Greetings Colleagues, Friends, and Supporters:

We hope that everyone’s summer is off to an excellent start. As of June 15, 2012, the 2011-2012 Humphrey year officially came to a close. We would like to thank all of you for all the time, support, and generosity you shared with this year’s Humphrey Fellowship Program. The success of this program would not have been possible without all of your efforts!

Please enjoy our latest update and we look forward to working with you again in the 2012-2013 Humphrey Year.

Sincerely,
The Humphrey Team:
Nancy, Alison, Anna, & Sydney

Thanks for a Great Year!
Exploring: Adventures in the Great Smoky Mountains!

Teaching: The South American Fellows with education students from Brazil

Celebrating: A successful semester!

Learning: Listening Attentively to the End of Year Presentations

Networking: Alonso & Aye got to meet Senator Lamar Alexander

Serving: With the Ladies of Thistle Farms/Magdalene House
Professional Affiliations

An integral part of the Humphrey Fellowship Program is the fellows’ participation in high level internships called professional affiliations. This component of the program provides the fellows with a unique opportunity to participate in meaningful, in-depth work and professional exchange with an American organization or NGO of their choosing. We would like to sincerely thank the organizations below for opening their doors and sharing their knowledge and expertise with the Fellows.

Fellows’ 2012 Professional Affiliations

- Arc of Nashville
- MNPS Martin Professional Development Center
- Alignment Nashville
- TN Voices
- Connexion Americas
- Vanderbilt’s Center for Latin American Studies
- Vanderbilt’s Kennedy Center
- TN Achievement School District
- Discovery Education
- Southern Regional Education Board (SREB)
- UNICEF
- Center for Applied Special Technology (CAST)
- Arc of Minnesota
- DC Scores

“I was so well involved in the activities and so well integrated that visitors thought I was a full-time member of the staff.” Davry Jean, Cote d’Ivoire

“I learned a lot from this experience and now I have confidence of training school principals on specific areas for school improvement.” – Sobia Alam, Pakistan

Sonia shows program coordinator, Joyce around Unicef, her non-local professional affiliation.
During the 2012-2013 school year, Vanderbilt University will be hosting 10 educational leaders. The Fellows are leaders in the field of education in their home countries. Humphrey Fellows for 2012-2013 are from the following countries: Bahrain, Brazil, India, Liberia, Maldives, Myanmar (2), Niger, Nigeria, and Pakistan.

2012-2013 Abridged Calendar

- July 31: Fellows Arrive
- Aug. 22: Vanderbilt Classes Begin
- Sept. 4 & 5: Individual Presentations by Humphrey Fellows
- Sept. 27: Humphrey Welcome Reception
- Oct. 4-5: Fall Break, Professional & Cultural Trip to Atlanta
- Oct. 9 & 10: Small Group Presentations by Fellows
- Oct. 21-26: Fellows attend Global Leadership Forum in DC
- Nov. 17-25: Thanksgiving Break
- December: Small Group Presentations by Humphrey Fellows
- Dec. 11 & 12: Individual Presentations by Humphrey Fellows
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Update: Peter recently attended the Learning For Change Workshop organized by Global Action Plan (GAP Sweden), Swedish International Development Agency (SIDA) and SWEDESD. He is currently working on Chapter 13 to be included in the SADC ESD book to be published next year.

Dolgormaa (Dolly) Jamiyan, Mongolia

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Update: Dolly is excited to share that her university was accredited by ACBSP (Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs), USA in April, 2012, for the first time among Mongolian Higher Education Institutions. She is proud that she was a part of this process and worked on the translation of the self-study report into English.

Enkhtuvshin (Enkhee) Sengee, Mongolia

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Update: Enkhee’s Mongolian research team has completed the research project “International Mapping of Teacher Licensure Standards”. Their research has been shared with educational stakeholders and communities and copies have been distributed to public libraries, teacher training college & university resource centers and libraries.

Wilson Javier Vasquez Calderon, Colombia

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Update: Wilson was recently promoted. He will now be part of a team for evaluating and approving the academic quality of study programs from the higher education institutions nationwide.
Nadia Ashraf, Pakistan

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**Update:** Nadia is currently overseeing a community school that her organization took over in April last year. It’s the Pak Arab Refinery School. She is also developing a school improvement plan based on her findings and knowledge gained at Vanderbilt and in Nashville.

Zalak Kavi Desai, India

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**Update:** Upon returning home in June 2011, Zalak served as a 'Lead Trainer' in Naandi Foundation in a Public Private Partnership Project of Mumbai Municipal Corporation. Her role included Curriculum Design and Training of Teacher Coaches in 32 Govt. schools covering around 14,000 students.

Soraya Faculo, Philippines

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**Update:** Soraya gave a presentation on May 22 about Perspectives of a Humphrey Fellow in Vanderbilt University at the Fulbright orientation for the 2012 Fulbright Scholars which includes the Humphrey Fellows from the Philippines.

Zaheer Iqbal, Pakistan

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**Update:** Zaheer has been engaged in a training program for school teachers and district-level education managers.
Ram Hari Lamichhane, Nepal

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**Update:** Ram is associated with HH and Fulbright Alumni Nepal. He has started a consulting company called "Micro Development Synergy Inc". He has prepared 3 proposals to get support to rural and school where majority of the deprived students study. Ram completed an International Project Management Assessor training and is now licensed to be an Assessor.

Khin Ma Ma Latt, Myanmar

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**Update:** Khin is now working with UN-Habitat as Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR). She also volunteers as an Education Advisor to provide technical assistance to a non-formal education project for out-of-school children.

Lubna Mohyuddin, Pakistan

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**Update:** Lubna was promoted to Senior Vice Principal. She is also working in SPELT (Society of Pakistan English Language Teachers) as an Academic coordinator. Additionally, Lubna is completing a course ICELT (In-service course for English language Teachers) by Cambridge University, England.

Baikita Yankal, Chad

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**Update** Yankal is continuing to implement his teacher training program in the Regional Delegation of Education in Kumra, Chad.
Hello, Goodbye!

Welcome, Sydney
The Humphrey Team would like to extend a warm welcome to our newest Graduate Assistant Coordinator, Sydney Nehrig. She will be working alongside our continuing Graduate Assistant Coordinator, Anna VanWindekens. Sydney is pursuing a Master’s degree in International Education Policy & Management at Peabody. Before attending Vanderbilt Sydney worked for Teach for America.

See You Soon: A Note From the Outgoing Associate Director

Dear Friends & Colleagues,

As many of you know, after almost 4 years at Vanderbilt I will be leaving Nashville to pursue graduate studies in International Educational Development and Russian at Columbia University in New York City. My last day at Vanderbilt will be July 31, 2012.

I want to sincerely thank all of you for your kindness, support, and encouragement during my career here. I would not have this new opportunity without you. I especially want to recognize my colleagues and cheerleaders Sherif Barsoum, Nancy Dickson, and Dean Xiu Cravens for their unwavering encouragement and trust, as well as for the numerous opportunities for growth and development they gave me. Additionally, I owe a great deal of gratitude to the international community at Vanderbilt, particularly the Hubert H. Humphrey Fellows who have shown me the incredible impact that one person can make on the world.

I look forward to the great adventures in front of me, and I hope to see you all again very soon!
All the Best,

Alison