

Strategic Priorities

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

The Office of International Affairs promotes international education at the University and in the larger community. The concept of diversity defines our mission as international educators.

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Goal 1: Acquire a data management program, namely fsaATLAS.

Summary: IA believes it needs the fsaATLAS program to ensure that the university meets all immigration regulations.

Goal 2: Assist faculty to design and promote new opportunities for study abroad while increasing the number of Fulbright awards.

Summary: IA will work with faculty and administrators to develop new cooperative agreements and promote the Fulbright program; it will also support programs that promote intercultural communication.

Goal 3: Assist faculty and staff in attracting external funding to support international activities.

Summary: IA submitted a proposal to host a second Fulbright Gateway Orientation Program (August 2005; 47 scholars) and has submitted proposals for faculty exchange programs.

Goal 4: Provide instruction and training in intercultural communication to the community and state.

Summary: IA staff members give talks on this subject locally, across the state, nationally, and abroad. Individual IA staff members teach courses on this topic, offer training on immigration regulations and other issues, and direct workshops / courses on study abroad and leadership in international education.

