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## Summary of 2006 Operations

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## Banking and Finance Operations

The aim of the TaiwanICDF's banking and finance operations is to assist allied and friendly developing countries in their economic development through investment, lending, or credit guarantees. The TaiwanICDF actively collaborates with partner nations or bilateral/multilateral organizations in these efforts to promote social and economic growth in partner countries.

In 2006, operations included not only implementing core lending and investment projects approved by the Board of Directors and Supervisors, but also working in tandem with Taiwan's economic and trade-oriented policies. Work continued on a number of economic infrastructure projects, and investment in diplomatic

allies from Taiwan's private sector is encouraged by credit guarantees. The TaiwanICDF is also strengthening cooperation with international institutions by engaging in investment and lending projects tailored to the needs of partner countries, as well as by holding various seminars on development topics of global concern.

In 2006, the TaiwanICDF promoted 10 investment and lending projects. These included cooperation with the Executive Yuan's Development Fund on Consolidated Investment in Latin America, with expected lending of US\$40 million, and investment of US\$49 million. As of the end of 2006, the TaiwanICDF has signed agreements to carry out investment and lending for 80 projects

### Banking and Finance Projects in 2006

#### Signed Projects

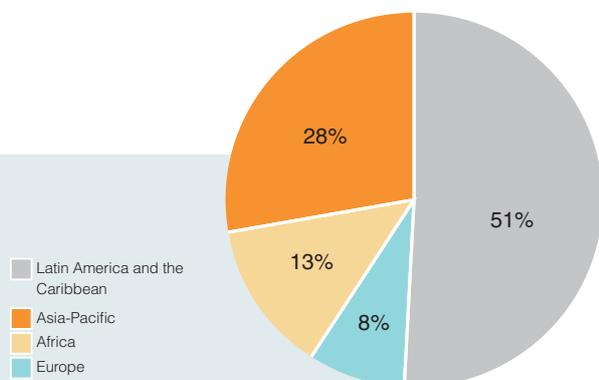
Name of Project	Type of Project	Partner Country or Organization	Budget Allocation
Consolidation Investment in Latin America—Joint Investment in Chih-Hsing Textile Co.	Investment/ Private Sector	Latin American Nations	NT\$ 450,000,000
Specialized Financial Intermediary Development Fund	Investment/ Private Sector	Inter-American Development Bank/Multilateral Investment Fund	US\$ 15,000,000
BTS Equity Investment Fund in India	Investment/ Private Sector	Asian Development Bank	US\$ 5,000,000
Trade Facilitation Program	Investment/ Private Sector	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development	US\$ 5,000,000
CABEI SMME Re-lending Project	Lending/ Private Sector	Central American Bank for Economic Integration (CABEI)	US\$ 10,000,000
Total			US\$ 49,062,500

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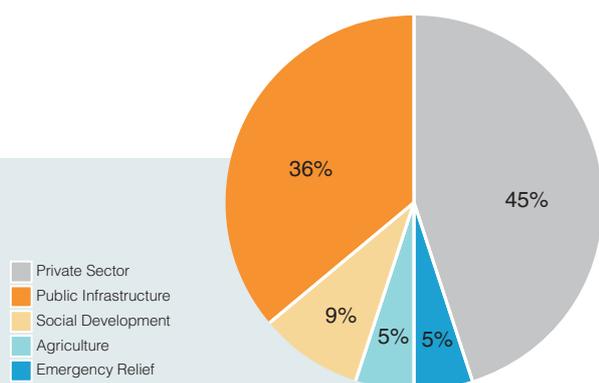
Name of Project	Type of Project	Partner Country or Organization	Budget Allocation
Mundo Maya Project—Rio Amarrillo Airport Construction	Lending/Public Infrastructure	Government of Honduras	US\$ 5,000,000
Social Transformation Special Fund—Social Infrastructure Project—Phase II	Lending/Public Infrastructure	CABEI	US\$ 10,000,000
Vocational Education Project in Panama	Lending/Social Development	Government of Panama	US\$ 12,000,000
Xac Bank Project in Mongolia	Lending/ Private Sector	Xac Bank in Mongolia	US\$ 3,000,000
Total			US\$ 30,000,000
Consolidation Investment in Latin America*	Investment/ Private Sector	Latin American Nations	NT\$ 2,050,000,000

Note: In November 2005 the TaiwanICDF Board approved a joint venture program under the Executive Yuan's Co-Prosperty Project. The amount invested was NT\$2.5 billion, denominated in U.S. dollars, based on an exchange rate of 32:1. Presently, pledges have been committed for one joint venture.

### Banking and Financing Projects by Region



### Banking and Financing Projects by Sector



covering the areas of public infrastructure, agriculture (including small farmholders' financing schemes), social development (including environment and education), private sector development, (including development of industrial parks and loans to micro, small, and medium enterprises) and emergency relief. Aggregate loan agreements amounted to US\$445.99 million. Of this, US\$405.93 million, or 91%, has been disbursed, and US\$208.96 million or 47%, has been recovered. Of the projects already signed (including projects that have been halted), the greatest amount of capital, or 51%, has been channeled to Latin America and the Caribbean, followed by the Asia-Pacific region at 28%, Africa at 13%, and Europe at 8%.

### Technical Cooperation

The TaiwanICDF is commissioned by the MOFA to operate overseas missions and run the Youth Overseas Service program. The TaiwanICDF also utilizes its

own capital in implementing other technical assistance projects, including industry consultation, institutional capacity building, and specialized research. Moreover, it also operates the Overseas Volunteers program and Mobile Medical Missions (MMMs).

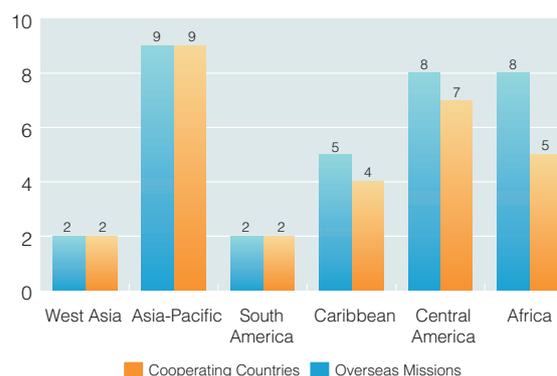
### 1. Projects Commissioned by MOFA and Other Agencies

#### (1) Overseas Missions and Related Commissioned Projects

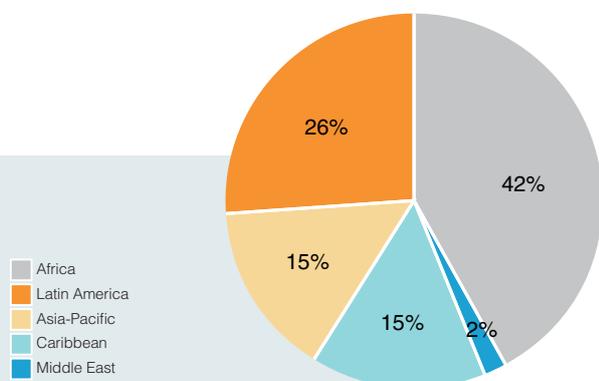
In 2006, MOFA commissioned the TaiwanICDF to manage overseas technical and medical missions, as well as special projects, requiring aggregate expenditures of about NT\$1.326 billion. At the end of 2006, a total of 34 missions in technical, medical, industrial service, and investment and trade fields (not including the technical and medical missions in Chad that were terminated in August) were stationed in 29 countries. The missions had a combined staff of 238 people and carried out 84 cooperation projects.

In addition to the funds provided by the government, the overseas missions work with international organizations, such as the Inter-American Organization for Agricultural Cooperation and Colombia's Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical (CIAT). The missions also cooperate with the overseas offices of bilateral development organizations like the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) office in Honduras, and with international non-governmental organizations (NGOs) such as Food For The Poor (FFP), Save the Children, and World Vision. Combining the technical expertise of specialists stationed abroad with the capital of

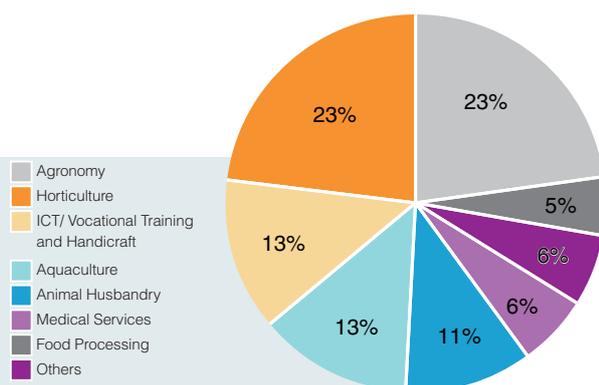
#### Overseas Missions and Cooperating Countries



**Overseas Missions and Related Commissioned Project Expenditures by Region in 2006**



**Overseas Missions and Related Commissioned Projects by Category in 2006**



**Achievements of Overseas Missions and Related Commissioned Projects**

Type of Project	Area (Hectares)	No. of People Trained	Output Value (US\$)
Agronomy	15,427	32,491	19,173,964
Horticulture	3,088	10,336	15,735,870
Aquaculture	456	2,730	3,752,896
Animal Husbandry	—	2,558	1,491,511
Food Processing	—	876	30,424,392
ICT/Vocational Training	—	6,325	—
Medical Services	—	157	—
Others	15	1,094	996,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,986</b>	<b>56,567</b>	<b>71,574,633</b>

international organizations has proven successful in crop improvement, animal husbandry, and aquaculture projects in Africa and Central America.

**(2) Taiwan Youth Overseas Service**

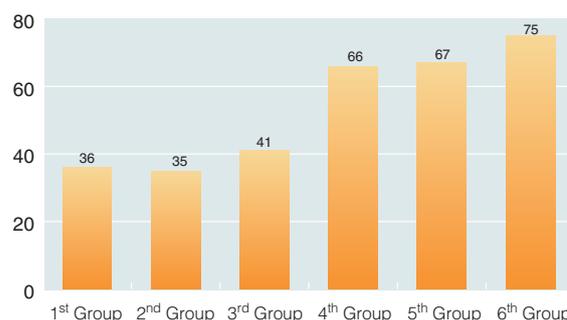
The TaiwanICDF has been commissioned by the MOFA to carry out the Taiwan Youth Overseas Service, being responsible for the training of participants and related management work. Servicemen in the program assist overseas missions based on their areas of expertise. They help the missions in agricultural and fisheries extension, trade/business development and industry consulting, medical services, information technology extension, and education projects.

The 66 servicemen of the fourth group, dispatched in 2004, completed their service and returned to Taiwan between December 2005 and February 2006. Meanwhile, the 67 servicemen that comprised the fifth group were dispatched to 24 countries in January 2006 after receiving nine weeks of language and skills training. A sixth group encompasses 75 servicemen, including 19 in agronomy and horticulture, six in aquaculture, four in animal husbandry, three in hydraulic engineering, three in food processing, 23 in economic/trade training and information, and 17 in medicine and public health. After the completion of basic language and skills training, the servicemen were dispatched overseas to their respective postings in early January 2007.

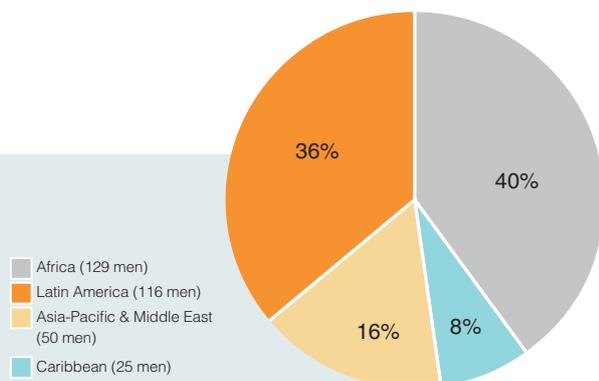
**(3) APEC Digital Opportunity Center (ADOC)**

The TaiwanICDF was commissioned by the MOEA's Bureau of Foreign Trade to carry out the ADOC Project in 2006. The aim of the project is to assist APEC member nations in reducing the digital divide, creating

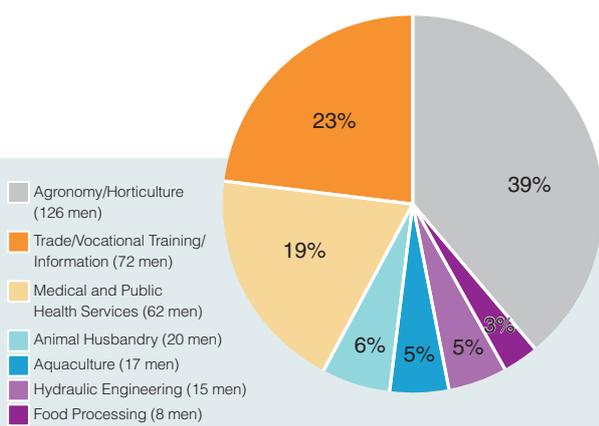
**Taiwan Youth Overseas Service Participants (Since 2001)**



### Taiwan Youth Overseas Service by Region (Since 2001)



### Taiwan Youth Overseas Service by Specialty (Since 2001)



opportunities in information and communications technology (ICT), and promoting activities geared toward the establishment of information economies.

In 2006, the TaiwanICDF was instrumental in establishing 14 Internet and resource centers in six partner countries: Vietnam, the Philippines, Indonesia, Papua New Guinea, Peru, and Chile. Over 15,000 people received training at these centers. Also in 2006, 60 experts and 114 senior officials from APEC member nations were invited to Taiwan to participate in the ADOC annual conference, the ICT Elite Camp, the e-Business Entrepreneurship Seminar, and the Trainers' Training Course. In addition, the TaiwanICDF sent e-commerce consultants to the six partner member economies (PMEs) to hold 12 workshops.

The TaiwanICDF made efforts to promote information exchanges among the partner countries

as well as arrange commercial opportunities. Besides holding a digital business opportunities conference in Taiwan, the TaiwanICDF invited representatives from 24 Taiwan technology companies to hold ICT Road Shows in Vietnam, the Philippines, and Indonesia. This resulted in 236 commercial cooperation agreements. Also, the establishment of the ADOC ICT Alliance has facilitated the involvement of well-known Taiwanese ICT firms in development cooperation, allowing them to function as pioneers, and discover potential for innovation in partner nations, yielding mutually beneficial results.

In April 2006, the TaiwanICDF participated in the APEC Telecommunications and Information Working Group (TEL33), obtaining the right to hold the M-Opportunity for All seminar at TEL34 in Auckland in October. Active involvement in such international conferences allows Taiwan to share its experiences in attempting to bridge the digital divide.

## 2. Projects Employing TaiwanICDF's Fund

### (1) Technical Assistance

The TaiwanICDF's technical assistance operations include providing industry consultation services (as well as consultative missions and consultants), institutional capacity building, and specialized research.

In 2006, the TaiwanICDF implemented 16 technical assistance projects, including four industry-consultation projects, 10 projects related to institutional capacity building, and two involving specialized research. These technical assistance projects focused on four areas: ICT, SME development, agriculture, and medicine and health.

In the area of ICT, projects are being executed to complement the government's Challenge 2008: National Development Plan, which calls for reducing the international digital divide. The TaiwanICDF has initiated ICT cooperation projects in Central America and Africa, focusing on the collection and dissemination of agricultural information, education, upgrading government services, and the development of digital opportunities. In the Asia-Pacific region, extension work in information education is assisting the people of six allied and friendly nations in raising their abilities to utilize information.

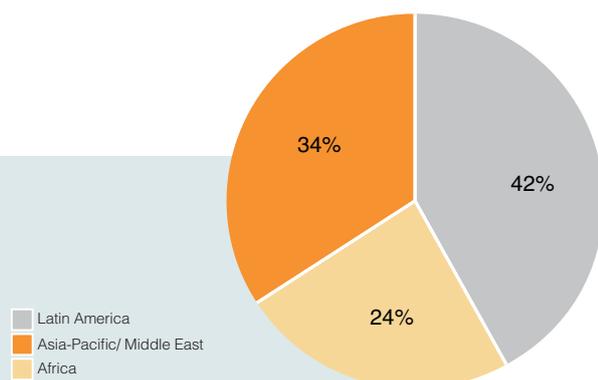
### Technical Assistance Projects

Region	Country	Project Name	Project Type
Latin America	Panama	Agriculture Information Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
	El Salvador	ICT Education Capacity Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
	Belize	Public Service Management System Improvement Project	Capacity Building
	South America	MIT Global Startup Workshop (in cooperation with the YABT*)	Industry Consulting
	Central and South America	Talent and Innovation Competition of the Americas (in cooperation with the YABT*)	Industry Consulting
Africa	Malawi	Small-Sized Corn Grinding Factory Project	Industry Consulting
	The Gambia	Technical Assistance Project to Reduce Digital Divide	Industry Consulting
	Burkina Faso	Technical Assistance Project to Reduce Digital Divide	Specialized Research
Asia-Pacific	Mongolia	Water Resources Usage and Well Digging Feasibility Study	Specialized Research
	Palau	ICT Education Capacity Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
	The Solomon Islands	ICT Education Capacity Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
	The Marshall Islands	ICT Education Capacity Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
	Nauru	ICT Education Capacity Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
	Kiribati	ICT Education Capacity Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
	Tuvalu	ICT Education Capacity Upgrading Project	Capacity Building
Latin America, Asia-Pacific, Africa		Healthcare Personnel Training Program	Capacity Building

\*YABT is an initiative affiliated with the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States (OAS)

In terms of SME development, the TaiwanICDF has cooperated with the Organization of American States' (OAS) Young Americas Business Trust (YABT) in holding conferences and the Talent and Innovation Competition of the Americas, encouraging

#### Technical Assistance Expenditures by Region in 2006



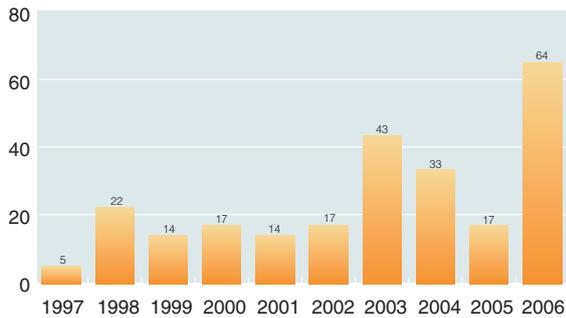
entrepreneurship, innovation, and research and development (R&D) among youth in the region. The two agencies have also implemented the InfoBiz Project, providing young entrepreneurs with an e-commerce information platform. In the area of health and medicine, the TaiwanICDF was involved in the establishment of the International Healthcare Cooperation Strategic Alliance (IHCSA) in 2006. A total of 20 medical personnel from 14 allied and friendly nations received specialized training in Taiwan, in an effort to raise the quality of medical services in those countries.

#### (2) TaiwanICDF Overseas Volunteers

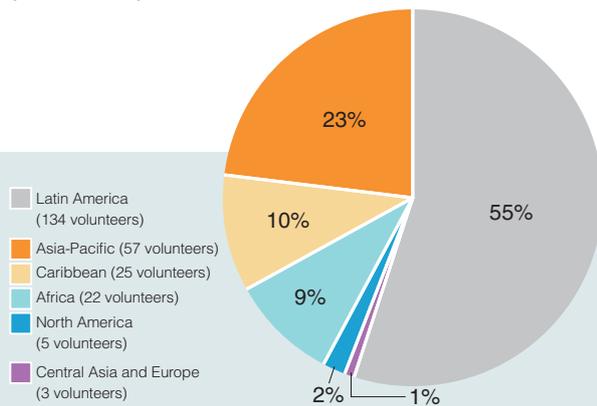
The TaiwanICDF Overseas Volunteers program enlists both short-term and long-term volunteers for service in partner countries. The program was initiated

at the end of 1996 when the first group of volunteers was dispatched to Swaziland. To date, 181 long-term volunteers have been sent to 24 partner nations. Of

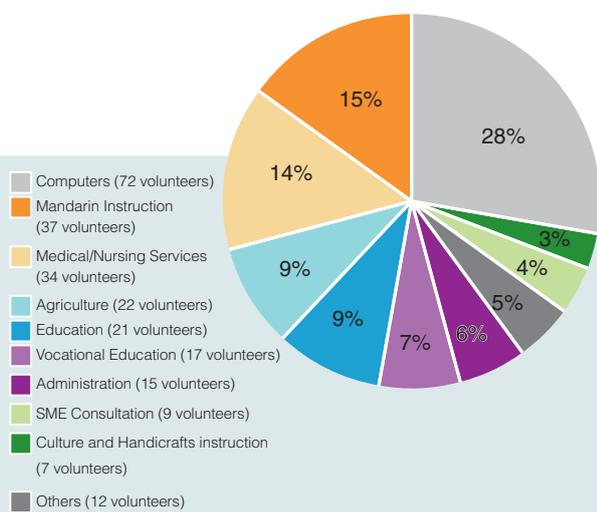
### TaiwanICDF Overseas Volunteers (Since 1996)



### TaiwanICDF Overseas Volunteers by Region (Since 1996)



### TaiwanICDF Overseas Volunteers by Category (Since 1996)



these, 157 people have served for a period of two years, with 24 providing one year of service as of the end of 2006. This first group of one-year volunteers dispatched to 11 countries. In 2006, 24 volunteers were stationed in 11 countries: Panama, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Honduras, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Ecuador, Thailand, the Marshall Islands, India, Kiribati, and Burkina Faso.

In an effort to add flexibility to the program and increase operational efficiency, in 2003 the TaiwanICDF began dispatching short-term volunteers overseas for disaster relief, or projects of a special nature. Short-term volunteers serve mainly for periods of between one and three months, with the longest span not exceeding one year. At the end of 2006, 65 short-term volunteers had been sent overseas to engage in computer hardware maintenance, education (Mandarin, athletics, library management, and cooking), agricultural and industrial assistance (agricultural technology, food processing, and furniture design), public health, translation, and archiving. In 2006, 40 short-term volunteers were sent to Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Panama, Belize, Honduras, the Dominican Republic, the Marshall Islands, Kiribati, Palau, Tuvalu, Indonesia, Thailand, the Philippines, Uzbekistan, and the Czech Republic.

### (3) Mobile Medical Missions

On February 14, 2006, the TaiwanICDF and private hospitals in Taiwan cooperated to establish the IHCSA, to jointly execute medical assistance projects.

Guided by a belief in universal access to health care, the TaiwanICDF coordinates domestic health care personnel and resources to provide outreach medical services in remote areas. Funded by the MOFA, in 2006, a total of 16 MMMs were dispatched to 12 allied and friendly countries in Africa, Central America, and the South Pacific to provide clinics for residents, stage education and demonstrations in clinical medicine, and engage in exchanges of information and technology. There were 14 participating hospitals including Changhua Christian Hospital, Taipei Municipal Wan Fang Hospital, Kaohsiung Medical University's Chung-Ho Memorial Hospital, and Hualien Yu-Li Veterans Hospital. Over 35,000 people in partner countries have benefited from the program.

### Breakdown of Mobile Medical Mission Operations in 2006

<b>No. of Countries and Missions</b>	12 Countries, 16 Missions Africa: Swaziland Central America: Guatemala (2), Panama, Honduras South Pacific: Marshall Islands (2), Papua New Guinea (2), Fiji, Kiribati, Palau, Solomon Islands (2), Tuvalu, Nauru
<b>No. of Cooperating Hospitals</b>	14 (Changhua Christian Hospital, Taipei Municipal Wan Fang Hospital, Mackay Memorial Hospital, National Yang-Ming University School of Medicine, Taipei Veterans General Hospital, Kaohsiung Medical University's Chung-Ho Memorial Hospital, Chung Shan Medical University Hospital, Chang Hua Show Chwan Memorial Hospital, Taipei Medical University Hospital, Hualien Yu-Li Veterans Hospital, Yilan Hospital, Kaohsiung Municipal Hsiao-kang Hospital, Chu Shang Show Chwan Hospital, and Changbin Show Chwan Memorial Hospital)
<b>Total No. of Medical Workers</b>	About 150 (each mission on average is comprised of 10-12 people)
<b>Total No. of Days of Service</b>	About 120 Days
<b>Total No. of Beneficiaries</b>	About 35,000
<b>Total No. of Sister Hospital Agreements Signed</b>	6

## International Human Resource Development

The TaiwanICDF's international human resource development operations are devoted to the training of personnel needed by diplomatic allies or friendly countries for their economic and social development. In 2006, these operations included the following:

### 1. Specialized Workshops

A total of 13 workshops were held in 2006, for which 310 government officials from 63 countries came to Taiwan for training.

### 2. Scholarship Programs

In 1998, the TaiwanICDF initiated scholarship programs for foreign students from partner nations to pursue advanced studies in Taiwan. The programs aim to meet the increasing demand for highly trained people in Taiwan's partner countries. The first graduate scholarship program was established with National Pingtung University of Science and Technology (NPUST), offering a master's degree in agriculture for foreign students. Over the years, the TaiwanICDF has expanded cooperation programs to other schools, providing a wide variety of coursework in different disciplines. In 2001, Ph.D. programs began to be offered. Meanwhile,

in 2003, the Taiwan International Cooperation Alliance (TICA) was established with participating universities, to combine the resources of Taiwan's academic and private sectors while engaging in international cooperation. Then, in 2006, the scholarship programs were expanded to include undergraduate programs for students from Central America.

As of the end of 2006, the TaiwanICDF has cooperated with 10 universities in offering 18 undergraduate, master's and Ph.D. curriculums. A total of 225 students have benefited from the scholarship programs; in 2006, 126 students were enrolled.

In addition to higher education, the TaiwanICDF also offers primary and secondary school scholarships for children in friendly and allied nations in the East Caribbean, as well as in Mongolia.

### 3. Other Education Projects

The TaiwanICDF cooperates with bilateral/multilateral institutions, or specialized education organizations, in carrying out human resource development projects. In 2006, the TaiwanICDF continued to work with World Links, assisting secondary schools in three Central American partner countries with the development of Internet-related educational capabilities.

#### 4. The TaiwanICDF Alumni Societies

In an attempt to broaden the success and pool the efforts of international human resources training programs, the TaiwanICDF offers funding each year to organize and create TaiwanICDF Alumni Societies for former workshop participants and scholarship students

to network. Presently, there are 38 societies throughout the world.

#### International Humanitarian Assistance

The TaiwanICDF's humanitarian assistance operations

#### International Human Resource Development Programs in 2006

Number	Workshop	No. of Participants	No. of Countries Represented	Date
1	Workshop on Agricultural Policy and Rural Development	27	24	03/22-04/04
2	Workshop on Small and Medium Enterprise Development Experience	29	26	04/12-04/25
3	Workshop on Taiwan Economic Planning and Development	26	25	04/12-04/25
4	Workshop on the Application of GIS for Land Development Planning	16	14	07/26-08/08
5	Workshop on Women's Development	24	22	09/13-09/26
6	Workshop on Community Development and Tourism Industry	26	23	10/04-10/17
7	Workshop on Bridging the Digital Divide	25	23	03/22-04/04
8	Workshop on the Quarantine, Biosecurity and Drug Residue of Livestock and Poultry	26	22	07/04-07/21
9	Workshop on Writing and Reporting for Press and Media Industries (A)	29	25	06/28-07/11
10	Workshop on Writing and Reporting for the Broadcast and Electronic Media Industries (B)	24	20	06/28-07/11
11	Workshop on Aquaculture	19	17	08/15-09/01
12	Workshop on Food Processing	19	18	10/04-10/24
13	Workshop on WTO Trade Facilitation	20	20	11/22-12/05
Total 63 Countries, 310 Participants				

#### Distribution of TaiwanICDF Alumni Societies

Area	Chapter	Total
Africa	Ivory Coast, Swaziland, South Africa, The Gambia, Malawi	5
Asia-Pacific	Philippines; Indonesia: Jakarta, East and Central Java; Vietnam: Ho Chi Minh City and Hanoi; Thailand, Solomon Islands, Fiji	8
Middle East	Oman	1
Caribbean	St. Vincent & the Grenadines, St. Kitts & Nevis, Haiti, Dominican Republic	4
Central America	Belize, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Panama	8
South America	Chile, Peru, Colombia, Argentina, Bolivia, Paraguay, Ecuador	7
Europe	Czech Republic, Hungary, Lithuania, Poland, Russia	5

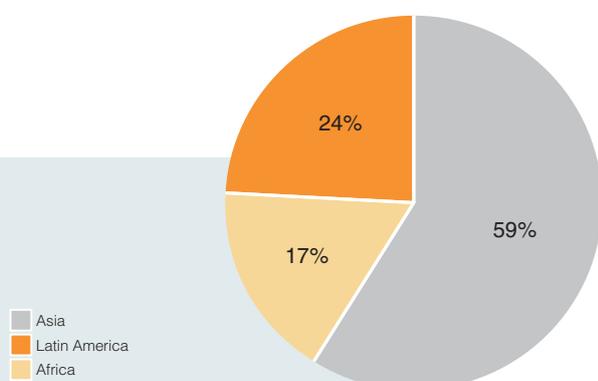
### Number of Foreign Students enrolled in International Higher Education Scholarship Programs in 2006

University	Program	Africa	Latin America	Caribbean	Middle East	Asia-Pacific	Total
NPUST	Undergraduate Program in Tropical Agriculture for Central Americans	0	7	0	0	0	126
	Master's Program in Tropical Agriculture	6	5	0	0	2	
	Ph.D. Program in Tropical Agriculture	6	2	2	0	0	
NCCU	International Undergraduate Program in Business Administration	0	6	0	0	0	
	International Master's in Business Administration	0	7	2	0	1	
	International Master's Program in Taiwan Studies	0	1	0	0	0	
NTOU	International Master's Program in Aquatic Sciences and Marine Resources Management	2	10	1	0	0	
	International Ph.D. Program in Aquatic Sciences and Marine Resources Management	0	1	0	0	0	
NTNU	Graduate Institute of International Workforce Education and Development	1	5	1	0	0	
NTHU	International MBA in Technology Management	1	12	1	0	0	
	International Master Program in Information Systems and Applications	2	5	0	2	0	
NYMU	International Master's Program in Public Health	1	2	1	0	0	
	International Ph.D. Program in Public Health	0	0	0	0	1	
NCU	International Master's Program in Environment Sustainable Development	1	6	0	0	0	
KSU	International Undergraduate Program in Mechanical Engineering	0	11	0	0	0	
	International Master Program in Plastic Injection and Precision Mold	0	7	0	0	1	
NSYSU	International Master's Program in Electric Power Engineering	1	0	0	0	0	
YZU	International Master's Program in Industrial Engineering and Management	0	2	0	1	0	

stress the integration of the organization's core programs and its strengths, which include technical assistance, human resource development and microfinancing; and the dispatch of volunteers helps maximize the impact of assistance programs, and enables short-term humanitarian aid to pave the way for longer term development assistance

projects. The TaiwanICDF also seeks to promote the government policy of "people-to-people diplomacy," by actively working with domestic and foreign NGOs, introducing international resources into its programs, establishing avenues for the exchange of information, and creating platforms for international cooperation.

### International Humanitarian Assistance by Region in 2006



In 2006, the TaiwanICDF and Mercy Corps established the Emergency Response Fund. The global manpower network of that organization enables the rapid distribution of emergency aid from Taiwan in the wake of natural disasters or unrest in areas throughout the world. In addition, technical missions also undertake relief work in partner countries. The Technical Mission in Guatemala supported local vegetable production and marketing teams with agricultural recovery and reconstruction activities after the devastation caused by Hurricane Stan.

Meanwhile, the TaiwanICDF cooperated with the Taiwan Tibet Exchange Foundation on humanitarian medical assistance to the Tibetan community in Orissa, India. It has also worked with FFP in cultivating tilapia to reduce rural poverty in Haiti.

In 2006, the TaiwanICDF cooperated with the Taiwanese company I-Mei Foods Co. on the transportation of used toys to Swaziland, and also implemented the “Tons of Love-Material Aid Distribution Project” on behalf of the MOFA. These activities successfully extended the care and compassion of Taiwanese companies and people to allied and friendly developing countries.

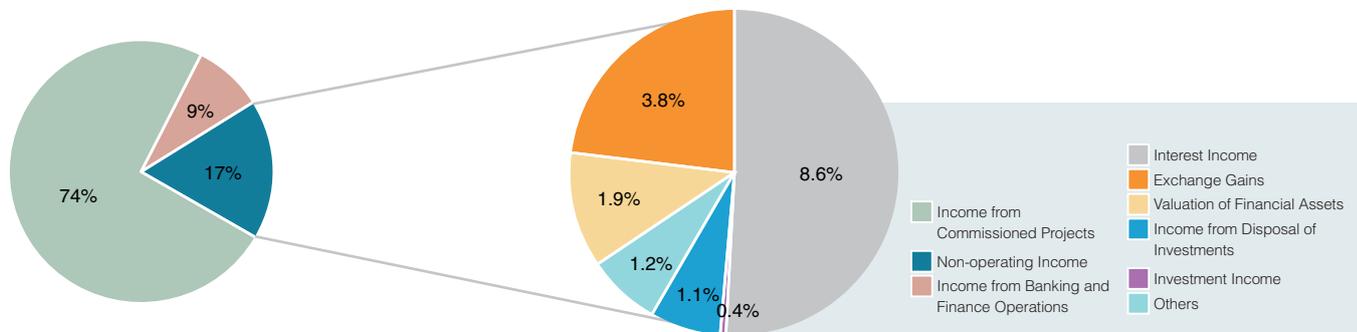
### The TaiwanICDF Fund Utilization

The TaiwanICDF’s annual revenues derive mainly from the interest on long-term lending operations, and income from short-term investment. At the end of 2006, the Fund’s net value was approximately NT\$15.01 billion, of which NT\$12.47 billion represents the initial and donated fund at the time of inception, while the total assets stood at NT\$15.32 billion. To date, total loans approved stand at about US\$445.99 million, with US\$405.93 million disbursed and US\$208.96 million repaid. Outstanding loans are valued at about US\$178.42 million, while about US\$40 million has been committed but has yet to be disbursed. Unutilized portions of the fund are allocated in short-term financial instruments, such as bank deposits, commercial papers, bonds, and stocks, to enable more efficient use of the Fund. To reduce exposure to currency risk, the Fund diversely holds its assets in NT dollars, U.S. dollars and euros.

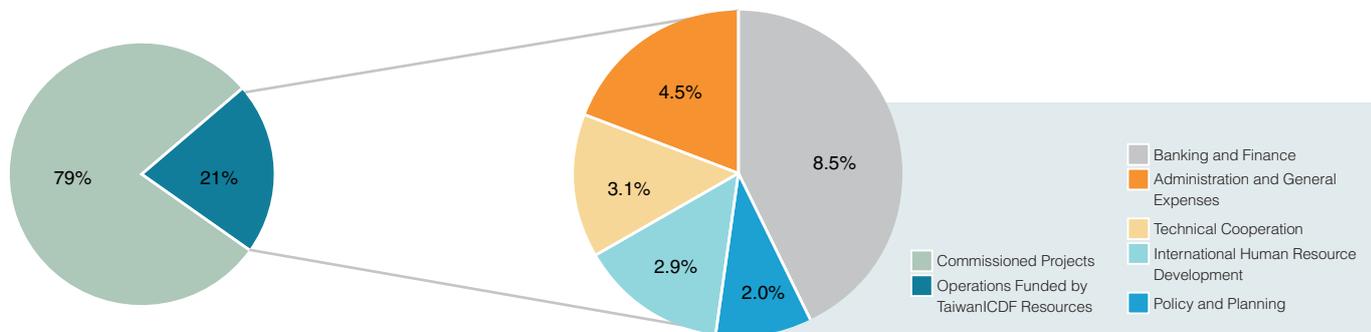
### International Humanitarian Assistance Projects in 2006

Country	Project Name	Cooperative Agency	Type of Humanitarian Assistance
Countries Recovering from Natural Disasters or Facing Unrest	Emergency Response Fund	Mercy Corps	Emergency Relief
Guatemala	Reconstruction of Vegetable Fields after Hurricane Stan	—	Post-disaster Reconstruction
Haiti	The Cap Haitien's Tilapia Farm Project	Food For The Poor	Poverty Relief
Swaziland	Secondhand Toys for Swaziland Project	I-Mei Foods Co.	Poverty Relief
Russia	Tons of Love-Material Aid Distribution Project	Russia’s “good-will” Charitable Fund	Poverty Relief
India	Malaria Control Project for the Tibetan Communities in Orissa	Taiwan Tibet Exchange Foundation	Grassroots Medical Assistance

**Income Sources**



**Budgeted Expenditures**



**ROC-Central American Economic Development Fund**

At the end of 2006, the ROC-Central American Economic Development Fund (ROC-CAEDF) had a total capital base of US\$140 million. Funding for various programs comes from the interest income of the Fund, as the regulations prohibit use of the base capital. The Fund is presently carrying out three projects. As of the end of 2006, the details of these were as follows,

1) Operational funds allocated for the Central American Trade Office (CATO), which promotes various trade

and economic projects and exchanges between Taiwan and the Central American members of the Fund.

2) The Higher Education Scholarship Programs:

A total of 98 students from seven Central American countries have received scholarships in undergraduate and postgraduate programs in Taiwan.

3) Scholarships to study at Zamorano University in Honduras and NPUST in Taiwan:

A total of 29 students have received scholarships in the fields of socio-economic and agricultural/animal husbandry development.