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Hilda Dallal and students enjoy the Cherry Blossom Festival at the Brooklyn Botanic Gardens - May 3, 2008

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Network Meeting

Ideas for Celebrating International Education Week 2008 on your Campus

Chair: Tom Sirinides - Director, Office of International and Multicultural Affairs

Summer is just around the corner – a great time to plan your fall events. *International Education Week* is November 17-21, 2008. What will your school do for IEW this year? What have you done in the past? What has worked? What has not? Come learn from others and come ready to share your ideas, too. (Please bring photocopies!) Tom Sirinides from the College of Saint Elizabeth is coordinating the session. Please join us!

DATE: Tuesday, May 13, 2008

TIME: 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: The New School
Graduate Faculty of Political & Social Sciences Building
65 Fifth Avenue (between 13th & 14th Streets)
Wolff Conference Room, 2nd Floor

TOPIC: Ideas for Celebrating International Education Week 2008 on your Campus

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2 Metro Membership News

*2008 Fulbright Awards Dinner

Metro International is celebrating over 30 years of creating global citizens and inspiring a peaceful world this year. **And we are finally changing our name!** The new name will be publicly launched at this year's Fulbright Awards Dinner, our annual benefit event, on **Thursday, June 5, 2008** at the Waldorf=Astoria and we want you all to be there!

You should have already received a letter about this extraordinary occasion. The Fulbright Awards Dinner is a crucial component of Metro International's annual development plan, so anything you can do to help ensure your institution's support would be greatly appreciated.

Each year a larger number of institutional members purchase tickets or tables, take advertisements in our event journal, and send representatives to the event (including college presidents, other administrators, international education professionals, faculty members, and students). Many thanks to you for helping to make the case for this support on your campus – we couldn't do it without you! If there is anything we can do to facilitate the outreach you do on our behalf, please contact Metro International's staff member Jennifer Zanowiak at (212) 431-1195 ext. 28 or jzanowiak@metrointl.org – and please mark your calendars!

*Make Waves at Metro's Twilight Cruise 2008

SOLD OUT !

*2009 Ford Motor Company International Scholarship

The 2009 Ford Motor Company International Fellowship of the 92nd Street Y, the world's first global Jewish community and cultural center, is now accepting applications from community leaders who are citizens and residents of Azerbaijan; the Baltic States of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania; Cambodia; Ethiopia; Israel; Liberia; and Uruguay. Applications must be postmarked, faxed, or emailed by June 30, 2008 to be considered. Please distribute the below brochures and applications to students you think would benefit from this wonderful opportunity.

Click to download:

[OUTREACH LETTER](#)
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***Metro Publications - Get ready for the Summer Semester Arrivals*
Special Sale Prices !**

Now is the time to order our ever-popular publications for your international students who will be arriving to your campuses this summer. *Help Yourself to Housing* will be invaluable to students searching for a place to stay, and *The International Students' Guide to Living in New York City* is packed with essential information on how to get settled in New York City. Take advantage of Metro's deals for institutional members and the bulk rate discounts! For more information on Metro's publications, contact Liza Stark at liza@metrointl.org or (212) 431-1195 x21 or complete the [publication order form](#) and fax it to (212) 941-6291.

***Encourage Your Student's to check out Metro's Volunteer Program Pick:**

Volunteer: Brooklyn Garden Restoration

Saturday, June 14th, 2008

Come help a group of high school students create their very own outdoor classroom in a public garden! Join gardeners, fellow international students, and the community of Bushwick as they help restore "the Secret Garden" - a miniature wildlife refuge right in the middle of Brooklyn.

Join the green revolution and make a life long impact on a community.

After a day of volunteering, there will be a barbeque for you and the entire neighborhood!

Click [HERE](#) to download a student registration form. Students can also register online at <http://www.metrointl.org/calendar/index.html>. For more information, please contact Coordinator of Enrichment Programs, Jessica Coffey at jcoffey@metrointl.org.

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3 Program Reports - Check out our April Student Participation--Was your School Represented?

**1. US Naval Academy Foreign Affairs Conference at Annapolis, Maryland
April 7-11th**

Borough of Manhattan Community College	1
College of Staten Island	2
Columbia University	5
Princeton University	1
Montclair State University	1
CUNY/College of Staten Island	2
CUNY/Hunter College	2
CUNY/John Jay College of Criminal Justice	1
CUNY/Queens College	1
Mounbatten Internship	9
The New School	1
School of Visual Arts	1
SUNY-Binghamton	1
New York University	2
Stonybrook University	1
SUNY at Cobleskill	1
Syracuse University	1

2. Earth Day Sail

April 26th

Columbia University	5
French Culinary Institute	2
Gynuity Health Projects	2
Hunter College	2
Manhattanville College	1
Mounbatten Internship	1
The New School	2
New York University	7
Rutgers University	1
School of Visual Arts	1
Stevens Institute of Technology	1
SUNY-ESF	1
Teachers College, Columbia University	2

3. Fulbright United Nations Visit

April 28th

Columbia University	7
Cornell University	3
Fairleigh Dickinson University	1
Hunter College	11
Manhattan College	1
Montclair State University	1
New York Blood Center	1
New York Medical College	1
New York University	8
Princeton University	1

Rockefeller University	2
Rutgers University	2
School of Visual Arts	1
Stony Brook University	2
SUNY-Binghamton	1
SUNY-Stony Brook	2
Teachers College, Columbia University	1
The New School	3
University at Albany, SUNY	1
Yale University	1
Yeshiva University	1

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DATE: Saturday, June 14, 2008

TIME: 10:00am- 6:00pm (Approximately)

LOCATION: Bushwick, Brooklyn

COST: \$10.00 per person - includes lunch and BBQ

REGISTER: REGISTER NOW: For additional information and registration go to www.metrointl.org/calendar or contact Jessica Coffey at 212-431-1195, ext. 24 or email jcoffey@metrointl.org.

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Suggestions on how this announcement can be made more useful for you and your students - or requests to be removed from this list, can be sent to katya@metrointl.org.

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