

2012 CIEE: International Faculty Development Seminars

Basics: 17 different two-week programs around the globe, designed to help colleges internationalize curricula, create links with institutions abroad, enlarge the pool of faculty with an international focus and possibly lead to greater campus-globe connections. Prices range typically range from \$3,000-\$4,000 and include all on-site costs, but not airfare, passport or visa charges, some meals and incidentals.

2012 Offerings: 2012 programs are being offered in Botswana, Brazil, Chile, China, Costa Rica, France, Germany/Poland, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Korea, Senegal, Spain/Morocco, Sweden, Tanzania/Kenya, Turkey and the United Arab Emirates.

Application: Program applications for summer 2012 are due by March 1, 2012, though we recommend early enrollment due to limited space on most programs. Details on application are available at www.ciee.org/ifds. Typical applications include a CV, contact information, and a letter explaining the motivations and interest in the specific program. Once approved, faculty have until March 5, 2012 to complete a confirmation agreement.

Financial Support: In addition to any PMA funds you may wish to use for this experience, there are two other possible sources of funding which make the program more affordable.

1. **PING Fellowships:** This is a grant ranging from \$1,000-\$1,500 which is awarded competitively to applicants. As a CIEE member, Augustana and its faculty are eligible to apply. The deadline for applications for the PING are due January 15th, 2012. We recommend that if you wish to apply for the PING, that you also complete your program application by the January 15th deadline. Further information on the PING Fellowship is available at www.ciee.org/ifds
2. **Augustana IOP Grants:** The offices of International & Off-Campus programs offer three grants of \$3,000 each year to Augustana faculty who are accepted into a CIEE-IFDS summer program. Faculty are required to turn in an application to IOP by February 6th, 2010. A grant application is essentially a short narrative which serves as a statement of intent, indicating which program you wish to attend, the motivations for that choice, a preliminary concept of how the experience will manifest in future teaching or campus service and a history of any international study or travel in which you have participated. Applications should also include a brief letter of support from the department chair for each candidate.

As the IOP Grant is viewed as a faculty development opportunity, several factors regarding past experience or expertise and participation in international programming will be considered, along with the quality of the application materials. There is a preference given to providing opportunities to faculty who do not currently possess a strong background in international studies or for whom the region or nation of interest is unfamiliar. This is not meant to discourage applications from any faculty member who can make a case for a particular CIEE-IFDS program, however there is an interest in expanding our pool of faculty with international ties and interests, rather than strengthening the profile of those faculty on campus who regularly engage in global themes and come to the program with a strong background in the region. Past grant winners may apply again, but will only be considered if there are open grants available once any new candidate has been awarded funding.

The decision date for the IOP Grant will be Friday, February 17th.

Past Grant Recipients:

Baugous—Korea	Farrar—Spain/Morocco	Makula—Spain/Morocco	Sommer—Spain/Morocco, Holland
Bertsche—Spain	Fenwick—Ireland, Hungary	McDowell—Ireland	Tallitsch—Nepal
Claus—Costa Rica	Kaul—Ireland	Neill—Senegal, Nepal	Trotter—Poland/Germany
Corts—Senegal	Kivisto—India	Pfautz—Ghana	Van Sandt—Netherlands
Dziadyk—India, Russia	Koontz—Ireland	Smith—Cambodia/Vietnam	Varallo—Spain/Morocco, India
Ericson—Cambodia/Vietnam	Lee—China		