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## Message from Elizabeth Weiblen

*Director, Mayor's Office of International Affairs*



*Elizabeth Weiblen*

I would like to thank everyone for making my first six months on the job such a delight. It has really been an amazing experience to work on so many diverse and interesting projects. As I look toward the future, I envision the Sister City committees and the Mayor's Office of International Affairs (MOIA) working collaboratively to promote three main goals. The first is to achieve greater awareness of the Baltimore Sister Cities programs; the second is to develop stronger ties with international organizations located here and abroad; and the third is to strengthen our current Sister City relationships.

To achieve greater awareness of our Sister City projects, this summer, the committees are working together on a number of activities and festivals which include a youth-oriented pen-pal postcard booth at Artscape 2006, a promotional booth at the International Festival, a Sister City garden at the Howard Peter Rawlings Conservatory in Druid Hill Park, a Sister City traveling exhibit and museum, and volunteering at the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Sister Cities International in Washington D.C.

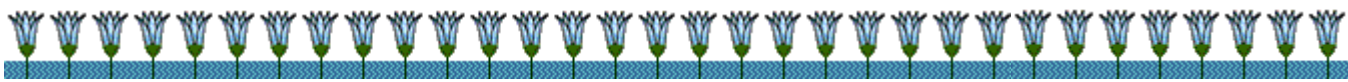
Additionally, the MOIA, the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee and Fatma Assef, a Fulbright scholar from Alexandria, have been working with the financial and instructional support of the Arab American Institute and the Mayor's Office of Children, Youth and Families, on developing an educational program for Baltimore City Public Schools. The goal of this program is to provide students with an opportunity to learn about the Arab culture in the United States and overseas. We hope to initiate this program in the upcoming school year as a pilot in five city schools; and anticipate the program being implemented nationally.

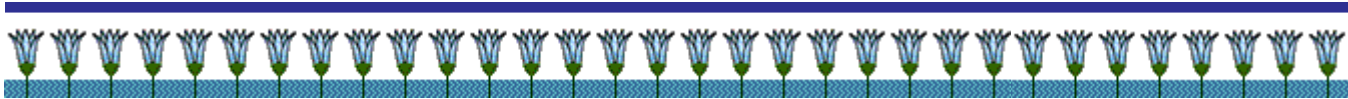
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*Mayor's Advisory Council of International Affairs*





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*Ms. Amal Mansour*

To develop stronger ties with international organizations in Baltimore and abroad, a website has been created that highlights the advantages of establishing satellite offices and distribution centers in Baltimore. This website will be a companion piece to the great work currently being performed by the Economic Alliance of Greater Baltimore, the Department of Business and Economic Development, and the World Trade Center Institute. The website is sponsored by the MOIA and can be found at: [www.baltimorecity.gov/sistercities](http://www.baltimorecity.gov/sistercities)

To strengthen our Sister City relationships, the MOIA worked diligently to launch the Mayor's Advisory Council on International Affairs. The Council held its first meeting on May 9, 2006, under the leadership of Ms. Amal Mansour. Ms. Mansour has a clear design for the committees, and firmly believes that the Council can help the Sister Cities accomplish their goals by moving forward with projects that are fundamental to the committees' success. Additionally, a Board of Directors is applying for 501(c)3 status, which will make grant applications easier for each of the Sister Cities and provide an additional layer of accountability to each of our committees.

Finally, I am constantly amazed by the volunteer work coming from Baltimore's Sister Cities, not least of which comes from the many members of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee. Each and every member of the committee is a contributing member and this extensive level of participation is highly commendable and to be congratulated! Thank you for your hard work on behalf of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee.

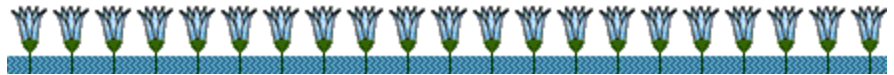


Artscape 2006



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# Partnerships



## Partnership with Coppin State University



*Dr. El-Haggan, Mrs. Battle, Dr. Sohair Wastawy (Chief Librarian at the BA), Dr. Battle (Coppin President), Ms. Mona Nashar*

In 2004, the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee sponsored a trade mission to Egypt that included three representatives from Coppin State University. The distinguished participants were Dr. Saide Gregory, Provost, Dr. Ahmed El-Haggan, Vice President, and Marcella Copes, Dean of the Nursing School. During this trip, they engaged Helwan University and Luxor International Hospital into cooperative agreements that have led to the exchange of teachers and students as well as research

collaboration. To date, all institutions are moving forward with substantial accomplishments.

In 2005, Dr. Radwan Hassan, Dean of the Engineering School, and his assistant, Dr. Amr Amin of Helwan University visited Coppin State University in an effort to advance cooperation between the two institutions. As a result, both Universities have joined resources and are currently working to establish an information technology infrastructure and digital library for Helwan University.

In January 2006, Dr. Stanley Battle, President of Coppin State University and Dr. Ahmed El-Haggan traveled to Egypt, and while there, generously donated gifts not only to Helwan University, but to the Bibliotheca Alexandrina as well. Dr. Battle presented Helwan University with state-of-the-art video conferencing equipment, and presented the Bibliotheca Alexandrina with notably valuable books.



*Dr. Abdelhay Ebied (President of Hwlwan University) and Dr. Stanley Battle (President of Coppin State University)*

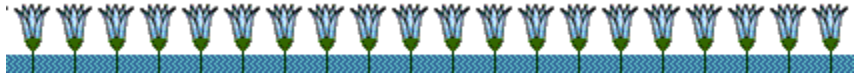
While in Egypt, Dr. El-Haggan made a follow-up visit to Luxor International Hospital, to present the outline of a training program for the nursing staff; and to initiate the teacher exchange program. One physician from Luxor International Hospital will spend two weeks at Coppin State University developing a training curriculum this summer. To reciprocate, two nurses from Coppin State University will go to Luxor to initiate a ‘train the trainer’ program with five resident nurses, who will then train the remaining staff. All nurses who attend the training program will receive a certificate from Coppin State University.

Additionally, Coppin State University will be sponsoring a Fulbright scholar from Egypt for one academic year. Beginning with the Fall 2006 semester, the selected teacher will be instructing an Arabic language course at the University.

*Submitted by Dr. Ahmed El-Haggan*

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# Partnerships



## Partnership with the University of Maryland

### Signing Ceremony at the University of Maryland



Dr. Glenn Morris; Dr. Malinda Orlin; Dr. Alaa Ismail  
and Dr. Abdallah Bazaraa

On April 25, 2006, Dr. Alaa Ismail, Dean of the National Hepatology and Tropical Medicine Research Institute in Cairo, Egypt, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Dr. Malinda Orlin, Vice President of Academic Affairs and Dean of the Graduate School of the University of Maryland in Baltimore (UMB). This effort was funded by a grant from the National Institute of Health, which was awarded to Dr. Glenn Morris, Chairman of the Department of Epidemiology.

The purpose of the MOU is to promote international academic cooperation with: 1) exchange of materials with regard to education and research, publications, and academic information; 2) exchange of faculty, research scholars and students; 3) joint research; and 4) meetings for education and research. UMB has selected six of their graduate schools to participate in this endeavor. They are: the School of Medicine, the School of Dentistry, the School of Nursing, the School of Pharmacy, the School of Social Work, and the School of Law.

The MOU signing ceremony was organized by Dr. Hala Azzam, Program Director of the Global Health Resource Center. The event was attended by Dr. Abdallah Bazaraa, Director of the Egyptian Cultural and Educational Bureau, Dr. Salwa Elgebaly, Vice Chair of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee, and UMB faculty and staff.

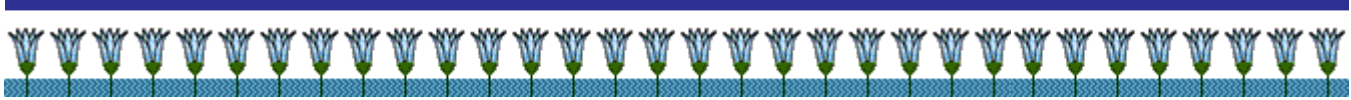


Dr. Hala Azzam

*Submitted by Dr. Samer El-Kamary*



University of Maryland School of Medicine



## Clinical Research Center in Alexandria



*Dr. Salwa Elgebaly*

In June 2006, a Clinical Research Center was established within the Faculty of Medicine at Alexandria University. This is the culmination of one year's work; and the dedication and collaboration of staff from both the Faculty of Medicine of Alexandria University and the University of Maryland's School of Medicine. Dr. Aziz Belal, Dean of Faculty of Medicine and Dr. Hind Hanafi, Vice Dean of Faculty of Medicine, designated the space to be used for conducting clinical research, and will be managing the daily operations of the Center. Dr. Henry Silverman and Dr. Samer El-Kamary at the University of Maryland, effectively organized workshops that have made it possible to establish an Ethics Review Board at the Faculty of Medicine; and have provided training for study coordinators and clinical investigators who will be working at the Research Center.

During my recent visit to Alexandria, Dr. Belal and I had the opportunity to present the new Clinical Research Center to the University's department heads and to representatives from various pharmaceutical companies. The idea of conducting clinical research in accordance with the Food and Drug Administration's regulations and international guidelines was well received by all in attendance.

Now that the Clinical Research Center has opened, pharmaceutical companies intend to conduct clinical trials of new innovative drugs without delay. It is anticipated that the success of the Clinical Research Center will be a magnet for pharmaceutical companies worldwide.



*Faculty of Medicine at Alexandria University*

*Submitted by Dr. Salwa A. Elgebaly*



*Faculty and BLASCC members at Alexandria University Hospital*



# Training in Baltimore



## Workshop for Clinical Trial Study Coordinators



*Dr. Soheir Ismail; Dr. Hala Mansour; Dr. Mohamed Metwally;  
Dr. Nadia Zaky; and Dr. Nihal El-Habachi*

In May 2006, Dr. Samer El-Kamary and Sue Hines, Clinical Research Program Manager, Center of Clinical Trials at the University of Maryland's School of Medicine, organized a two week course on conducting clinical trials in Egypt. The course was funded by a National Institute of Health grant awarded to Dr. G. Thomas Strickland, Professor of Medicine at the University of Maryland.

Five participants from Egypt came to the University of Maryland, to learn how to supervise strict clinical research trials in accordance with the rigorous standards use in the United States. The participants represented three Egyptian Universities. They are: 1) Alexandria University Faculty of Medicine; 2) National Hepatology and Tropical Medicine Research Institute; and 3) Benha University.

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## Research Ethics Training

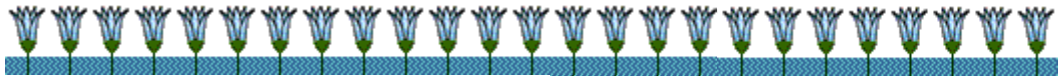


*Dr. Samer  
El-Kamary*

On June 1, 2006, ten candidates from several Egyptian Universities and the Egyptian Ministry of Health and Population, began a two month certificate course for Research Ethics in Baltimore. The annual training course is funded by a grant from the National Institute of Health obtained by Dr. Henry Silverman. The course provides training for faculty members and healthcare officials on how to establish Ethics Committees in Egypt, and how to review research proposals conducted on human subjects. The participants from last year's training course have been very successful in establishing new ethics committees, while improving upon the existing ones. They have also conducting several well-attended workshops in Egypt. Details on this training course can be found at the Health Research Ethics Training Initiative in Egypt website at: [www.hretie.com](http://www.hretie.com)

*Submitted by Dr. Samer El-Kamary*

# Awards



## Sister Cities International Awards

In July 2006, Sister Cities International (SCI), the umbrella organization for the Baltimore Sister Cities Program, held its 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration in Washington, D.C. During this event, SCI presented commendations to its members as part of their Annual Awards Program. The Awards Program was created to recognize outstanding Sister City Programs as well as individual volunteers. Awardees exemplify successful projects and partnerships from which other communities in the United States can learn and benefit.



This year, SCI honored the City of Baltimore and the Chair of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee with their prestigious awards. A summary of the awards follow:

- SCI awarded the 50th Anniversary Award to Baltimore City for its long-term commitment to building a sustainable Sister City program with eleven sister affiliations. Baltimore is one of twenty awardees nationwide which “conducted numerous Sister City programs, involved local government officials and volunteers, and built outstanding partnerships with communities abroad.”
- SCI awarded the Distinguished Volunteer Award to Mr. Abdelwahab Elabd, Chair of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee for his extraordinary contributions to the Sister City programs. This award recognizes sister city volunteers whose leadership and talent distinctly benefit local sister city programs.



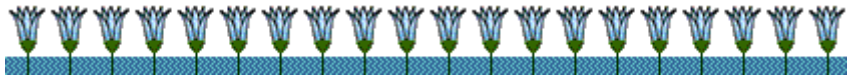
*Abdelwahab Elabd and Mr. Duane Kissick (president of PADCO) at the SCI Conference Gala*

Editor’s Note: Congratulation to all committee members whose hard work and volunteerism make the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee deserving of such an award. Kudos to Mr. Elabd who works tirelessly on behalf of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee.



*Elizabeth Weiblen and Ms. Amal Mansour receiving the Baltimore Award at the SCI Conference*

# Future Plans



## Message from Abdelwahab Elabd

*Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee Chair*



*Abdelwahab Elabd*

I want to thank each member of our committee for their time, energy and hard work put forth on behalf of the committee's ongoing activities. These efforts contributed significantly towards the award that Baltimore City received from the Sister Cities International, as one of the outstanding sister cities programs in the United States, and for its long-term commitment to building sustainable programs with its eleven sister city affiliations. As Chair of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee (BLASCC), I share the accolades this award brings with all of you.

One of the highlights of 2005, was the month long celebration of the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our Sister City relationship with Alexandria, Egypt. The celebration incorporated numerous activities including an art exhibit, business seminar, lecture series and gala dinner. Joining us in celebrating this memorable event were 21 visitors from Alexandria. Among the guests were Dr. Ragaie El-Gebaly, Chairman of the Alexandria / Baltimore Sister City Council, Dr. Sahar Hamouda and Dr. Hala Barakat of the Library of Alexandria, prominent members of the Alexandria Business Association, and the Anfoushi Folkloric Troupe.

During 2006, the BLASCC has realized many accomplishments. One in particular, was the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the Governor of Alexandria and Peter Chermayeff of IDEA. This achievement is a direct result of our 2004 trade mission to Egypt. The MOU outlines the commitment of both parties with regard to the planning, designing, financing, developing and operating an Aquarium and Marine Research Center in Alexandria. Additionally, both parties will work with a developer in planning, designing, developing and operating an adjacent Hotel and Conference Center. The Egyptian Government has financed the first step in laying the ground work for this immense project.

With the recent appointment of the Mayor's Advisory Council on International Affairs, the BLASCC welcomes the opportunity to be working with all of the esteemed Council members. The support from the Council, coupled with the potential from fund raising activities, will enable the BLASCC to continue the important work being performed and to implement future projects with great success.

Looking forward, the BLASCC is excited about launching the EGYPTIAN CORNER at four distinct venues. The EGYPTIAN CORNER is an exercise in public diplomacy and will serve as a significant resource aimed at college students wanting to learn more about Egypt and Egyptian culture. The educational value of the EGYPTIAN CORNER is immeasurable.

In the near future, the BLASCC will be celebrating the 25th Anniversary of the Luxor Sister City relationship. The BLASCC is already planning cultural activities and events to commemorate this milestone.



# Special Interest



## Egyptian Corner

The Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee has partnered with the Embassy of the Arab Republic of Egypt and the Bibliotheca Alexandrina to launch a major public diplomacy initiative, geared at bringing the true story of Egypt to the people of America. With the financial backing of many business leaders and community organizations, the EGYPTIAN CORNER will build bridges of understanding between American and Egyptian communities.

The EGYPTIAN CORNER will provide access to reliable information about the political, economic, cultural, educational, and social life of Egypt; using a wide range of electronic media including the Internet and various printed materials. It is anticipated that the EGYPTIAN CORNER will serve as an information resource similar to a public library reference service, which will include reference titles, historical documents and works of fiction, as well as business and government publications.

The initial implementation of the EGYPTIAN CORNER is scheduled for August 2006, and will consist of four kiosks that will display identical hardcopy and electronic materials covering all aspects of Egyptian life and culture. The four sponsoring venues are: 1) Georgetown University; 2) Maryland Institute College of Art; 3) Coppin State University; and 4) The Walters Art Museum.

As a kick-off event, a contest entitled “Images of Egypt” will be held in Washington D.C. for university undergraduate students. Participants will have the opportunity to use the EGYPTIAN CORNER to produce an original Egyptian-themed project in the categories of the Arts, Website Design, or Literature. The winners will receive a certificate and their entries will be displayed in a rotating exhibit among the four sponsoring venues. In addition, all winners will be awarded a two week trip to Egypt in April 2007. Egypt Air has generously donated two tickets for the winners of the EGYPTIAN CORNER contest.



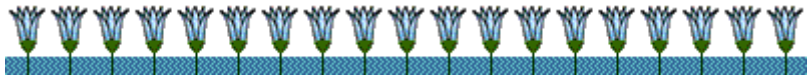
With careful stewardship, it is envisioned that the EGYPTIAN CORNER will be established in many major American cities with appropriate Egyptian counterparts in Alexandria and Luxor. By 2008 - 2009, fundraising activities will make available, scholarships for outstanding young scholars to study at selected Egyptian universities.

In the long term, the EGYPTIAN CORNER will be supported by American universities and libraries. Similarly, each EGYPTIAN CORNER will be financially self-sustaining, with ongoing contributions from the three original stakeholders.

For more information, please visit the EGYPTIAN CORNER web page which will be launched in the September 2006 timeframe. The website address is: [www.EgyptianCorner.org](http://www.EgyptianCorner.org)

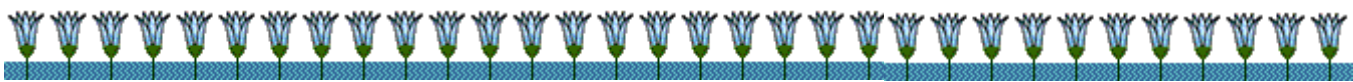
*Submitted by Marilyn Miller*

# Bulletin Board

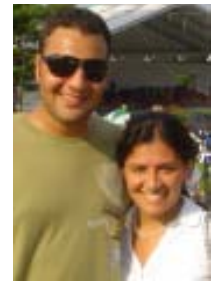


- November 2005 marked the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Baltimore and Alexandria Sister City relationship. In honor of the occasion, the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee (BLASSC) sponsored a variety of celebratory events that included:
  - Film lecture about mummies held at the Walters Art Museum.
  - Seminar on how to conduct business in Egypt held at Coppin State University.
  - Art exhibit displayed in the Gallery at Baltimore City Hall.
  - IMAX presentation of “Mysteries of Egypt” held at the Maryland Science Center.
  - Lecture series presented by prominent scholars hosted by the Walters Art Museum.
  - Gala dinner with folklore dancing and music held at the Walters Art Museum.





- The BLASCC has provided an opportunity for two students from Alexandria, Egypt, to come to Baltimore to work in challenging positions during the summer of 2006. Mr. Faiz Safi, President of Marina Ventures and BLASCC member, has offered a position to Mr. Adel Ramadan, whose background is in engineering. Ms. Ola Ramadan, whose background is in tourism, has been offered a position in the Marketing Department at the National Aquarium in Baltimore. Both internships will last approximately two months.
- On July 9, 2006, BLASCC members held a reception and barbeque for the Egyptian trainees attending the Research Ethic Workshop currently being sponsored by the University of Maryland. The event was held at Fort McHenry State Park with more than 30 people in attendance, including Mrs. Amal Mansour, Chairperson of the Mayor's Advisory Council of International Affairs.
- Friends of the Bibliotheca Alexandrina have announced that the annual meeting of the International Friends will be held November 1-3, 2006 in Alexandria, Egypt. Please visit the BLASCC website for more information including the agenda.



*Adel and Ola Ramadan*

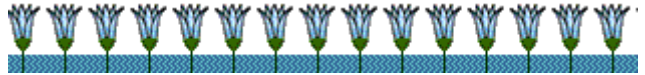


- Bateman Engineering, Inc. has agreed to build, own and operate a plant in Egypt using ThemoChem technology. This technology will be supplied by Dr. Montez Mansour, President of ThemoChem, Inc., and a member of the 2004 trade mission to Egypt. This technology enables the production of hydrocarbon fuels, Methanol and Dimethyl Ether, which can be used as transportation fuels and for bio-gasoline production. These clean products could be used locally or exported for profit, and have the potential to grow the Egyptian economy. Use of this technology will clean the environment, bolster the agricultural sector, and create jobs for the engineering and scientific communities in Egypt.



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# Other Organizations



Over the past year, the Egyptian American Community Foundation (EACF) has advanced their charitable mission and continued to build a powerful philanthropic legacy for the Egyptian American community. Through support for critical social and humanitarian projects in Egypt, EACF has improved awareness of Egyptian American philanthropy, while providing valuable aid to disaster victims and the underprivileged. Similarly, EACF's support for cultural programs has improved understanding of Egyptian culture and the role of this ethnic community in the United States.

In 2005, EACF supported a range of important humanitarian and cultural projects including:

- 1) a donation to support the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit of the Nasser Institute in Cairo, Egypt;
- 2) a grant to support disadvantaged Egyptian urban youth through innovative preschool programs;
- 3) a donation to the Katrina Fund to support hurricane victims;
- 4) a donation to support relief efforts in Pakistan for earthquake victims;
- 5) a sponsor of the Baltimore/Alexandria Sister City celebration; and
- 6) a sponsor of several events, symposia, presentations and performances that highlight Egypt's rich and diverse cultural heritage.

EACF is off to a great start in 2006. The highlight of our recent activity, was the successful luncheon and roundtable dialogue that was co-hosted with Egypt's General Authority for Investment and Free Zones at the Cornell Club in New York City. More than 60 guests participated in the program, and His Excellency Dr. Mahmoud Mohieldin, Egypt's Minister of Investment, was the featured guest speaker. Egypt's Ambassador to the United States, Nabil Fahmy, and Sherif Elkholi, Egypt's Consul General in New York, also attended.

To advance their goals in 2006, EACF has established a number of funds that donors may consider supporting. They include:

- Professional Development and Licensing Fund to assist with costs related to qualification exams required for professional licenses in highly-skilled areas.
- Medical Fund to assist in a wide range of medical areas and to support projects related to treatment and diagnosis of pediatric cancer in Egypt.
- Education and Technology Fund to support a range of development projects that promote the use of technology to improve communities in Egypt and the United States, particularly in the areas of educational development, cultural understanding, and medical solutions and research.
- Humanitarian and Cultural Development Fund to provide emergency relief and assistance to support crisis and disaster victims, to explore philanthropy and volunteer cooperation with other organizations, and to support programs that enhance understanding of Egyptian and Egyptian American culture.

To learn more about EACF, visit [www.eacfoundation.org](http://www.eacfoundation.org) or contact the EACF Executive Director, David Spinale, at [dspinale@eacfoundation.org](mailto:dspinale@eacfoundation.org)

*Submitted by David Spinale*



## National Council on Economic Education (NCEE)



With the support and encouragement from the Cairo and Alexandria Stock Exchange, the United States based NCEE began to explore expanding its international partnerships in Egypt. To date, NCEE has conducted two fact-finding trips to Egypt, trained ten Egyptian educators through the Train the Trainer program, conducted a demonstration teacher workshop in Alexandria, and hosted a delegation of three Egyptian educational leaders in the United States.

**I**n August 2005, NCEE hosted a six-day workshop in Alexandria, during which, 36 Egyptian teachers learned how to make economics come alive in the classroom for their students. Carefully selected from a large pool of applicants by the Office of the First Undersecretary of Education in Alexandria, middle school teachers of geography and mathematics came together with high school teachers of economics and English for this workshop. Concepts taught ranged from opportunity cost, trade-offs, and supply and demand to marginal utility and monetary policy. The materials were adapted for a largely middle school audience and drew upon instructional materials for mathematics and geography teachers. The workshop was attended by Abdelwahab Elabd, Chair of the Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City Committee.



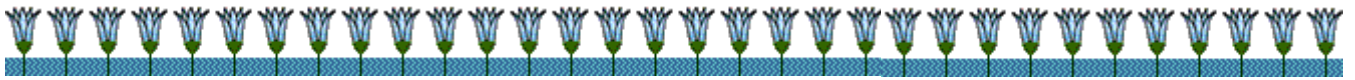
In November 2005, NCEE invited three educational leaders to the United States to meet with NCEE network representatives as part of a Cooperative Education Exchange Program. This program is federally funded and administered by the Department of Education in cooperation with the Department of State. The purpose of the group's visit was to assist them in making decisions about creating the first council for economic education in the Middle East.

The participants in the program were: Dr. Mona

El-Baradei, Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Political Science at Cairo University, Dr. Soheir M. Hewala, Deputy Dean of Graduate Studies and Research at the Institute of Educational Studies at Cairo University, and Dr. Yousri Afifi Mohamed, Director of the Centre for Curriculum and Instructional Materials Development of the Ministry of Education.

**D**uring their visit, the Egyptian delegates learned about the importance of partnerships between different types of institutions, and university involvement in teacher training in the delivery of economic education in the United States. In Minnesota, where the group was hosted by the Minnesota Council on Economic Education, they met with officials at the University of Minnesota, the Minnesota Department of Education, the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, and General Mills. They visited a local high school and attended a Senate Education Committee Meeting in the Minnesota State Capitol. At the end of their visit, they traveled to Washington, D.C., to meet with Congressional officials from Minnesota, and representatives of the Embassy of Egypt, the United States Department of Education, and NCEE. A reception in their honor was held at the Egyptian Cultural and Educational Bureau.

*Submitted by Laura Oldanie*



## BLASCC Photo Gallery - Awards, Picnics, and Artscape



*Jean Creek receiving the BLASCC Lotus Award from Salwa A. Elgebaly and Abdelwahab Elabd*



*Dr. Samia Elias receiving the Lotus Award for Dr. Louis Elias from Dr. Samer El-Kamary*



*Old Time picnic at Fort McHenry with BLASCC members and Egyptian trainees attending the Research Ethic Workshop*



*Sister City volunteers at Artscape*

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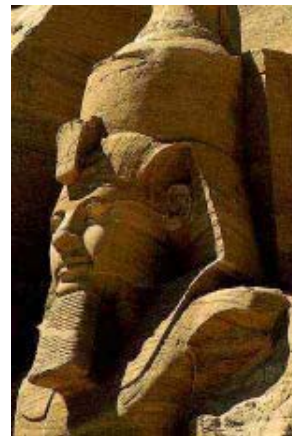
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Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City - On the Web

**T**he Baltimore / Luxor / Alexandria Sister City website contains useful information about Sister City programs as well as the Committee's mission statement. There are additional links on the website for news items, Sister City initiatives, contact information and upcoming events. If you would like to contribute to the BLASCC website please contact Paul Trattner via email at: [info@BaltimoreEgypt.org](mailto:info@BaltimoreEgypt.org)

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