election's implications for U.S. - China relations

Ministry of Justice

Support for a one-year Visiting Research Fellow program at Columbia University's School of Law

Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences

Lodging and airfare for 14 participants to attend the 4th International Convention of Asia Scholars in Shanghai

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Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 150,000 donated books to nearly 500 universities and colleges across China in collaboration with the Higher Education Book Foundation and with the support of the China Ministry of Education

Hong Kong Donor and Corporate Engagement Program

Development of a toolkit of information on private philanthropy and corporate community engagement, and their implications for civil society organizations in Hong Kong; Essay on the situation and development trends of donor and corporate engagement in Hong Kong; Essays on views on developments of giving and engagement in Hong Kong; Analysis of Hong Kong giving; Essay on the views private donors and corporations have on giving in Hong Kong; Community Engagement Stakeholder Forum; Advisory and facilitation services in two focus group discussions on the topic of donor and corporate engagement in Hong Kong

Ministry of Health

Research on the implementation of primary rural health care pilot projects focused on management systems, training, and public participation

In addition, The Asia Foundation provided direct support for the following projects:

Asia Foundation In Taiwan

Non-profit sector service programs in Taiwan, including the growth and development of civil society, development of democracy and civil society programs and issues related to entrepreneurship, and promotion of cross-Strait and regional learning and exchanges; Monitoring and assistance to the Health Reform Foundation in the ongoing implementation and evaluation of a project to set and improve consumer-based standards for health-care quality in Taiwan

Taiwan Health Reform Foundation

Two-part project to improve the transparency of hospitals' financial and staffing information, as well as increase public awareness and knowledge about health insurance industry violations in Taiwan

EAST TIMOR

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

Fundação Fatu Sinai Oecussi

Conflict management program between the Oecussi district, East Timor and border communities of West Timor, Indonesia; Legal aid services; Operational costs

Kefa Repatriation Support Group

Conflict management program between Oecussi and Covalima districts, East Timor and border communities of West Timor, Indonesia

Office of the President

Conflict prevention and mediation program with martial arts groups

Peace and Democracy Foundation

Conflict management program between Covalima district, East Timor and border communities of West Timor, Indonesia

Law and Justice

Court of Appeal

Publication of Court of Appeal decisions; Translation of Court of Appeal legal documents

Fortuna Legal Aid Institute; Matebian Community Education Foundation; Tane Timor Legal Aid Institute; Timor Leste Legal Aid Institute; Ukun Rasik An Legal Aid Institute

Legal aid services; Operational costs

Judicial System and Law

Roundtable discussions with legal sector NGOs; Technical assistance and workshops on legal development, gender, and financial management for legal sector NGOs; Technical assistance from an organizational development advisor; Evaluation of NGO legal information bulletins

Judicial System Monitoring Program

Monitoring and reporting on the state and performance of courts and other judicial institutions;

Dissemination of reports on judicial sector development; Translation of human rights treaty provisions into Tetum for the Office of the Prime Minister; Operational costs

Liberta

Legal aid services; Publication of *Pro-Justiça*, a monthly newsletter of legal information; Operational costs

Ministry of Justice

Nationwide public legal information program for citizens of East Timor

Elections and Legislative Development

National Parliament of East Timor

Technical assistance in legislative drafting and parliamentary procedures by a resident parliamentary advisor; Workshops on legislative analysis and drafting for parliamentarians conducted by the University of San Francisco

University of San Francisco

Operational costs related to implementation of the Legislative Drafting Initiative and Community Legal Education Program; Legislative analysis and drafting workshops with civil society; Policy development seminars with government, parliament, and civil society; Legal information workshops on environment, labor, and gender with government and civil society

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Ministry of Interior

Public radio information program on traffic regulations and road safety for citizens of East Timor

Radio-Television Public Broadcasting System of Timor Leste

Participation of the director in a regional public broadcasting seminar in Jakarta, Indonesia

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Fokupers

Legal counseling services and mentoring for victims of domestic violence; Programs to raise awareness of violence against women and women's legal rights,

EAST TIMOR

including community discussions and publication of *Babadok*, monthly bulletin; Operational costs

National Alliance

Election program in Baucau and Ermera districts to promote women's participation in village elections

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation

Development of the Ministry's library; Technical assistance to the Human Resource Unit in the development of policies and procedures for ministry staff and the diplomatic corps

National University of Timor Leste

Seminar program with the Faculty of Social and Political Studies on diplomacy and U.S. public policy; Internet access; American studies and foreign policy materials

OTHER

Seminar on "Timor Leste in 2025: Looking Forward"

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of books and journals to selected institutions including the Office of the President, National Parliament, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, Ministry of Education, National University of Timor-Leste, Teacher Research Resource Center of Baucau, National Center for Scientific Investigation, Dailor Institute of Rural Development, East Timor Development Agency, Friends of Aileu, Alola Foundation, Bishop Belo Center for Peace and Democracy, NGOs, schools, and libraries; Technical advisor to the Books for Asia program

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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Center for Strategic and International Studies

Six-month fellowship at the Center for Strategic and International Studies in Washington, D.C.

Observer Research Foundation

Conference in New Delhi, “Maritime Counter-Terrorism,” to assess maritime terrorism and counter-terrorism; Publication of *Maritime Counter-Terrorism Perspectives*

Indiana University, India Studies Program

Two-day conference, “U.S.-India Security Ties: Taking Stock,” which examined the evolution of post-Cold War Indo-U.S. security ties

Pacific Council on International Policy

Co-sponsorship of a Task Force on Understanding Tomorrow’s India-U.S. Relations; Publication of *India and the United States: A New Relationship for a New Century*

ENVIRONMENT

Development Alternatives

Environmental audit and certification program for the lead acid battery manufacturing sector

Eco-Friends

Restoration of the ecological health of River Ganges through community mobilization and participation

Jal Bhagirathi Foundation

Mass mobilization, empowerment, and construction of traditional water harvesting structures in seven districts in the Rajasthan province

Sankat Mochan Foundation

Promotion of community awareness, participation, and action on eliminating river water pollution in and around the Ganges river basin

Jeevan Rekha Parishad

Health education and dust suppression control in the

stone crushing industry in the Khurda district of Orissa, India

United States Embassy in India

Organization of a digital video conference on “Civic Participation in River Maintenance” between Indian and U.S. environmental interests for Earth Day 2005, including advising on the theme and content, and facilitating direct contact with the Indian and U.S. presenters

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Pakistan-India CEO’s Business Forum (PICBF)

Publication of sector briefs on bilateral trade opportunities in engineering, pharmaceutical, sugar, textiles, information technology, tourism, and education; Support for businesspersons from Pakistan and India to conduct a study on barriers to trade in India; Use of the PICBF studies in the bilateral trade dialogue between the governments of Pakistan and India

USAID South Asia Free Trade Agreement

USAID conference on the South Asia Free Trade Agreement (SAFTA) in New Delhi; Preparation and presentation by experts on country-specific papers examining issues associated with participation in SAFTA and how to enhance trade, investment, economic growth, and poverty reduction

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT

The Joint Women’s Programme and the William Carey Study and Research Centre

Training and dialogue activities at community centers in five areas of Delhi with high concentrations of low-income Muslim women; Participation by two Muslim scholars from India in a South Asian religious leaders’ study tour to Malaysia and Indonesia; Translation and dissemination of 1,000 copies of three publications developed by a Malaysia-based women’s advocacy group, *Sisters in Islam: Women as Judges, Are Muslim Men Allowed to Beat Their Wives, and Are Women and Men Equal Before Allah?*

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GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

The Corruption Eradication Commission

Establishment of a customer database system that will expedite the CEC's recommendations to the Bank of Indonesia, the Securities Exchange Commission, and the directorate general for Financial Institution Affairs

The Corruption Eradication Commission, Transparency Indonesia

Publication of a pecuniary interests register for state and senior officials

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Reformation of village regulations in Central Java to support good governance

Indonesia Corruption Watch (ICW)

Citizens' Report Card on the quality of public health services; Creation of a transparent and accountable judicial supervisory system through the development of a judicial profiling database system and advocacy for the enactment of a Witness Protection Law; Monitoring of aid flows and combating corruption of tsunami-related funds in Aceh; Training and capacity building to mass-based Muslim organizations to increase effective pro-poor advocacy in West Nusa Tenggara

Lembaga Studi dan Bantuan Hukum Mataram

Assistance to local governments in making pro-poor budget allocations in Mataram, West Nusa Tenggara

Yayasan Lappera Indonesia

Streamlining land certification procedures so poor citizens have access to land in the sub-district of Banyumas, Central Java

Law and Justice

Aceh Recovery Forum

Three sets of policy papers on the rights of victims and their right to documents in post-tsunami Aceh

The Attorney General's Office, Indonesian Judicial Monitoring Society

Development of an institutional framework for reform for the Attorney General's Office; Assistance to the Attorney General's Office in formulating a policy on standards of professional responsibility that will be used as a legal basis for enhancing the professionalism of prosecutors

Cabinet Secretariat of the Republic of Indonesia

Graduate legal studies for eight Cabinet Secretariat officials at the University of Indonesia

Center for Human Rights Studies, Airlangga University

Community-Oriented Policing program in Surabaya

Center for Human Rights Studies, Islamic University of Indonesia (PUSHAM UII)

Community-Oriented Policing program in the Malioboro, Yogyakarta

Center for Human Rights Studies (PUSHAM) Airlangga University, East Java

Monitoring and reformation of the school support program to extend its services to the poorest schools in East Java

The Center for Law and Policy Studies (Pusat Studi Hukum dan Kebijakan Indonesia or PSHK)

Court administrative procedures for the Anti Corruption Court; Comprehensive support to the newly established Human Rights Court, including guidance on administrative procedures

The Constitutional Court of the Republic of Indonesia & Consortium for National Legal Reform

Research on resolution of disputes among state institutions; Production of publications documenting the establishment and history of the Indonesian Constitutional Court

Faculty of Law, De La Salle Catholic University, Manado, North Sulawesi

Clinical Legal Education Program to provide (1) litigation related skills (required for those wanting to

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be a judge, a prosecutor, or a litigator/trial lawyer); (2) non-litigation related skills (negotiation, contract drafting, and legal drafting); and (3) legal aid related skills

Fahmina Insitute

Training clerics and religious teachers in the use of Islamic texts to promote democracy, gender equity, and human rights; Participation in the JPPR Local Election Monitoring Program

The Institute for Social Policy Research and Advocacy

Manual entitled, *Rules of Procedures and Guidelines on the Elements of Crimes*, for use by the newly established Human Rights Court; A policy paper in response to the draft Amendment of the Criminal Code

The Institute for Social Research, Democracy, and Social Justice, Salatiga

Community-Oriented Policing program in Salatiga and Semarang

Law Faculty of the University of Atma Jaya in Yogyakarta

Public scrutiny of court decisions and incorporation of this process into legal education curriculum

Manikaya Kauci Foundation

Community-Oriented Policing program in Bali

Supreme Court of the Republic of Indonesia

Grant to the Supreme Court to support two judges' participation at the Second International Conference on Judicial Training

Supreme Court of the Republic of Indonesia; Indonesian Institute for Conflict Transformation

Court-connected mediation program in collaboration with the Supreme Court of the Republic of Indonesia at the district Courts of Surabaya and Batu Sangkar (West Sumatra)

Supreme Court of the Republic of Indonesia; The Institute for an Independent Judiciary (Lembaga Independensi Peradilan or LeIP)

Implementation of Supreme Court administrative reform

Elections and Legislative Development

Ahimsa; Aisyah Institute for Development Studies (LPP Aisyiah); Association of Muhammadiyah Youth (IRM); Center for the Study of Religion and Civilization (PSAP); Human Resource Development Center of State Islamic University Syarif Hidayatullah (PPSDM UIN); The Institute for Social Research, Democracy and Social Justice (Percik); Institute for the Study of Islam and Society (LK3); The Institute for Study of Pesantren and Social Development (LKPMP); Laboratory of Religious Education of the Shalahuddin Foundation (LABDA); Muhammadiyah Council for Research and Development of Higher Education (MDM); Muhammadiyah Institute for Workers, Farmers and Fishing Communities (LPBTN Muhammadiyah); Muhammadiyah Student Association (IMM); Muhammadiyah Youth (PM); Nahdlatul Ulama's Institute for Family Welfare (LKK NU); Society for Inter-Religious Dialogue (MADIA)

Participation in the JPPR Local Election Monitoring Program

The Constitutional Court of the Republic of Indonesia

Resolution of national legislative election disputes; Comprehensive upgrading of information technology systems to improve case management; Support for an eight-member delegation representing the Court and civil society to travel to the Republic of Korea to meet with Korea's Constitutional Court and other relevant organizations

Institute for Social Institutions Studies (ISIS)

Participation in the JPPR Local Election Monitoring Program; Public debates among candidates in 16 provincial/district/city/local elections

Nahdlatul Ulama's Institute for Human Resources Studies and Development (LAKPESDAM NU)

Participation in the JPPR Local Election Monitoring Program; Production of a voters' guide for local elections in Malang, Klaten, and Jembrana; Production of a manual for the voters' guide

The People's Voter Education Network Secretariat (JPPR)

National voter education and election monitoring for the 2005 presidential and local elections

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Radio News Agency 68H

Training to conduct a quick count following local elections in 2005; Completion of a quick count in four districts and one province following local elections in 2005: Depok, Jembrana, Indramayu, Timur Tengah Utara dan Sulawesi Tengah; Publication of a quick count manual

Social Advocacy and Educational Institute (LAPAR)

Campaign for pluralism and tolerance on University campuses in South Sulawesi; Participation in the JPPR Local Election Monitoring Program

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Aceh Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Appraisal (ARRA)

Provision of timely feedback on the progress of rehabilitation and reconstruction in Aceh

Center for Regional Studies and Information (PATTIRO) Malang

Monitoring and reformation of a local government school support program to extend its services to the poorest students in East Java

Center for Regional Studies and Information (PATTIRO) Semarang

Advocacy to support and prioritize elementary schools in local government budgets in Semarang, Central Java

Center for Regional Studies and Information (PATTIRO) Solo

Advocacy for the municipality of Solo to increase budget allocations for the urban poor and monitor allocations to ensure that they reach the poor

Education for Aceh and North

Educational support for Acehnese students in Aceh Besar and Calang; Support for *dayah* (Islamic boarding schools) to assist community recovery efforts

The Institute for an Independent Judiciary (LeIP)

Media campaign to give prominence to the selection process for members of the newly established Judicial Commission

Institute for the Study of the Free Flow of Information (ISAI)

Media monitoring training for the local election, 2005; Production of a media monitoring manual

Koalisi Perempuan untuk Keadilan dan Demokrasi Indonesia

Reformation of health services for the poor in Tuban, East Java

Pengurus Wilayah Nasyyiatul Aisyiah Jawa Timur

Reformation of scholarship grant allocations to reach the most disadvantaged students in Surabaya

Radio News Agency 68H and Muhammadiyah

Establishment of community radio stations in Banda Aceh and Meulaboh in the aftermath of the December 2004 earthquake and tsunami

SOLUD NTB

Advocacy for increased budget allocations for health and education services in Central Lombok

University of Indonesia Crisis Center

Implementation of trauma counseling by teachers in North Aceh

Yayasan Arek Lintang (Alit)

Advocacy for improved access to Surabaya health services by the urban poor

Yayasan Cakrawala Timur

Advocacy for the allocation of village land to the poor in East Java

Yayasan Pemberdayaan untuk Kesejahteraan Masyarakat

Monitoring of government subsidies for a local education program to ensure that resources reach the poorest schools in Mataram, West Nusa Tenggara

Islam and Development

Coordinating Body For Indonesian Pesantren (BKSPPI)

Hosting of an English public speaking competition on Islam, Democracy, and Human Rights for students at 2000 traditional *pesantren*

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Indonesian Center for Civic Education (ICCE), State Islamic University

Scholarship for Achmad Ubaedillah to pursue a Ph.D at the East West Center, University of Hawaii

Insitute for Islam and Social Studies (LKIS)

Publication and distribution of the weekly pamphlet *Al-Ikhtilaf* in 21 cities in Java, Sumatra, Kalimantan, Sulawesi, Lombok, and Madura

Institute for the Study of Islam and Society (LKIS)

Training for mosque youth leaders in the use of Islamic teachings to promote harmony and tolerance; Publication and weekly distribution of *Al-Ikhtilaf*, a bulletin on democratic values, to approximately 100,000 people in Java and Madura

Laboratorium Dakwah Shalahuddin

Stimulation of public debate on democracy and Islam on university campuses in Central Java; Improvement of access by the rural poor in Pekalongan, Central Java, to healthcare services

Liberal Islam Network (JIL)

Promotion of pluralism and tolerance through a weekly radio talk show and syndicated newspaper column reaching two million listeners and readers

Muhammadiyah Central Board

Establishment and management of emergency response activities in Aceh, including health and education services for tsunami victims

State Institute for Islamic Studies Alauddin Makassar

Support for the international conference, "Islam, the 'west' and the rest"

The Wahid Institute

Intensive English training to senior NGO activist Ahmad Suaedy, at Deakin University, Australia; Publication of a series of articles on Islam and democracy in *Gatra*, one of Indonesia's best-selling news magazines

Information Technology

Hukumonline.com

Development of a publicly accessible database of Supreme Court decisions dating from the 1960s

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Association of Indonesian Women with Disabilities (HWPCI)

Establishment of regional chapters of the association and training for women with disabilities on the policy-making process

Balqis Women's Crisis Center

Training of counselors and volunteers to improve services for women victims of violence in Cirebon, West Java

Bintang Gana Foundation

Training to enhance women's input in village-level decisionmaking in Bangli, Bali

Center for Regional Studies and Information (PATTIRO)

Development and publication of a manual for gender budget advocacy and support for gender responsive budget initiatives through technical assistance to local governments in Semarang, Solo, and Tangerang

Community Justice Institute South Sulawesi

Training for lawyers to enhance access to justice and legal aid for women victims of violence in South Sulawesi

Fahmina Insitute

Campaign and local policy advocacy on combating trafficking in persons in Cirebon, West Java

Federation of Bengkulu Legal Aid Office

Training on women's political rights; Workshops on developing strategic plans for village regulations with gender perspectives in Bengkulu

Indonesian Community Development Foundation (YPPMI)

Gender responsive budget initiatives through technical assistance to the local government in Palu, Central Sulawesi

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Indonesian Nationalist Women's Front (FPNI)

Training to strengthen the political skills of women leaders running for public office in local elections

Indonesian Women's Association for Justice Pontianak (YLBH-PIK Pontianak)

Development of local regulations to protect women and children against traffickers; Training for law enforcement agencies to combat trafficking in persons in West Kalimantan

Indonesian Women's Coalition

National seminar on trafficking in women and children in Jakarta; Participation with the Indonesian government on formation of the Anti-Trafficking in Persons bill

Indonesian Women's Partnership (MISPI), Aceh

As part of the First Aceh Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Appraisal (ARRA), research on the rehabilitation and reconstruction process in Aceh after the tsunami of 2004; Building local capacity to advocate policies that respond to women's needs and interests in post-tsunami Aceh

Institute for Research and Community Empowerment (LP2M)

Training on gender mainstreaming and a public campaign for gender equality in West Sumatra

Institute of Social Studies and Legal Aid

Establishment of a multi-disciplinary, anti-trafficking team in Surabaya to strengthen cooperation among law enforcement agents, local governments, civil society, media, and lawyers for the protection of victims' rights

Institute for Women's Empowerment Bone (LPP Bone)

Technical assistance to the local government in Bone, South Sulawesi for gender responsive budget initiatives

Kombongan Sitoru Foundation

Technical assistance to the local government in Tana Toraja, South Sulawesi for gender responsive budget initiatives

Limpapeh

Capacity building for women leaders; Training on the local public policymaking process in West Sumatra

Nasyiatul Aisyiah (NA), Aceh

Training to make soybean drinks and *tempeh* (soybean cake) for women in shelters; Assistance to the women in producing and marketing the products; Participation in the JPPR Local Election Monitoring Program

Nasyiatul Aisyiah Regional Chapter of East Java

Increased access for women entrepreneurs in East Java to resources for developing their businesses and establishing a regional forum

The National Commission on Violence Against Women (Komnas Perempuan)

Scholarship for Sri Wiyanti Eddyono to pursue a master's degree in International Human Rights Law at Hong Kong University

PIAR, East Nusa Tenggara

Training on gender responsive budgeting and technical assistance to local government and civil society on gender and to pro-poor budget advocacy

Rindang Banoa Foundation

Anti-trafficking in persons campaign in Sanggau, West Kalimantan

Sada Ahmo Foundation

Promotion of humanitarian efforts after the earthquake on Nias Island; Strengthening women's participation in local decisionmaking in Nias, Dairi, and Pak-Pak Bharat, North Sumatra

Social Analysis and Research Institute, SARI

Community-based anti-trafficking program in East Java

Swadaya Mitra Bangsa Foundation (YASMIB)

Technical assistance to the local government in Polewali Mamasa, West Sulawesi for gender responsive budget initiatives

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Swara Parangpuan Foundation

Technical assistance to the local government in North Minahasa, North Sulawesi for gender responsive budget initiatives

Women's Group for Gender Equity - Central Sulawesi (KPKPST)

Women's participation in peace building and reduction of violence in Central Sulawesi

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Adil Sejahtera Foundation - YAS

Improvement of One-Stop business licensing centers in Gowa and Maros

Association for the Advancement of Small Business (PUPUK) Bandung

Streamlining of the *halal* certification process, reducing opportunities for corruption and encouraging the competition of small businesses on the open market

Association for the Advancement of Small Business (PUPUK) Surabaya

Assistance to the local governments of Blitar, Probolinggo, and Pasuruan to improve their One-Stop business licensing centers; Assistance to the government of Sidoarjo to implement the Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) method for reviewing the impact of proposed local regulations

Association for Economic Development Studies

Assistance to the government of Sragen for local Regulatory Impact Assessments

BITRA Indonesia, Regional Forum of SME Owners - FORDA North Sumatra

Increased efficiency of the One-Stop business licensing centers in Serdang Bergadai and Deli Serdang

Center for Economic and Social Studies - CESS

Comprehensive baseline survey on business licensing in nine cities/regencies

Daya Prosumen Mandiri - DPM

Improvement of One-Stop business licensing centers in Yogyakarta, Sleman, and Bantul

The Legal Aid Institute of Surabaya (LBH Surabaya)

Assistance to small business owners to decrease discrimination by geographic exclusionary clauses in municipality of Surabaya regulations

Lembaga Olah Hidup Sumbawa

Pro-poor reformation of budget allocations in the regency of Sumbawa

National Network of SME Supporters (JNP UKM)

Promotion of a series of activities to improve the organizational and advocacy capacity of SME associations, including women's small business associations in Sulawesi; Promotion of a series of programs to support policy advocacy by health-care NGOs in Jakarta

Regional Autonomy Watch (KPPOD)

Result dissemination of the 2004 survey of regional investment attractiveness across Indonesia; Fifth annual survey of investment attractiveness in more than 200 districts and cities

Regional Economic Development Institute - REDI

Evaluation of technical assistance for One-Stop Service business licensing centers in Kediri and Yogyakarta

Rural Technological Development Institute

Improvement of the efficiency of One-Stop centers for business licensing in Manado and Minahasa

Syah Kuala University, Banda Aceh

Technical assistance to the One-Stop business licensing center in Banda Aceh

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of donated books to universities, NGOs, and public libraries around Indonesia

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Faculty of Economics, University of Indonesia

Scholarship for an economist to attend the Georgetown Leadership Seminar in Washington, D.C.

Indonesian Association of Water Enterprises (PERPAMSI)

Strengthening the performance of water enterprises and development of toolkits and modules for improved stakeholder communication

Indonesian Communication Forum (FORKAMI)

Drinking water quality monitoring program that provided a platform for education on water use and the importance of water quality testing

International Center for Islam and Pluralism (ICIP)

Promotion of networks and linkages among Muslims in Indonesia and Southeast Asia

Yayasan Pelangi Indonesia

Support to a nine-month follow-up project; Expansion and dissemination of initial policy paper on the Clean Air Law for Indonesia

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Rahmania Foundation

Building of new dormitories for children orphaned by the tsunami in Aceh; Provision of resources for improved care and education to tsunami-affected children and orphans in Aceh

Totalitas Foundation

Infant nutrition program in Solok called “Inovasi Anak Nagari”

JAPAN

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Research on Victims of Trafficking in Persons in Japan

English translation of a 150-page research report, conducted by the joint project team of the Japan Network Against Trafficking In Persons and the Frontier of Gender Studies in the 21st Century Center of Excellence program at Ochanomizu University

Symposium, "Japan's role in combat against TIP – Sharing experiences between countries of origin and destination," at the Rikkyo University (Saint Paul's University)

Travel costs for four speakers

"What's TIP? It's here, there and everywhere!"

Awareness-raising seminar series on trafficking in persons in rural district; Seminar and travel costs for the lecturers in Kyushu, Nagoya, and Kansai

Workers Collective Une Fleur

Production of anti trafficking in persons campaign materials, contributing to awareness-raising activities in Japan

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Workshop, "Tainted Treasures – in search of solutions. Korean cultural objects in Japan and art-related disputes in postwar Europe" at The International House of Japan

Travel costs for three speakers

OTHER

50th Anniversary Symposium

Production of "Embracing Diversity – Gender and Ethnicity Issues in 21st Century Japan" at the Tokyo Metropolitan Teien Art Museum

America's Role in Asia Program

Presentation of *America's Role in Asia* at the National Institute for Research Advancement; Launching of the America's Role in Asia 2004 project at the Foreign Correspondents' Club of Japan, featuring American working group members Robert Scalapino and Frank Jannuzi

KOREA

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Young Professionals Institute of Korea

Conference entitled, “Power Shift and Future Paths: Changing Distribution of Power in Korean Society,” which examined the changing power structures in Korean society as result of political and economic development

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT

Dasi Hamkke Center

Production of an English publication on the current status of Korea’s sex trafficking problem, counseling cases, and assistance provided to sex trafficking victims

Ewha Womans University Asian Center for Women Studies

Support for International Interdisciplinary Congress on Women, held in Korea to identify and define diverse issues concerning the current status of women

Joint Committee for Migrant Workers in Korea

Regional conference that examined the feminization of migration and the growing problem of migrant women being trafficked in Asia

Korea Research & Consulting Institute on Poverty

International conference entitled, “Migrant Workers, Human Rights and the Media: Comparisons Across Asia,” which examined the relationship between public attitudes, government policies, and media coverage on foreign migrants in six countries including China, India, Japan, Malaysia, and Thailand

Korea Women’s Associations United

International symposium entitled, “Experiences and Lessons of the Legislation for Combating Sexual Exploitation in the Asia Pacific and Europe,” which focused on evaluating Korea’s one-year-old anti-sex trafficking law and providing a wide comparative analysis

Korean National Commission for UNESCO/UNESCO Office Beijing

Conference entitled, “International Migrants in Northeast Asia,” which examined the economic and social impact of migration flows in Northeast Asia and promoted the ratification of the “International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of all Migrant Workers and Members of their Families”

Seoul Women’s Hotline

Public workshop on victims’ right to self-defense in cases of domestic violence

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Ilmin International Relations Institute; Monterey Institute of International Studies

Public forum entitled, “Borders and Human Security in Northeast Asia,” which focused on migration and human security of migrant North Koreans in China, migrant Chinese in South Korea, and migrant Russians in Japan

Ilmin International Relations Institute; Monterey Institute of International Studies; United States Institute of Peace

Closed-door meeting of experts entitled, “International Immigration Issues in Korea and Northeast Asia: A Human Security Perspective,” which addressed the issue of cross-border migration between South Korea, North Korea, China, Russia, and Japan

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Chungcheong Province International Political Science Association

International conference entitled, “South Korea’s New Strategy for Peace and Stability in Northeast Asia,” which reviewed possible security contingencies in Northeast Asia and the responses of major powers, as well as new circumstance and strategies of the two Koreas

East Asia Institute; East West Center

Public forum entitled, “Shifting Terrain: The Domestic Politics of the U.S. Military Presence in the

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Asia Pacific Region,” aimed at addressing the reorganization of the U.S. military bases in the Republic of Korea

Korea Sharing Movement

Northeast Asia Youth Forum, a gathering of NGO workers from the United States, Japan, Russia, and Korea to promote peace on the Korean peninsula and share ideas for common prosperity among Northeast Asian countries

Kyung Hee University Graduate Institute of Peace Studies

Conference organized by graduate students from five Korean universities that focused on how current/future trends in all aspects of society will impact world peace

Myongji University Academia Coreana

Two-day conference in Seoul that evaluated political, economic, and social developments under the administration of President Park Chung Hee and discussed implications for future developmental policies in Korea and other countries

Additional Programs

“America’s Role in Northeast Asia: Views for the New U.S. Administration”

Forum to share experts’ views on the presence of the U.S. in the Asia-Pacific region and launch the distribution of The Asia Foundation publication on this regional project

DPRK Flood Damage Relief Committee

Two-week observation/study program in the United States for four Democratic People’s Republic of Korea representatives from the Flood Damage Relief Committee to focus on humanitarian assistance and attend meetings with U.S. humanitarian aid agencies

The First Term National Assembly Members Study Tour to the U.S.

Participation in the Foundation-organized exchange program for a multi-party delegation of six first-term National Assembly members to meet local and national politicians and national policy analysts

“Humanitarian Aid to North Korea: Where Do We Go from Here?”

Discussion of humanitarian aid to North Korea and shared on-the-ground experiences with Korean NGOs

Strategic Policy Dialogue

Meeting among academics, researchers, and the Deputy Undersecretary of Defense for Asian and Pacific Affairs to share views on military and defense issues and promote understanding between the Republic of Korea and the United States

Young Media Professionals Study Tour to the U.S.

Study tour and a series of meetings in the United States enabling five young media professionals to examine U.S.-Korea relations and the relationship between politics and media

OTHER

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 7,000 books to the DPRK’s Grand People’s Study House, Pyongyang University for Foreign Studies, Kimchaek University, and Kim Il Sung University

Constitutional Court of the Republic of Indonesia

One-week study program in Korea for an eight-member delegation representing the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Indonesia and civil society to learn about the role of the Constitutional Court of Korea and the roles played by the legislative body and civil society in constitutional court cases, particularly focusing on the case involving presidential impeachment

Green Consumers Network in Korea

Launch of a campaign for the safe use of medicine as part of a consumer education program for youth

Institute of Health and Environment, Seoul National University Graduate School of Public Health

Research and analysis of the current status of patient groups in Korea; Promotion of patients’ interest in the formation of medical policy

LAOS

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Law and Justice

Lao Bar Association

Equipment to support the drafting of a new law on the regulation of lawyers in the Lao People's Democratic Republic (PDR)

National University of Laos

Training for library staff; Thai-language textbooks for new university programs to be offered in Tourism Management and International Relations

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Lao Women's Union

First shelter for the victims of domestic violence and trafficking in the Lao PDR

Additional Programs

Consultation services by Ruengrawee Ketphol for the Laos Anti-Trafficking Project

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Douang Deuane Bounyavong; Ministry of Information and Culture; National University of Laos; Royal Palace National Museum

First International Conference on Lao Studies, held at Northern Illinois University in DeKalb, Illinois

Institute of Foreign Affairs

One-year Internet access; Thai-language textbooks on international affairs

Lao-American College

Activities to foster and improve understanding of the United States among students and faculty in Laos

OTHER

Books for Thailand Foundation

Additional staff member for assistance with shipments of 215 books to various Laos institutions

National Library of Laos

International Standard Serial Number (ISSN) and International Standard Book Number (ISBN) training of librarians in Thailand; Thai-language books

MALAYSIA

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Institute for Strategic and International Studies

19th Asia-Pacific Roundtable

Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies

Malaysia-United States Bilateral Colloquium

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Kelantan Family Planning Association

Promotion of awareness about sexual and reproductive health for women through one-day health campaigns in 10 rural areas of Kelantan

Penang Family Planning Association

Family medical and health service campaigns promoting reproductive health for women and educating children and youth on sexuality and gender issues

OTHER

Hospis Malaysia

Five modular weekend courses and a four-day workshop on palliative care

Malaysia Parkinson Disease Association

Translation and publication of a Bahasa Malaysia version of *Understanding Parkinson's Disease - the Malaysian Perspective*

Selangor and Kuala Lumpur Mobility Association

Interactive website for people with physical disabilities that provides information on mobility, independent living, and medical issues

MONGOLIA

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Law and Justice

Ministry of Justice and Home Affairs

Workshop entitled, “Strategic Planning for Implementation of the Program on National Legal Education”

Zorig Foundation

Production and publication of a cartoon book on the Mongolian Constitution, with human rights provisions in a simplified text with relevant cartoon pictures for schoolchildren

Elections and Legislative Development

Transparency International of Mongolia

National election poll monitoring and data dissemination during Mongolian presidential election polling

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

CEDAW Watch Network Center

National workshop to review the draft country reports on the state of civil society in Mongolia through the civil society index

DEMO Center for Democratic Education

Promotion and advocacy for the 1% Law, so taxpayers can decide how to designate 1 percent of their previous year’s paid personal income tax to an NGO of their choice

Onggi River Movement

Mobilization and engagement of local citizens and government institutions to continue fighting for the restoration of a river affected by mining companies; Planning meeting and training for eight different river conservation and restoration movements and preparation for establishment of the institution that would unify and represent all of these movements

Press Institute of Mongolia

Organization of the General Assembly of National NGOs to discuss nomination of the NGO sector representation for the National Council of National TV and Radio (which is no longer under direct control

of the Mongolian government, according to the Law on Public Radio and TV Broadcasting)

Information Technology

ICT Authority

Development of a comprehensive eMongolia policy and the appropriate laws to facilitate policy implementation; Enhancement of government agencies’ human and technical capacities to maximize appropriate technologies for strengthening consultation with and service provision to constituents

Millennium Challenge Account (MCA) Mongolia Website

Development of www.mca.mn as the sole source of bilingual information about the MCA, a virtual venue for government-led consultation, and dialogue with citizens and government officials about various issues related to proposed MCA projects and their expected impact

Mongolian Information Network

Implementation of the Millennium Challenge Account Public Information Program, an important aspect of the MCA public consultative process

Open Government Website (www.open-government.mn)

Information about draft legislation and current laws and policies; Increased dialogue between citizens and government officials

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT

Center for Human Rights and Development

Raising awareness about trafficking in persons among public and relevant professionals and improvement of the legal framework on human trafficking

Gender Equity Center

Raising public awareness and ensuring the rights of trafficking victims

National Center Against Violence

Implementation of the newly passed Law against Domestic Violence through public awareness programs; Relevant training of social workers and law-enforcement officials

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Women Leadership Foundation

Advocacy for inclusion of amendments ensuring greater gender equality into laws on election and political parties, especially through promotion of the quota system in the nomination procedures

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Women for Social Progress – Uvurhangai Branch

Implementation of an ongoing local economic governance initiative that promotes local private, civic, and public sector leaders to work together to identify and address the most pressing legal and regulatory obstacles to local small and medium enterprises

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Institute of Strategic Studies

Organization of the U.S.-Mongolian Bilateral Conference entitled, “U.S.-Mongolia Relations and Their Respective Roles in Asia Pacific Region,” held in Washington D.C.

OTHER

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of 55,000 books to more than 404 universities, schools, libraries, and NGOs in total, including 235 schools and resource centers in the most remote regions of the country

Union of Mongolian Environmental Non-Governmental Organizations

Training workshop on advocacy building for environmental NGOs

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GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

Additional Programs

Consultancy on mediation training; Monitoring and evaluation of community mediation services; Assessment of civil-military relations

Law and Justice

Center for Legal Research and Resource Development
Strengthening the National Human Rights Commission

Center for Legal Research and Resource Development;
Forum for Protection of Public Interest; Institute of Governance and Development; Rural Women's Development and Unity Center; Service for Underprivileged Section of Society

Community mediation services in 14 districts

Center for Legal Research and Resource Development;
Forum for Protection of Public Interest; Institute of Governance and Development; Service for Underprivileged Section of Society

Establishment of endowment funds to sustain community mediation services

Center for Legal Research and Resource Development;
Rural Women's Development and Unity Center

Community peace-building workshops and initiatives

Forum for Protection of Public Interest

Public interest litigation to enforce existing legal provisions

Khoj Patrakarita Kendra

Publication of a study on impunity and the violation of human rights in Nepal

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Antenna Foundation Nepal

Production and broadcast of a weekly television program on public interest issues

Information Technology

Information Technology Professionals Forum

Martus human rights bulletin software at the National Human Rights Commission

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Agro-forestry, Basic Health, and Cooperatives; Center for Legal Research and Resource Development; Health Environment Conservation and Rural Development Services; Maiti Nepal; Nepal Community Development Center; NGO Federation of Nepal; Women's Rehabilitation Centre

Combating trafficking of women and girls in Nepal

Agro-forestry, Basic Health, and Cooperatives; Maiti Nepal; Nepal Rugmark Foundation; Women Entrepreneurs Association of Nepal-Banke

Skills training to promote gainful employment for young women at risk of trafficking and trafficked survivors

Antardristri; Child Workers in Nepal

Counseling and community support for victims of incest and child rape

Feminist Dalit Organization; Rural Women's Development and Unity Center; SAATHI

Combating violence against women in Mid Western and Far Western Nepal

Forum for Women, Law, and Development

Strengthening the legal framework surrounding women's economic participation in the formal sector and legal and policy reforms regarding women's citizenship rights

Nari Kalyan Samaj

Training on advocacy regarding social issues affecting Muslim women in Nepal

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Information Technology Professionals Forum

Consultations, documentation, and advocacy regarding eProcurement in Nepal; Travel costs to India

NEPAL

South Asia Watch on Trade, Economics and Environment

Research, policy dialogue, and advocacy in the context of Nepal's recent accession to the World Trade Organization

OTHER

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 14,000 books to American Resource Centers, universities, NGOs, and other institutions throughout Nepal

PACIFIC ISLANDS

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC)

Institutional support through IFRC for national Red Cross Societies to assist national disaster management offices implement disaster management and damage assessment training in up to seven Pacific countries over the next three years

Ministry of Home Affairs, National Disaster Management Office, Government of the Republic of the Fiji Islands

Training initiatives at national and regional levels: (1) co-host of regional “Exercise Management” course with participants from the Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Niue, Palau, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu; (2) adaptation and translation of materials for a two-day “Initial Damage Assessment” course for village communities on Kadavu; (3) two “Introduction to Disaster Management” courses for the central and western divisions; and (4) adaptation of materials and implementation of a national “Emergency Operations Centres” training course involving response agencies, government departments, and NGOs

National Disaster Coordination Office, Office of the President, Federated States of Micronesia (FSM)

Adaptation of materials and implementation of a five-day national “Emergency Operations Centres” training for FSM with attendees including disaster coordinators from all four states (Chuuk, Kosrae, Pohnpei, and Yap), response agencies, the Red Cross, and other NGOs; FSM participation in a regional “Exercise Management” course

National Disaster Management Office, Government of the Cook Islands

Adaptation and delivery of “Initial Damage Assessment” training for the Cook Islands with training targeting response agencies, Red Cross staff, government agencies, NGOs, and representatives from five southern island groups; Participation by the Cook Islands in regional training in Exercise Management

National Disaster Management Office, Government of the Kingdom of Tonga

Adaptation of training materials and implementation of a national “Emergency Operations Centres” training course for the Cook Islands, involving response agencies, NGOs, and representatives from outer islands

National Disaster Management Office, Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands

Adaptation of training materials and implementation of two national training sessions: “Introduction to Disaster Management” and “Training for Instructor” courses for disaster managers, response agencies, and NGOs, conducted in Majuro

National Disaster Management Office, Government of the Republic of Vanuatu

Adaptation of training materials for implementation of a national “Emergency Operations Centres” training course for Tonga, with training targeting response agencies, government departments, NGOs, and representatives from outer-islands with roles to play during times of emergencies and disasters

National Disaster Management Office, Government of the Solomon Islands

Review and adaptation of training materials and implementation of two national training sessions: a five-day “Emergency Operations Centres” course and “Initial Damage Assessment” training for disaster managers, response agencies, and NGOs, conducted in Honiara

South Pacific Applied Geoscience Commission (SOPAC)

Extension of support for SOPAC’s Community Risk Program for program staff support, advocacy, and coordination initiatives to be carried out under Phase II of the OFDA-funded regional Pacific Disaster Risk Management (Training) Program

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT

Fiji Women’s Crisis Center

Project entitled, “Men as Advocates Against Violence Against Women in the Pacific Islands”; Education of

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and encouragement to men in leadership positions to condemn violence against women; Training of men in government leadership positions, including police, government officials in the Social Welfare and Health ministries, the military, tribal chiefs, religious groups, and community leaders on women's human rights through peer counseling and advocacy

PAKISTAN

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

AAJ TV

Innovative television programming that effectively projects citizens' views on critical policy areas and strengthens the role of independent media in advancing the democratic process; Production of a series of 10 documentaries focusing on the policy theme of "peace" and a 13-episode series on current affairs on concepts such as governance, gender justice, and social services

HUM TV

Innovative television programming that effectively projects citizens' views on critical policy areas and strengthens the role of independent media in advancing the democratic process

Interactive Resource Centre

Promotion of more informed and effective citizens' advocacy and establishment of conditions for more effective democratic governance in Pakistan through interactive theater

Pakistan Press Foundation

Series of five training workshops on investigative reporting to strengthen the capacity of Pakistan's media and ensure that reporting on democratic reform is in-depth, analytical, and accurate

PANOS South Asia

Two-part series of training workshops for print and television journalists to strengthen the capacity of Pakistan's media and ensure that reporting on democratic reform is in-depth, analytical, and accurate

South Asia Partnership – Pakistan

Young Leaders Forum, which provides a platform for key leaders of Pakistan's civil society to discuss ways of asserting civil society influence in promotion of democratic reform and rule of law

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Health and Rural Development

Health program to improve safe motherhood and provide women with access to healthcare, particularly maternal care, through training of community-based health workers in Khuzdar, Balochistan

HUM TV

Production of 13 episodes of a live talk show on gender issues such as sexual harassment, honor killing, and female education; 13-episode series of interviews of leading social workers and politicians

Improving Maternal & Newborn Health Project

Improvement of quality and access to maternal and newborn health services (MNH); Technical assistance and development of guidelines on how to assist the government of Pakistan in improving MNH in Punjab and the North-West Frontier province

Organization for Research and Education

Promotion of women's rights within an Islamic framework; Forum of moderate Islamic scholars, seminars on women's rights in Islam, and development of materials on women's rights issues

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Omar Asghar Khan Development Foundation

Nation-wide series of consultations with primary and secondary stakeholders to elicit views on developing a program on sustained citizen efforts to promote pro-poor policies and programs

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

AAJ TV

Building bridges through media programming; Promotion of dialogue between the people of the U.S. and Pakistan; Broadcasting a series of 10 audience-based programs to promote the mutual benefit of positive and peaceful co-existence to citizens of Pakistan and the U.S.

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LUMS

Design and facilitation of a dialogue between American and Pakistani business leaders and students; Provision of opportunities to draw lessons from achievements of American and Pakistani business leaders in the field of agri-business; Promotion of joint ventures and fair trade

Pakistan India CEOs Business Forum

Support of interaction between the business communities of India and Pakistan with the aim of building confidence in cross-border relations

OTHER

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 70,786 books and journals to over 735 universities, NGOs, schools, and other libraries

Education Sector Reform Assistance Program (ESRA)

Management of sub-grants to Pakistani organizations under the Pakistan ESRA Program in adult literacy, policy and planning, professional development, and public-private partnership

Madrasa Education Project

Research study to provide an assessment of the characteristics of supply and demand of *madrasa* education; Facilitation of the *madrasa* reform process

Mobilizing the Poor for Better Access to Health

Development and testing of community-based intervention strategies in six rural districts of Pakistan to improve the access of poor women and children to health services, improve nutrition among women and children, introduce early childhood learning centers, and promote malaria prevention strategies

Strengthening National & Provincial Legislative Governance Program

Increased capacities of the senate, national, and provincial legislatures to facilitate discussion, articulate public interest and concerns, allocate public resources, and monitor the performance of government institutions

Tuberculosis (TB) Component

Strengthening the implementation of the World Health Organization-recommended strategy of Directly Observed Treatment Short Courses (DOTS) through an interactive community mobilization strategy; Reduction of morbidity and mortality by enhancing the role of other stakeholders, including the private sector and communities

Workshop on Lessons Learned in Education

Workshop, in collaboration with UNESCO, to identify and assess, quantitatively and qualitatively, the trends, processes, and lessons learned from education interventions in five main areas: educational governance, literacy, primary education, public private partnership, and teacher education

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GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

Agro-Industrial Developers, Links Initiators Foundation (AID-LIFE)

Public Service Excellence, Ethics and Accountability Program (PSEEAP) for the provincial government of Tawi-Tawi and the municipal government of Bongao, Tawi-Tawi; Promotion of transparency, strengthening accountability of local bureaucrats, and encouragement of a customer-oriented culture in the delivery of basic services

Bangsamoro Women Foundation for Peace and Development

Barangay (village) and municipal planning and budgeting workshops in 50 *barangays* in the municipalities of Datu Abdulah Sangki, Datu Saudi Uy Ampatuan, Guindulungan, Rajah Buayan, and Talayan in the province of Maguindanao

Coalition for Development-Sibuguey (CODE-S)

Promotion of People Empowerment and Participatory Planning in 40 *barangays* (villages) and the municipalities of Tungawan, Kabalasan, Alicia, and Payao in the province of Zamboanga Sibugay

Development Planning and Environmental Management Inc.

Scoping study on issues on local procurement to determine the status of compliance by local governments of key relevant provisions of the New Government Procurement Reform Act (Republic Act 9184)

Foundation on Communication Initiatives

Forum and photo exhibit on *rido* (clan and family conflict); Dissemination of research results to a Manila audience

Gaston Z. Ortigas Peace Institute

Research on the history and current state of prominent peace zones that was declared beginning in the late 1980s; Publication of *Peace Zones in the Philippines: Concept, Policy, and Instruments*

Institute of Bangsamoro Studies

Seminar/workshop on good governance for *barangay* (village) officials in Maguindanao; Facilitation of IBS to represent Muslim civil society as an observer in the approaching peace talks with the Moro Islamic Liberation Front in Malaysia

Institute of Development Economics and Management

Public Service Excellence, Ethics and Accountability Program (PSEEAP) in the municipalities of Esperanza, Isulan, Bagumbayan, Datu Montawal, Senator Ninoy Aquino, Labayan, President Quirino, and Salipada K. Pendatun; Promotion of transparency, strengthening accountability of local bureaucrats, and encouragement of a customer-oriented culture in the delivery of basic services

Institute for Solidarity in Asia

Technical training on the Public Governance Strategy and Scorecards for city administrators and People's Councils of selected cities

Kahapan Foundation Inc.

Participatory local development planning to promote peace and development in the municipalities of Siasi, Sulu, Lamitan, Tuburan, Tipo-Tipo, Maluso, and Isabela

League of Cities of the Philippines (LCP)

Assessment, implementation, and institutionalization of the counter-corruption reform agenda in 16 Mindanao cities

Maguindanao Foundation for Good Governance and Development

Implementation of the Public Service Excellence, Ethics and Accountability Program (PSEEAP) in four municipalities (Datu Odin Sinsuat, Parang, North Upi, and Sultan sa Barongis) in Maguindanao; Promotion of transparency, strengthening of accountability of local bureaucrats, and encouragement of a customer-oriented culture in the delivery of basic services

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Makati Business Club

Logistical and technical support to enhance Coalition Against Corruption projects through: (1) conducting a trainer's training for bids and awards committee observers on medicine monitoring, internal revenue allotment watch, and the pork barrel watch; (2) publishing a volunteer's handbook to guide monitoring and training of new volunteers; (3) developing cost benchmarks for textbooks, medicines, and roads; and (4) continuing development and maintenance of the Transparent Accountable Governance (TAG) website: www.tag.org.ph

Mediator's Network for Sustainable Peace (MedNet)

Community mediators' conference on resource-use disputes, with the conference proceedings published in MedNet's July 2005 newsletter, *The Mediator*

Mindanao Business Council Inc.

Assessment of the City Coalitions for Transparency and Accountability in Governance (CCTAG), established in seven cities in Mindanao as partnerships among city governments, civil society organizations, and the business sector to promote transparency and accountability

Mindanao Coalition for Development NGO Networks (MINCODE)

Support for City TAN Advocacy and Feedback Mechanism Project in seven cities in Mindanao through mobilization of civil society organizations into a City Transparency and Accountability Network (CTAN); CTAN activities in seven cities in Mindanao; Series of symposia on the new Government Procurement Reform Act in 13 cities in Mindanao

Mindanao Kalibugan Tribe Islamic Foundation (MKTIF)

Implementation of the Public Service Excellence, Ethics and Accountability Program in the municipalities of Leon Postigo, Jose Dalman, Labasan, and Sindangan in the province of Zamboanga del Norte; Promotion of transparency, strengthening accountability of local bureaucrats, and encouragement of a customer-oriented culture in the delivery of basic services

Mindanao State University (MSU/KFCIAAS)

Publication of the results of focus group discussions on Islam and peace initiatives in Muslim Mindanao

Mindanao State University-Marawi City

Peace Building Workshop of the Ranao Muslim-Christian Movement for Dialogue and Peace to abate threats to peace and promote improved relations between the two communities

MindanaWon Initiatives for Cultural Dialogue

Conference in Davao City on *rido* (clan and family conflict) to validate results of the research funded by The Asia Foundation, and to relate *rido* to other forms of conflict and the ongoing formal peace process

Muslim League of Cities, Municipalities and Communities of the Philippines (MLCMCP)

Workshop entitled, "Building the Technical and Absorptive Capacity of the Muslim League," a one-year institutional funding and technical assistance project for development of the Secretariat and training for local officials on issues related to governance

Philippine Council for Islam and Democracy

Roundtable on "The Prospects for Peace in Mindanao Amidst the Global War on Terror"; Roundtable on terrorism and a strategic planning workshop for *mufitis* of the Darul Ifta of the Philippines; Roundtable discussion on "Islam and Democratization in Southeast Asia: Prospects and Challenges"

Research Institute for Mindanao Culture

Presentation of paper, "Beyond the Global and State War on Terror: Indigenous Peacemaking in a Muslim Community in the Philippines," at the 16th Annual Graduate Student Conference of the University of Hawaii's School of Hawaiian, Asian and Pacific Studies

SIAD- Initiatives in Mindanao -Convergence and Regional Development (SIMCARRD)

Implementation of the second organizational meeting of the Muslim League of Cities, Municipalities and Communities of the Philippines

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Surigao City

Presentation at the USAID conference, “Strengthening Decentralization and Local Governance in Asia and Near East Region” by the mayor of Suriago City, Philippines in Cairo, Egypt

Transparency and Accountability Network

Support to the Supreme Court Appointments Watch to increase transparency and accountability in the judicial appointments process

United Youth for Peace and Development

The Facilitating Settlement of Celebrated Cases of Rido project, based on previous documentation of the Mangansakan-Tayuan clan conflict, which established that both clans are willing to resolve their conflict

Venture for Fund Raising

Technical assistance to craft a strategic plan for organizational development and resource mobilization

Western Mindanao State University

Implementation of the Public Service Excellence, Ethics and Accountability Program (PSEEAP) for the provincial government of Sulu; Promotion of transparency, strengthening accountability of local bureaucrats, and encouragement of a customer-oriented culture in the delivery of basic services

Zamboanga A.E. Colleges

Implementation of the Participatory Local Development Planning and Budgeting project in 40 *barangays* (villages) in RT Lim, Talusan, Mabuhay, and Olutanga in the Zamboanga Sibugay province

Law and Justice

Ateneo Human Rights Center

National conference on law schools and alternative lawyering as an effort to sustain the justice reform work of alternative law groups; Paralegal training course for Makati City Jail inmates and development of an up-to-date database for easier monitoring of cases; Education of law students, lawyers, and grassroots leaders on issues affecting disadvantaged groups through internship and legal assistance programs; Assessment of the Human

Rights Internship Program’s impact on human rights and developmental advocacy, legal education, partner communities, legal aid clients, and the personal lives of interns

Center for Moro Law and Policy Concerns (CLMPC)

Participation of an attorney to attend the ASEAN Muslim Lawyers’ Meeting in Penang, Malaysia

The Conflict Resolution Group (CoRe Group)

Eminent Mediators Training to promote mediation in government, business, and other areas where disputes commonly occur; Expansion of business mediation to Baguio, Clark, Bacolod, and Cagayan de Oro and re-visit to Cebu; Institutionalization of mediation at the Department of Justice; Participation by two CoRe Group trainers in the workshop to prepare for the adoption of Public Conversations methodology in the Philippines

Consortium of Bangsamoro Civil Society (CBCS)

Support for the Sulu Solidarity: An International Fact-Finding Mission to investigate alleged human rights violations and assess the needs of the civilians displaced by fighting in Sulu in February 2005; Support for the First CBCS assembly, The Quest for Peace and Security: Basis for a Stronger Bangsamoro Consortium

Council of Engineering Consultants of the Philippines

Implementation of a nationwide awareness drive on the impact of the Alternative Dispute Resolution Act of 2004 on the construction industry

Far Eastern University

Pilot implementation of a law student apprenticeship program by four Manila-based law schools in selected courts in Manila, Quezon, and Makati; Expansion of the law student apprenticeship program to include additional law schools in Metro Manila, Baguio, Cebu, and Davao City

Humanitarian Legal Assistance Foundation

Development of a Detainee’s Notebook (a reference/guide intended for all inmates); Research on the state of the Philippine penal system and its

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implications on the Administration of Justice;
Decongestion of jails in three areas in Metro Manila (Malabon, Navotas, and Valenzuela), by securing the immediate release of qualified and eligible detainees;
Simplified Inmates Record System training in Cebu

Institute for Social Studies and Action

Technical assistance to the Office of the Government Corporate Counsel (OGCC) for the Alternative Dispute Resolution capability-building project;
Consolidation of existing mediation and other Alternative Dispute Resolution curricula and training materials

Integrated Bar of the Philippines (IBP)

Review of the provisions of R.A. No. 9165 (the Comprehensive Dangerous Drug Act of 2002), and provision of legal representation to overstaying prisoners in Quezon City Jail; Support for an attorney to attend the 36th Annual Study Session at the International Institute of Human Rights in Strasbourg, France

Libertas Lawyer's League of Liberty

Development of prototype *exemplars* (lesson plans) and a student handbook on the judiciary and rule of law for elementary and secondary students in the public schools

Office of the Government Corporate Counsel (OGCC)

Development of the capacity of the OGCC on alternative modes of dispute resolution relevant to its mandate to provide legal services to all government-owned and controlled corporations

Paglilingkod Batas Pangkapatiran Foundation (PBPF)

Refinement of the court monitoring tool previously designed by PBPF with trained court monitors;
Development of a civil society manual for court monitoring

Philippine Mediation Foundation, Inc.

Review of current law school curriculum and development of a core of Alternative Dispute Resolution trainers in three selected law schools in Metro Manila

Sentro ng Alternatibong Lingap Panligal (SENTRO)

Operational costs for an attorney to participate in the ASEAN Muslim Lawyers' Meeting in Penang, Malaysia

Social Weather Stations

Publication of a survey of judges: *A Diagnostic Study of the Challenges in the Judiciary*

Supreme Court of the Philippines

Support for the National Forum on Access to Justice through Reforms in the Five Pillars of Justice System; Technical visits by Supreme Court Justices Artemio Panganiban, Antonio Carpio, and Angelina Gutierrez in selected courts and centers in Spain

University of the Philippines College of Law

Development Foundation (UPCLDF)

Establishment of the University of the Philippines Law Center Institute on Dispute Resolution; Training course on environmental law for law professors

University of the Philippines Social Action for Research and Development Foundation

Conflict Management in Community Based Natural Resources Management project to build the capability of existing organizations and local governments to better resolve and prevent conflict situations from escalating

Elections and Legislative Development

Bishops-Businessmen's Conference

Nationwide consultations on amending the 1987 Constitution, focusing on various proposals for changes to economic provisions

Institute for Political and Electoral Reforms

Support to the Asian Conference on Democracy and Electoral Reforms to share Asian democracy's election experiences and identify best practices in the conduct of an election, design of an electoral system, and promote advocacy for electoral reforms

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Asian Institute of Journalism and Communication

Publication and dissemination of *Guidebook for*

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Journalists Covering the Courts and Justices to Journalists and Journalists to Justices: A Reader on Judiciary-Media Relations; Development of a communication program for the court-annexed mediation project

Center for Media Freedom and Responsibility

Promotion of investigative and explanatory reporting through the Jaime V. Ongpin Awards for Excellence in Journalism Program

Philippine Center for Investigative Journalism (PCIJ)

Capacity building for Mindanao journalists to address irresponsible reporting through journalism seminars that focused on upgrading skills, ethical standards, and safety training for journalists; Support to the “Journalists as Bloggers” conference and PCIJ’s blog

Information Technology

Commission on Human Rights (CHR)

Participation of an attorney in the International Colloquium on Effective Use of Information and Communication Technologies for Defending and Promoting Human Rights in Boston, Massachusetts; Integration of the Martus system (an encrypted human rights reporting and documentation software) and the CHR database; Martus Evaluation and Needs Assessment

Crimson Logic Philippines Inc.

Design and implementation of the eGovernance online website

Cyberspace Policy Center for the Asia Pacific

Implementation of the National Telecommunications Commission’s eRulemaking project, a software system for public consultation in drafting regulations through the Commission’s website; Seminar in Davao City on online dispute resolution; Support for a referral process to appropriate dispute resolution outlets, including conciliation, mediation, arbitration, and social services

GoVida Studios

Technical assistance to the Philippines Judicial Academy (PhilJA) in the reproduction of eLearning modules on Remedial Law and Civil Law

Philippine Judicial Academy (PHILJA)

Specialized training course on anti-money laundering for commercial court judges; Launch and implementation of the eLearning Pilot Project to address the judiciary’s continuing legal and skills training needs; Internship program for newly trained mediators in the Court of Appeals; Inauguration of the Philippine Mediation Center in Cagayan de Oro, including a refresher course for Cagayan de Oro mediators and program evaluation of the recently established mediation program; Implementation of a one-month settlement period for court-referred mediation in Metro Manila, Cebu, Davao, and Cagayan de Oro; Reproduction of eLearning modules on remedial and civil law; Establishment of Philippine Mediation Center Units, implementation of mediation training, and support for an advocacy campaign in General Santos and Tacloban

Union of Local Authorities of the Philippines

Management and maintenance of the eGovernance online website

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Asian Institute of Management (AIM)

Support to the AIM Policy Center to conduct the 2005 Philippine Cities Competitiveness Ratings Project by surveying the private sector in 65 cities

Ateneo de Davao University – Center for Local Governance

Documentation of the Business Permits and Licenses Renewal Process for the cities of Samal and Surigao

Ateneo School of Governance

Technical assistance for three cities in Mindanao to focus on streamlining the business licensing and registration process

Notre Dame Business Resource Center Foundation Inc.

Documentation of the Business Permits and Licenses Renewal Process for the cities of Cotabato and General Santos

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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Ateneo Center for Economic Research and Development

Discussion: “World Trends and New Directions for Philippine Foreign Policy”

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT

Adhikain para sa Karapatang Pambata (AKAP)

Workshops for judges on juvenile justice, domestic relations, and dispute resolution

Center for Women’s Studies Foundation, Inc.

Book on the justice system’s contributions to gender and development during the term of the current chief justice, the policies and programs of the Supreme Court on gender, and the effectiveness of its gender sensitivity training sessions

Department of Justice

Support for the Inter-Agency Council Against Trafficking (IACAT) to formulate a strategic action plan for the Implementation of Republic Act No. 9208 (the Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act of 2003)

Social Weather Stations

Sampling in the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao for *Participation of Women in Peace, Governance and Development*; Comparison of the result with national results

Women’s Legal Bureau

Dialogue conference among Muslim and Christian women lawyers and legal advocates

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Ateneo School of Government

Support to conduct presentations on the Health Agenda for Patient Groups

Batas Kalikasan Foundation Inc.

Support for the Capacity Building for Environmental Ombudsman Team project

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 108,000 books and journals to universities, NGOs, schools and other libraries across the Philippines, with 51,639 books distributed in Mindanao; Shipping costs for 14,100 books distributed in Mindanao; Distribution of 21,324 books to the Leyte and Samar islands in central Philippines

Environmental Legal Assistance Center

Assistance to local communities in finding solutions to conflicts related to coastal resource management

Green Forum-Western Visayas

Support for the Iloilo River Community-Based Sanitation Project in Iloilo City

Kahublagan Sang-Panimalay Foundation

Water Quality Management Area (WQMA) Information Dissemination Project in Iloilo City

Mindanao News and Information Cooperative Center (MINDANEWS)

Presentation by the author of *Narratives, Assertions and Spaces: The Case of the Internally Displaced Persons in Central Mindanao*, which was chosen as the “Best Paper in Philippine Studies” during the 16th Annual Graduate Student Conference of the University of Hawaii’s School of Hawaiian, Asian and Pacific Studies

Muntinlupa Development Foundation

Information Education Campaign on Sanitation and Wastewater in Muntinlupa City

Philippine Judicial Academy

Development and production of an Interactive Training Module on the Environment

Pilipina Legal Resource Center

Implementation of local-level meetings and presentations to municipal, city, and provincial legislatures on the Health Agenda for Patient Groups

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St. Catherine Family Helper Inc.

Social Marketing for Waste Water Management
Project in Dumaguete City

VSO Bahaginan Foundation

Promotion and development of sustainable volunteering
programs within organizations through the Basic
Volunteer Management Workshop for Patient Groups

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GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

Ministry of Provincial Councils and Local Government

Coordination of local government strengthening program with 33 local government authorities in six provinces in the areas of local development planning, financial management, service delivery, and community participation (including tsunami recovery)

Cooperating local government authorities in the North-East province include: Aalayadivembu *Pradeshya Sabha*, Akkaraipattu *Pradeshya Sabha*, Kalmunai Municipal Council, Ninthavur *Pradeshya Sabha*, Pottuvil *Pradeshya Sabha*, Thirukkivil *Pradeshya Sabha*, Eravurpattu Chenkalady *Pradeshya Sabha*, Kattankudi Urban Council, Koralaipattu/Valaichenai *Pradeshya Sabha*, Manmunai South Eruvilpattu *Pradeshya Sabha*, Kuchchaveli *Pradeshya Sabha*, Trincomalee Town/Gravets *Pradeshya Sabha*

Cooperating local government authorities in the Southern province include: Galle Municipal Council, Hikkaduwa *Pradeshya Sabha*, Hikkaduwa Urban Council, Hambantota *Pradeshya Sabha*, Hambantota Urban Council, Tissamaharama *Pradeshya Sabha*, Weligama Urban Council, Tangalle Urban Council

Cooperating local government authorities in the Central province include: Hatton-Dickoya Urban Council, Nuwara Eliya Municipal Council, Talawakele-Lindula Urban Council

Cooperating local government authority in the Uva province: Katharagama *Pradeshya Sabha*

Cooperating local government authorities in the North Western province include: Panduwasnuwara *Pradeshya Sabha*, Wariyapola *Pradeshya Sabha*, Chilawa *Pradeshya Sabha*, Kalpitiya *Pradeshya Sabha*

Cooperating local government authorities in the North Central province include: Anuradhapura Municipal Council, Horowpathana *Pradeshya Sabha*, Kahatagasdigiliya *Pradeshya Sabha*, Kebitigollewa

Pradeshya Sabha, Nuweraagampalatha Central *Pradeshya Sabha*

Secretariat for Coordinating the Peace Process

Participation of the legal advisor in the Asian Perspectives meeting on Conflict Management in Asia, held in Washington D.C. and San Francisco

Strategic Conflict Assessment

Consultancies and related research on the causes, nature, and direction of the civil conflict in Sri Lanka

Foundation for Coexistence

Reporting of human security issues and political violence in the multi-ethnic Eastern province for policymakers and the public; External evaluation

Law and Justice

All Ceylon Community Development Centre

Legal services and initiation of legal empowerment programs for women-headed households and plantation laborers in the Central province

Alternative Dispute Resolution Institute

Dispute resolution and mediation skills for village-level local government officials in tsunami-affected districts in Sri Lanka

Bar Association of Sri Lanka

Visit of the president of the International Bar Association

CDR Associates

International technical assistance to the Ministry of Justice Mediation Board Program and the Centre for Mediation and Mediation Training (CMMT) for training of mediation trainers, design of dispute resolution systems, and mediation of land disputes

Centre for Mediation and Mediation Training (CMMT)

Establishment costs of CMMT, a new organization that provides training and technical assistance in mediation to government agencies and NGOs

SRI LANKA

Centre for Policy Alternatives

Support for public interest litigation related to citizen rights issues; Research on the lawmaking process in Sri Lanka; Orientation for local officials to the laws and policies pertaining to work in Sinhala and Tamil

Centre for Social Assessment

Promotion and protection of the human rights of internally displaced Muslims now living in the Puttalam district; Raising awareness of human rights issues among public officials in the area

Civil Rights Movement of Sri Lanka

Development of a software and database to computerize four decades of newspaper clippings to facilitate public access to human rights information under the Human Rights Accountability Coalition Program

Community Trust Fund

Legal services, paralegal training, and legal empowerment activities benefiting internally displaced Muslims in the Puttalam district; Raising awareness of human rights issues in the larger community

Consortium for Humanitarian Agencies

Systematic collection and coding of human rights data pertaining to internally displaced persons in the districts of the North and East in preparation for statistical analysis to determine patterns and trends in human rights abuses under the Human Rights Accountability Coalition Program

Department of Official Languages

Tamil-language training to clerks and other non-judicial court staff in multi-ethnic regions of the country, in partnership with the Judicial Services Commission; Technical assistance to design language rights training curriculum

Department of Statistics and Computing, University of Colombo

Technical support services and capacity building for human rights NGOs involved in the Human Rights Accountability Coalition

Forum for Human Dignity

Systematic collection, coding, and computerization of human rights violations in preparation for statistical analysis to determine patterns and trends in human rights abuses under the Human Rights Accountability Coalition Program

Home for Human Rights

Systematic collection, coding, and computerization of human rights violations, provision of legal assistance to victims of human rights abuses, and facilitation of submissions on illegal detention and arrest to the United Nations Human Rights Committee under the Human Rights Accountability Coalition Program

Human Rights Commission

Provision of support for participation at the annual session of the U.N. Commission on Human Rights in Geneva; Technical and administrative support for a National Database of Disappearances

Human Rights Documentation Center

Establishment of a resource center, which provides technical support for development of a common methodology, coding manuals, and prototype software in The Asia Foundation office for use by members of the Human Rights Accountability Coalition

INFORM

Development of software and database to digitize data in the Documentation unit; Monitoring and documentation of human rights violations in Sri Lanka under the Human Rights Accountability Coalition Program

Institute of Human Rights

Paralegal training and strengthening of community-based organizations; Engagement with the judiciary in Sri Lanka on substantive legal issues and administrative justice; Systematic collection and coding of human rights data in preparation for statistical analysis to determine patterns and trends in human rights abuses under the Human Rights Accountability Coalition Program

SRI LANKA

Justice Mark Fernando

Research, compilation, and publication of a book on Constitutional Law

Kundasale Community Development Foundation

Legal empowerment of plantation workers in Sri Lanka

Law Commission of Sri Lanka

Development of strategic priorities for research on the criminal justice system

Law and Society Trust

Research on the impact of human rights related public interest litigation in Sri Lanka; Study on non-formal human rights education in Sri Lanka

Lawyers for Human Rights and Development

Design and implementation of a paralegal training program for community-based organizations

Legal Aid Commission

Legal advice and support to tsunami survivors to replace lost legal documentation related to their personal identification and property ownership

Legal Empowerment Workshop

Regional technical support and training to community-based organizations involved in legal empowerment programs

Manicarvasagar Elanchelayan

Attendance of an alumni reunion meeting of graduates of the University of Hong Kong Human Rights LL.M. Program

Marga Institute

Public opinion survey on the “Social Image of the Justice System of Sri Lanka”

Mediation Boards Commission

Establishment of community mediation boards in the Northern province

Ministry of Justice

Mediator training and improved awareness about mediation skills and techniques; Implementation of new community mediation boards in the Jaffna district; Tamil-language training for mediators

National Anti War Front

Mobilization of a “People’s Peace Forum” to sustain public participation in the peace process

Organization of Parents and Families of the Disappeared (OPFMD)

Strengthening Human Rights Complaints centers

Quantum Strategic Services (Pvt). Ltd.

Qualitative study on “Knowledge, Attitudes and Practices related to the Justice System in the Northeast Province,” to complement the public opinion survey on the “Social Image of the Justice System of Sri Lanka”

University of Pennsylvania, Solomon Asch Center

Technical guidance and review of methodologies and programs of post-tsunami psychosocial support

Victims of Torture Program Inception

Planning workshop for psychosocial workers and community-based needs assessment aimed at reducing effects and incidences of torture

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Centre for Advancement of Resource Mobilization

Support to 10 Sri Lankan participants in the 2004 South Asia Regional Resource Mobilization Workshop in Colombo, a workshop on NGO fundraising

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Ministry of Finance and Planning

Support for the public consultation process on the government of Sri Lanka’s proposal for assistance from the Millennium Challenge Account

SRI LANKA

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Bandaranaike Centre for International Studies

Visiting fellow in international relations at the Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Muslim Women's Research and Action Forum

Awareness-raising campaign on women's rights in Islam and Islamic practices; Moderate interpretations of Islamic teachings based on the Quran

Sarvodaya Legal Services Movement

Legal empowerment of marginalized and vulnerable communities and strengthening of community-based mediation skills with a specific focus on resolution of family and domestic disputes

Vehilihini Development Centre

Regularization and legalization of land ownership of the women of the Moneragala district in Sri Lanka; Empowerment of marginalized communities through education and awareness to safeguards rights

Women in Need

Legal empowerment programs to enhance the services provided to victims of violence within marginalized and vulnerable communities through legal awareness, paralegal training, and community strengthening

OTHER

Anglican Church in Sri Lanka

Educational support to tsunami-affected high school students in the Jaffna and Mullaitivu districts

Asia Pacific Philanthropy Consortium (APPC)

Support for participation in the annual conference in Phuket, Thailand

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of 60,000 donated books and other publications to schools, universities, public

libraries, professional institutions, teacher training colleges, technical colleges, and NGOs

Clean Air /Sri Lanka

Awareness program on air quality management, in collaboration with the Air Resource Management Centre (AirMac)

District Chamber of Commerce – Galle; District Chamber of Commerce – Hambantota; District Chamber of Commerce – Matara; Matara District Association of Small and Medium Enterprises

Recapitalization grants to small business owners affected by the tsunami in the Southern province

Environmental Foundation Ltd

Self organization and collective action by the community in two selected locations in Sri Lanka in this community-based environmental management program

HELP-O

Collaboration between the Galle Municipal Council, Karapitiya Teaching Hospital, and HELP-O to produce bio-gas and compost from the non toxic solid waste of the kitchen at Karapitiya Hospital

Hindu Women's Society

Rehabilitation of fishing communities affected by the tsunami in the Mullaitivu district

International Association of Lions Clubs District 306A

Provision of basic educational requirements for school children in tsunami-affected areas in the Galle district

International War – Related Trauma and Humanitarian Intervention Trust (IWTHI)

Technical support for community-based psychosocial interventions to individuals, families, and communities affected by the tsunami

Margamithuro

Improvement of urban air quality through individual owner management of vehicular emissions

SRI LANKA

National Christian Council in Sri Lanka; Rotary Club; Sri Gunodaya Maha Pirivena

Relief and rehabilitation activities in tsunami-affected districts

People's Action for Free and Fair Elections (PAFFREL)

Survey of communities affected by the tsunami and compilation of statistics on the distribution of legal documents

Sarvodaya Legal Services Movement

Psycho-spiritual healing empowerment program for tsunami survivors

Survivors Associated

Promotion of psychological well being through the alleviation of stress on tsunami affected communities

Vehilihini Development Centre

Community-based waste management and sanitation program

WINGS

Mobilization of direct involvement of school children and their communities for environmental protection through education and awareness on the sources and impact of pollution; Observation program for Development Alternatives (India) staff to Sri Lanka and WINGS staff to Bangalore

TAIWAN*

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GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Law and Justice

Taiwan Nonprofit Organizations Self-Regulation Alliance

Establishment of an alliance of 63 Taiwan non-profit organizations (NPOs) as a legal entity to implement codes of conduct, facilitate a healthy legal environment for NPOs, and build capacity for practitioners

Elections and Legislative Development

Taiwan Legislative Development Program

A multi-year program to strengthen the efficiency and performance of the legislative branch in Taiwan; Design and implementation of a series of activities that will enhance the transparency, accountability, deliberativeness, and accessibility of democratic institutions and processes in Taiwan

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Asia Foundation In Taiwan

Non-profit sector service programs in Taiwan, including enhancing the growth and development of civil society, developing democracy and civil society programs and issues related to entrepreneurship, and promoting cross-strait and regional learning and exchanges; Monitoring and assistance to the Health Reform Foundation in the ongoing implementation and evaluation of a project to set and improve consumer-based standards for health-care quality in Taiwan

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

APEC 2005-2006

Support for a two-year (2005-2006) proposal to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on the topic, "Developing Community for Sustainable Prosperity," which will be one of the initiatives from Taiwan for the November APEC Leaders' Meeting, held in Busan, Korea

Asia Patent Seminar Series IV: Patent Litigation Strategies in the United States for Asian Companies

International seminar and pilot event, organized with Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, L.L.P. and NCCU's Graduate Institute of Intellectual Property, enabling the Taiwanese public to better understand the U.S. patent litigation system

OECD Multinational Enterprises and Corporate Social Responsibility Program

Promotion of corporate social responsibility awareness and practices among Taiwan's multi-national enterprises (MNEs); Organization of an international forum; Publishing of a case-study book from 10 selected Taiwanese MNEs in executing corporate social responsibility in global investment

Symposium on Academia-Industry Collaboration

International symposium sponsored by the Ministry of Education to explore academia-industry collaboration

Symposium on Global Strategy and Transnational Opportunity

Support for the involvement of Taiwanese corporations in International Organization procurements

Symposium on Patent Commercialization Strategy - International Marketing & Patent Litigation

International symposium to unveil the Taiwan Patent Scoreboard

Training on Commercialization and Industrialization of Agricultural Technology

Organization of a series of training courses designed to enhance the awareness and understanding of IPR-related issues in the field of agricultural technology

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

2005 International Forum on Prospects in Asia

International conference and roundtable to discuss the rise of China and its impacts on international relations among Asia-Pacific countries, with topics including China's role in future world order, the outlook for China's relations with Asia-Pacific countries, future

TAIWAN*

security framework in the region, and how Taiwan should position itself in response to the changes

U.S.-Taiwan Technical Cooperation in Environmental Fields

Study tours, workshops, and long-term training for the U.S. EPA-EPAT joint program on technical cooperation in environmental protection

Mainland-Taiwan Agricultural Exchange Program

Operation costs for five agricultural experts to visit a western farming territory in the Si-chuan province of China

Promoting Mongolia Poultry Farming

Establishment of a poultry farming center in the Selenge province; Drafting of a plan and provision of training seminars and consultation services for the neighborhood

Protection, Management, Commercialization and Industrialization of Agricultural Technology to the United States

Study tour by five officials of Taiwan's Council of Agriculture to the University of California, University of Washington, Washington State University, USDA Western Regional Research Center in Albany, and private firms and organizations to increase knowledge of U.S. agricultural research units in their management of intellectual property and agricultural technology transfer

Taiwanese and Indonesian Islamic NGO Leaders Exchange Project

Strengthening Taiwanese Muslim and Indonesia Muslim communities through organizing a delegation of Taiwan Islamic NGO leaders to visit 14 Indonesian Islamic organizations, grass-root NGOs, and international NGOs in Jakarta

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

International Workshop for Combating Human Trafficking

Three-day international workshop to propose anti-trafficking strategy training for 100 Taiwanese

government officials, law enforcement agents, legislation staff, and NGO leaders, with speakers from the Philippines, Cambodia, Vietnam, and Japan

OTHER

Improving Consumer-based Standard's of Healthcare Quality in Taiwan

Implementation of a survey, conducted by THRE, related to the rising costs of patients' medical fees; Promotion of physical examinations and medical testing quality

Taiwan Health Reform Foundation

Continued support for a two-part project to improve the transparency of hospitals' financial and staffing information; Support to increase public awareness and knowledge of health insurance industry violations in Taiwan

THAILAND

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

King Prajadhipok's Institute (KPI)

Support for the KPI Congress VI on the Culture of Peace and Sustainable Democracy; Dissemination research workshop entitled, "Southern Thai Perceptions of Conflict"; Workshop entitled, "Deliberative Dialogues and Conflict Resolution"

Konnum Creation Partnership

Focus group discussions in traditional coffee councils to examine issues of violence in southern Thailand

Law and Justice

Cross Cultural Foundation

Legal assistance to migrant workers affected by the 2004 tsunami

Development Support Consortium/Thai Fund Foundation

Development of a legal assistance database system for tsunami victims

Muslim Lawyer Club

Seminar series entitled, "Public Opinion on Shari-ah Law in Thailand"

Network of Human Rights and Democracy in Muslim Society

Preparation of volunteer trainers on the topics of human rights and democracy

Women Lawyers Association of Thailand

Legal aid and rights protection for tsunami victims

Elections and Legislative Development

Associate Members of Parliament Consideration

Seminar series entitled, "Constitutional Crisis: Is It Time to Amend?"

Civil Society, Media Development, and Education

Al-Aowkof Mosque

Workshop entitled, "Civic Participation in Community Development"

Islam and Development

Foundation for Islamic Center of Thailand, Division of Women, Children and Family Affairs

Workshop entitled, "Morality in Islam for Muslim Students in Public Schools"; Workshop entitled, "The Work of Community Development Organizations and Muslims in the Six Southern Provinces Affected by the Tsunami"

Group of Ash Shabaab Thai Muslim Youth Forum

Series of extra-curricular activities for Muslim youth; Production of leaflets on civic participation in local governance

King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi, Muslim Student Society

Strengthening of Muslim university student activities and networking

Prateepsart School; Santichon Islamic School

English camp to improve the English-language skills of Muslim high school students

Additional Programs

Travel costs for a consultant team to gather data on the impact of the December 2004 tsunami; Transportation fees for rehabilitation activities organized at the Tsunami Relief Project; Training program for master trainers of human rights and trainers for citizens with hearing disabilities; Consultation services to present at the Foundation's Civic Participation in Local Governance program; Inception workshop on Civic Participation in Local Governance program activities; Consultation services to implement Civic Participation in Local Governance program activities

Information Technology

The Council of the State Website

Support for the Thai Office of the Council of State website, www.krisdika.go.th

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Center for Protection of Children's Rights Foundation

Protection of the rights of children

THAILAND

Chiang Rai Social Development and Public Welfare Office, Victim Help Center and Handle Human Trafficking Chiang Rai

Multi-disciplinary team of professionals in Chiang Rai province to combat trafficking in persons

Coordination Group for the Development of Lamphun Youth and Women

Workshop entitled, “The Prevention of Trafficking and Violence Against Children and Women”

Development and Education Programme for Daughters and Communities Center

Assistance to at-risk groups and protection of victims of trafficking along the northern border of Thailand

Gender and Development Research Institute

Workshop entitled, “Access to Justice: Holding the State Accountable for Violence Against Women (VAW) by Non-State Actors”

Lumphun Coordination Center for the Protection of the Rights of Children and Women

Multi-disciplinary team of professionals in Lamphun province to combat trafficking in persons

New Life Center Foundation

Secondary shelter/services for victims of trafficking in person (TIP) and tribal girls at risk

Office of the National Culture Commission

Short anti-trafficking documentary TV production to be presented during the “The White Ribbon Concert”

PAVENA Foundation for Children and Women

Project to rescue victims of trafficking and sexual abuse

Promotion of Women’s Status Club/Nakhon Ratchasima

Multi-disciplinary team of professionals in Nakhon Ratchasima province to combat trafficking in persons

Task Force to Combat Trafficking of Women and Children in Northern Thailand

Combating the trafficking of women and children in Northern Thailand

Volunteers Group for Children Development

Protection of Chiang Mai street children

Additional Programs

Consultation services for Anti-Trafficking Program development; Anti-trafficking website, www.TipInAsia.info; Survey on trafficking; Street theater productions on violence against women and human trafficking

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Chulalongkorn University, Faculty of Political Science

Implementation of American Studies activities

Additional Programs

Participation of six Thai at the 9th International Conference on Thai Studies (ICTS) at Northern Illinois University in DeKalb, Illinois

OTHER

Anti-air Pollution and Environmental Protection Foundation

Series of activities to promote improved preventive maintenance of diesel vehicles

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of 41,609 books and journals to 524 institutions

Nation Multimedia Group Public Co., Ltd.

2004-2005 Nieman Journalism Fellowship at Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Thammasat University, Executive Public Administration Foundation

Design of public participation indicators and drafting of a national public participation policy

Additional Programs

Activities to celebrate The Asia Foundation’s 50th anniversary in Thailand

VIETNAM

GOVERNANCE, LAW, AND CIVIL SOCIETY

Local Governance, Counter Corruption, and Conflict Management

Government Inspectorate

Enhancement of the legal framework and practice of people’s inspection boards for greater grassroots transparency and accountability

Hanoi Institute for Socio-Economic Development Studies

Strengthening transparent and accountable governance at the local level by encouraging public access to financial information, citizen participation in budget planning, and public monitoring of budget implementation; Research for Ministry of Finance and the World Bank on main constraints to greater transparency, accountability, and public participation in the commune budget process and potential solutions to problems identified

Information Technology

Office of the National Assembly

Refinement of the mechanism for public participation in drafting, promulgating, and implementing laws

The People’s Committee of Ho Chi Minh City

Establishment of a foundation for more effective, accountable government through the adoption of eGovernment within the districts of Ho Chi Minh City

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT

An Giang Women’s Union

Protection of the rights of trafficking survivors in An Giang province through community education, vocational training to at-risk females, and a loan fund program

Center for Education Promotion and Empowerment for Women (CEPEW)

Prevention and deterrence of human trafficking through economic empowerment programs in Quang Ninh province; Increasing knowledge of and participation in the budgeting process piloted in the Thai Nguyen province through training for local

authorities and citizens; Implementation of a workshop to discuss participation in the budget process, especially targeted toward women

National Legal Aid Agency (NLAA)

Prevention of trafficking in women and children and enhanced protection of trafficked victims through better legal aid services and increased in-country coordination among government agencies and mass organizations tasked with victim protection, integration, and investigation

Vietnam Women’s Union

Prevention of trafficking in women and children; Increased women’s participation through prevention education, community monitoring, vocational/technical training, business development, provision of micro-credit, and strengthening the Women’s Union capacity; Cross-border workshops between Vietnam-Cambodia and Vietnam-China to facilitate bilateral cooperation to combat and prevent trafficking in women and children; Study tour to Thailand to visit organizations in Chiang Rai, Chiang Mai, and Bangkok

ECONOMIC REFORM AND DEVELOPMENT

Vietnam Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Identification of best practices of provincial economic governance and spreading such practices to provinces with poor economic performances

Vietnam Competitiveness Initiative (VNCI)

VNCI is an economic growth project to improve the competitiveness of Vietnamese small and medium enterprises, and is funded by the U.S. Agency for International Development and managed by Development Alternatives, Inc. (DAI). The Asia Foundation is the principal subcontractor to DAI and is responsible for managing the policy reform activities of VNCI, including:

BizConsult Attorneys & Consultants

Survey to review and compare the business licensing regimes in Hanoi and Vinh Phuc with reference to the one-door mechanism

VIETNAM

promulgated in PM Decree 181 and international best practice on One-Stop shop model; Continued assistance and legal advice on the establishment and operation of a handicrafts association in Ha Tay province

Faculty of Economics of Vietnam National University, Ho Chi Minh City

Research on Vietnam's provincial and municipal policy-lending organizations and assessment of their operational effectiveness and impact on commercial lending, especially related to the SME access to finance in Vietnam

Hanoi Union of Associations of Industry and Commerce

Workshop on the role of media and private sector development

Ho Chi Minh Computers Association (HCA)

Workshop organized in Ho Chi Minh City to disseminate VNCI's second-year report entitled, "Competition Review of the Vietnam Telecom Sector"

VietBid Technology & Investment Consulting Center

Survey reviewing government programs and policies to promote the software sector in Vietnam

Vietnam Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Development and dissemination of a Provincial Competitiveness Index that measures cross-provincial performance in economic governance; Support to conduct provincial diagnostics to analyze the strengths and weaknesses of the province in question in order to enhance competitiveness

Vietnam Chamber of Commerce and Industry and Vietnam Socio-Economic Development Research Center

Study on WTO accession implications for

industrial policy and Vietnamese business community's understanding of and readiness to respond to changes under WTO

Vietnam Socio-Economic Development Research Center

Study assessing factors behind the high internal transportation costs in Vietnam that undermine private sector competitiveness

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Government Inspectorate-Research Institute

Vietnamese participation in an observation tour to the U.S. for Southeast Asian emerging leaders (funded by Freeman Foundation) entitled, "Post-Election Perspectives on Key Domestic and Foreign Policy Issues and Concerns"

Institute for International Relations

Conference entitled, "Ten Years After Normalization: Prospects for Improved U.S.-Vietnam Relations," held in Washington D.C.

Pacific Links Foundation

The second Vietnamese-American NGO conference to build mechanisms for better communication and information sharing among Vietnamese-American NGOs, focused on development work in Vietnam

University of Social Sciences and Humanities/Vietnam National University-Hanoi

Promotion of American Studies in Vietnam at the university level by (1) the consultancy visit of an American specialist from the George Washington University's Department of Political Science to USSH/Hanoi faculty to review, revise, and expand curriculum on American Studies courses; (2) scholarship to two lecturers to attend master's program in U.S. cultural studies at the University of Maryland and a one-semester placement with the American Studies program at the University of Texas; and (3) American studies programs at five U.S. universities

VIETNAM

OTHER

Books for Asia

Acquisition and distribution of more than 40,000 books to more than 100 universities, provincial and public libraries, and other institutions across Vietnam in collaboration with the National Library of Vietnam

Center for Consultant and Development on Metrological Technology

Strengthening stakeholder participation in the process of tightening the unleaded gasoline and diesel fuel standards in Vietnam to improve air quality

Center for Education and Communication of Environment

Enhancement of public participation in the process of amending the Law on Environmental Protection; Increased public participation in environmental decision-making, community-based environmental education, and awareness-raising programs

Center for Raising the Intellectual Standard of People; Vietnamese Association for Promoting and Supporting Educational Development

Scholarships to disadvantaged girls in Vietnam

Education for Nature Vietnam

Establishment of an environmental education program for urban schools in Hanoi

Environmental Communication and Community Development Association

Improvement of solid waste management and protection of legal rights and interests of private waste collectors in District 5, Ho Chi Minh City

Hai Phong Tourism Development Promotion Center

Environmental education for local tour guides in Hai Phong

Ho Chi Minh City Environmental Protection Agency

Promotion of restoration of the Tan Hoa-Lo Gom canal in Ho Chi Minh City

National Library of Vietnam

Provision of American history, art, and literature to libraries in Ho Chi Minh City, Can Tho, Hue, and the National Library of Vietnam; Hosting high-visibility book exhibitions at provincial libraries and the National Library of Vietnam; Upgrading the reading room facilities in the provincial libraries of Ho Chi Minh City, Can Tho, Hue, and the National Library of Vietnam

Vietnam Center for Science and Technology on Environment & Development

Reduction of pollution discharges through effective implementation of pollution charge requirements via targeted awareness-raising campaigns and training; Raising awareness of the private sector, local communities and society, and increased access to the Hanoi Environment Fund

Vietnam Environment & Sustainable Development Institute

Gathering comments and opinions from mass organizations, social and professional associations, and selected local communities on the drafts of Tourism Law; Increased public awareness and participation in developing tourism law in Vietnam

REGIONAL PROGRAMS

ASIA PACIFIC PHILANTHROPY CONSORTIUM (APPC)

Alliance Magazine

Distribution in the Asia-Pacific region of *Alliance*, the leading journal on philanthropy and NGO developments around the world

Asia Pacific Philanthropy Information Network (APPIN) and www.asianphilanthropy.org

Support to the University of Technology, Sydney, for continuous updating of country profile data on the philanthropic sector, and further expanded website features

National-Level Networking Activities

Local activities in Australia, Bangladesh, China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Korea, Japan, Pakistan, Philippines, Taiwan, and Thailand designed to strengthen local philanthropy networks and engage stakeholders in a dialogue on key issues related to the promotion of philanthropy in their countries

Non-profit Law Updates

Partial support for the United States International Grantmaking (USIG) Project of the Council on Foundations and International Center for Not-for-Profit Law, to update and expand the Asian country legal notes made available to the public through the website, www.usig.org

Philanthropic Leadership and Development

Completion of a pilot study on the motivations, practices, and obstacles surrounding the philanthropic activities of high net worth individuals in Bangladesh, India, Indonesia, Pakistan, Philippines, and Thailand

Philanthropy and Law in South Asia

Publication and launch of the book and CD-Rom, *Philanthropy and Law in South Asia*, based upon APPC-sponsored research on the legal and regulatory framework for philanthropy and the non-profit sector in Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka

INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

Web Portal for Muslim Women in South Asia

Advancement of gender equity and women's rights within an Islamic framework; Facilitation of cross-regional cross-fertilization to introduce South Asian Muslim leaders – male and female – to their counterparts in Southeast Asia; Promotion of sharing strategies and resources on Muslim women's rights

www.TIPinAsia.info

First-ever multi-language counter-trafficking in persons web portal, www.TIPinAsia.info; Regional web portal to serve as a communication tool for anti-trafficking advocates and partner organizations; Translation of www.TIPinAsia.info in English, Khmer, and Thai

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

America's Role in Asia

Publication of findings and recommendations of companion reports entitled *America's Role in Asia: American Views* and *America's Role in Asia: Asian Views*, with public events in Washington, D.C., San Francisco, China, Korea, Japan, Mongolia, Singapore, the Philippines, Indonesia, and Bangladesh, held to publicize and discuss key issues and trends in U.S.-Asian relations

Laos Women Union

Participation of a senior official from the Laos Women Union to attend a conference that examined United States-Laos relations at Johns Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies in Washington, D.C.

United States–People's Republic of China-Japan Trilateral Dialogue

Eighth conference in a series that provided an opportunity for an exchange of views among key officials and scholars in the American foreign policy community and their Chinese and Japanese counterparts on issues of critical importance to the three countries

REGIONAL PROGRAMS

U.S. National Committee for the Council for Security Cooperation in the Asia-Pacific (CSCAP)

Leading Track II forum focusing on security issues in the Asia-Pacific region

reports and the Commission on Human Rights' (CHR) database; Translation of the software into Cambodian, Nepalese, and Thai

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM

Consultancy on Women and Islam

Assessment of the current environment and priorities among religious leaders and Muslim-based civil society organizations for future women and Islam programming opportunities

South Asia Women and Islam

Meeting in Kathmandu to share best practices and build networks among Foundation partners working to advance women's rights within an Islamic framework; Meeting in Dhaka to plan a February 2006 regional conference on women's rights and Islam in South Asia

Commission on the Status of Women

Support to the Centre for Social Research, India, to facilitate a panel discussion entitled, "Genesis of Violence: Trafficking and Dowry Deaths in South Asia" at the 49th Session of the Commission on the Status of Women

OTHER

Center for Civic Education

International conference on civic education, held in Penang

International Center for Islam and Pluralism

NGO exchange hosted by JUST International; International seminar on Islam, held in Jakarta

MARTUS Human Rights Software

Documentation of human rights violations in Cambodia, Nepal, Thailand, and the Philippines; Introduction of Martus to local human rights organizations, the National Human Rights Commission in Thailand, and the Nepal Human Rights Commission; Connectivity between electronic

OTHER U.S.-ADMINISTERED PROGRAMS

BOOKS FOR ASIA

Acquisition and provision of 1,100,000 books and journals with an estimated in-kind value of more than \$28 million to thousands of recipient schools, universities, public libraries, and other institutions in 14 countries

LUCE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

Ten-month scholarships for 15 scholars in Asia; Operational costs through the San Francisco and Asian offices

WASHINGTON, D.C.

18th Ellsworth Bunker Asian Ambassador's Series discussion

Hosting of Ambassador Kishore Mahbubani, dean of the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, for the 18th Ellsworth Bunker Asian Ambassador's Series discussion, where he presented his new book, *Beyond the Age of Innocence: Rebuilding Trust between America and the World*

Afghanistan: An Emerging Democracy

"Afghanistan: An Emerging Democracy," an exhibit illustrating the stages of Afghanistan's democratic development since the December 2001 establishment of the Bonn Agreement; Support for the exhibit to be displayed at the Rayburn House Office Building on Capitol Hill and at Union Station, October 18-29

Bangladesh Update

Presentation by The Asia Foundation's representative in Dhaka about new developments in Bangladesh

Blending Islam and Democracy: Asia's Unique Experience

Hosting of The Asia Foundation's representatives from Afghanistan, Indonesia, the Philippines, and Thailand at a conference entitled, "Blending Islam and Democracy: Asia's Unique Experience" in Washington, D.C.; Discussion of Islam's

constructive role in furthering Asian democratic reforms

Education Programs in Afghanistan

Hosting of The Asia Foundation's senior program officer in Kabul to discuss the Foundation's efforts to enhance and strengthen education in Afghanistan

H.E. Abdullah Abdullah, Minister of Foreign Affairs, The Islamic Republic of Afghanistan

Hosting of the foreign minister of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C. to address Afghanistan's efforts in democratization and economic improvement

H.E. Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono, President of the Republic of Indonesia

Co-sponsorship, with the U.S. Indonesia Society, U.S. ASEAN Business Council, and U.S. Chamber of Commerce, of a gala dinner in Washington D.C. in honor of the president of the Republic of Indonesia, addressing relations with the United States and post-tsunami reconstruction and rehabilitation; U.S. Chamber of Commerce event where the president delivered a speech to the U.S. business community extending his appreciation for the U.S. government and U.S. private sector assistance in response to the December 2004 tsunami; Discussion of the Indonesian economy and Indonesia's economic revitalization agenda

Implementing the Six-Party Joint Statement and the Korean Peninsula

Conference discussing the Joint Statement and the Korean Peninsula, with presenters and discussants from Korea and the United States covering topics including, "The U.S.-R.O.K. Cooperation," "The U.S.-D.P.R.K. Relations and Inter-Korean Relations," and "Assessing the Joint Statement"

International Conference on Thai Studies

Participation by a panel of experts from Thailand in the International Conference on Thai Studies held at Northern Illinois University, with topics including Prime Minister Thaksin Shinawatra's second adminis-

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tration and the security situation in southern Thailand, efforts at conflict resolution, and implications for regional stability

Legal Reform in China: Problems and Prospects

Conference entitled, “Legal Reform in China: Problems and Prospects,” in Washington D.C.; Presentations on administrative and judicial reform and legal education; Discussion of the legal profession in China, with special guests including the ambassador to the United States from the People’s Republic of China, H.E. Zhou Wenzhong , and the Honorable Sandra Day O’Conner, justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, who gave a keynote address entitled, “Legal Reform in China: American Perspectives”

North Korean Nuclear Issue and Regional Security Cooperation

Hosting of a delegation from the China Institute in Contemporary International Relations (CICIR) for a seminar on security issues in North Korea; Discussion of North Korea’s nuclear program, China’s relationship with North Korea, and prospects for future security cooperation in the Asia-Pacific region

Political and Economic Trends in Mongolia

Hosting of The Asia Foundation’s representative in Mongolia at a meeting addressing the U.S.-Mongolia bilateral relationship and recent Mongolian political and economic trends

Private Sector Summit on Post-Tsunami Reconstruction and Rehabilitation

Co-organization of the Private Sector Summit on Post-Tsunami Reconstruction and Rehabilitation in Washington D.C., with President H. W. Bush and President Clinton serving as keynote speakers to an audience of over 450 attendees representing international governments, corporations, NGOs, and philanthropists

Recent Events in Nepal

Hosting of The Asia Foundation’s representative in Nepal to discuss recent actions by King Gyanendra, the political climate in Nepal, the Maoist insurgency, and prospects for the future

Reconciliation and Reconstruction: Building Peace and Prosperity after the Tsunami

A briefing, co-hosted with Give2Asia, on efforts by local actors in post-tsunami reconstruction

Reforms in China: Enhancing the Political Role of Chinese Lawyers

Co-hosting of a presentation by Gong Xiaobing, director-general of the Department of Judicial Assistance and Foreign Affairs in China’s Ministry of Justice, to present an assessment of the current state of the Chinese legal profession

South Korean National Assembly Study Tour

Hosting of a delegation of first-term National Assembly Members from the Republic of Korea to meet with American policymakers, legislative staff, and Korea specialists

Southeast Asian Emerging Leaders’ Study Tour

Sponsorship, in conjunction with AAX, of a fourth-year of exchanges for an emerging generation of American and Southeast Asian leaders to gain a more nuanced understanding of the political, economic, and social dynamics in the U.S. and Southeast Asia; Support for a delegation of eight young professionals from Southeast Asia to meet a cross-section of Americans and a counterpart delegation of eight young Americans to travel to several Southeast Asian nations

Update on the Philippines

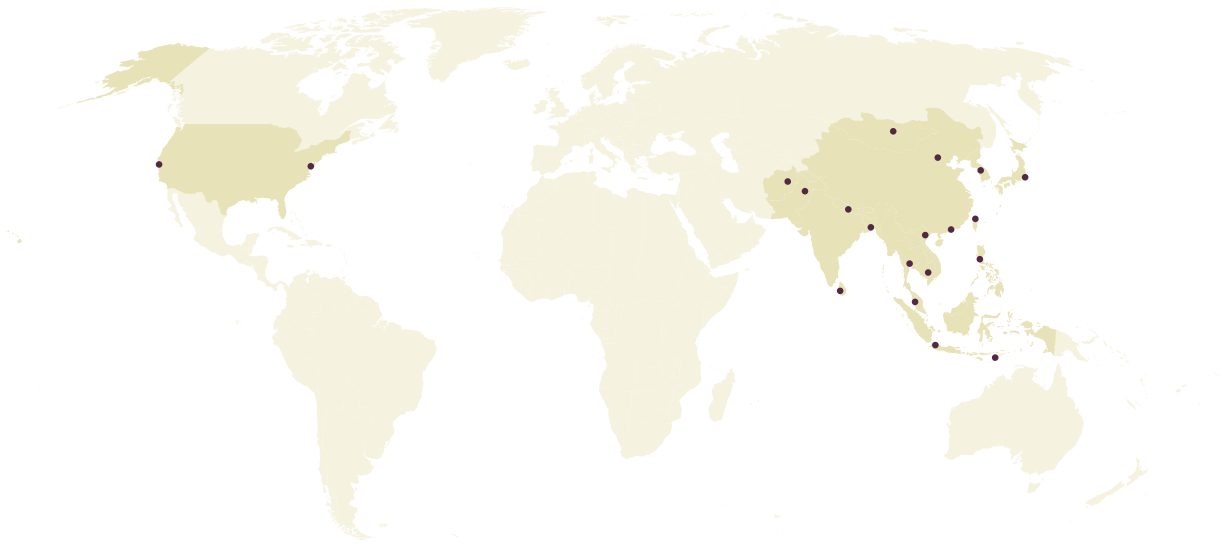
Hosting of The Asia Foundation’s representative in the Philippines to address the current economic and political situation and potential for constitutional change in the Philippines

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William P. Fuller Fellowship in Conflict Resolution

Fellowship that furthers professional development to young Asians with leadership potential and a commitment to strengthening scholarship and applied approaches in conflict resolution

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