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Enjoy gourmet brunch selections and sample African Cuisine following a cooking demonstration by Certified Master Chef Fritz Sonnenschmidt

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Make the most of an OUTSTANDING SILENT AUCTION including DISTINCTIVE ETHNIC ITEMS AND OTHER FABULOUS THINGS at airy Terrapin Catering Restaurant at the Dinsmore Golf Course on Route 9 in Staatsburg

SUNDAY JUNE 13, 11 AM to 2:30 PM

To Support Scholarships for Student Travel to Africa 2010 Summer Study Tour to Ethiopia, Tanzania & Zanzibar School of Social Welfare, University at Albany

$60.00 per person R.S.V. P. By June 6 (see final page)

PLEASE JOIN US

BRUNCH & SILENT AUCTION

GOSPEL MUSIC & AFRICAN CUISINE
U.S. – Africa Partnership
to Build Stronger Communities

Often the students with the greatest interest and who might make the most of the opportunity cannot afford the travel expenses to go to Africa. Our effort is to provide funds for those students in order to help them develop the skills and strengths of leadership in a global society. It is important that they have "hands on" experience with differences and uncertainties, learn about cultural and religious diversity, and study international social and economic policies and programs that help to promote change and development. Please assist in sustaining this effort to help prepare better leaders to promote more humane and interactive societies, encourage better U.S. Africa partnerships, and create a secure and peaceful world.

From 2000-2009, Dr. Shirley Jones, Distinguished Service Professor from the School of Social Welfare at the University at Albany took groups of students, faculty and community based practitioners in disciplines such as sociology, law, public health and social work for a two and a half week study tour to Africa. As of 2009, Dr. Jones’ vision was taken up and is growing under the direction of a new Project leader, Dr. Robert Miller. Dr. Miller is an Associate Professor at the School of Social Welfare, University at Albany, and Research Director of the Center for the Elimination of Minority Health Disparities there. He was a part of the 2003 and 2004 Summer Study Tours to Africa and served as a Visiting Professor at Addis Ababa University in Ethiopia in 2006 and 2007. The group will meet with their counterparts in government and academia and deliver books and supplies to schools, orphanages and HIV/AIDS hospices. The summer study tour is part of a three and a six credit course at the University at Albany. Dr. Jones will continue to advise the Project and serve on the Fund Raising Committee.

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Please reserve for ______ people at $60.00 per person to attend the Brunch and Silent Auction on Sunday June 13th.

I am unable to attend. Please accept my donation in the amount of __________ in support of the partnership.

Checks should be made out to “The University at Albany Foundation” - Fair Market value of event is $25.00 - Charitable donation is $35.00

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