

**COUNCIL ON SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION**  
Commission on Global Social Work Education

***Partners in Advancing Education for  
International Social Work Awards***

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In 2003 the CSWE Commission on Global Social Work Education initiated *Partners in Advancing Education for International Social Work Awards* to recognize the contributions of partners in the advancement of conceptual, curricular and programmatic innovations in education for international social work. Up to three Partner awards are given annually, one for each of the following categories:

1. individuals or teams of individuals,
2. degree-granting social work education programs, and
3. national and international organizations.

Nominations are open to individuals and organizations located both within and outside the United States. Preference, however, is given to nominations that have a demonstrable linkage to the advancement of education for international social work in the United States.

For the academic year 2005-2006, the CSWE Commission on Global Social Work Education is presenting Partners in International Education Awards in all three categories. The winners are:

- For the individuals or teams of individuals' category, Dr. James Midgley, Dean and Specht Professor of the School of Social Welfare at the University of California-Berkeley will receive the award.
- For the degree-granting social work education programs category, the University of Illinois at Chicago's Jane Addams College of Social Work will receive the award.
- For the national and international organizations category, the BSW Mexico Consortium of the Minnesota/South Dakota Area will receive the award.

The recipients will receive plaques and a letter recognizing their contributions in the field of international social work during CSWE's Annual Program Meeting to be held in Chicago from February 16-19, 2006.

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