

# UGANDA/SIERRA LEONE APPLICATION

**DUE FRIDAY, April 4, 2008**

Thank you for your interest in CSL/CASA's 5<sup>th</sup> annual international immersion trip. This year, we are excited to have the opportunity to travel to Uganda and Sierra Leone from December 28 – January 23, 2009 (subject to change a day or two based on flight ability). The international immersion trip is unique in that this is a student-driven service trip that will require a **significant commitment of time and energy** from anyone selected to participation.

In preparation for the trip, participants will attend educational workshops and be involved with team/community building activities for our group. In addition to this, participants will be required to raise funds for the trip, which will amount to \$5,000 per participant. The application is open to members of the USD community who wish to apply, however, selections will be made with an expectation that each participant be equally devoted to our group and goals of the experience.

1. Please list your campus and community involvement, including your responsibilities and leadership positions.
2. Are you willing to raise at least \$5,000 by participating in individual and group fundraisers, including letter writing campaigns? What ideas do you have for raising group funds?
3. What kind of travel experience do you have?
4. Why do you want to go on this trip? What do you hope to learn?
5. What are you able to contribute to this group and the experience?
6. What effects, positive and negative, do you think you will have on the communities you will be serving?

\*Please also note that if you do not have a passport, one will be needed by December 31, 2008

For questions and returned applications, e-mail [awolters09@gmail.com](mailto:awolters09@gmail.com) or stop by either the CSL office in Maher 218 or the CASA office in UC 113.