Angry about abstinence-only education? Feel like gender issues for women and girls aren't addressed enough? Think family planning should be a priority? Want to increase sexual and reproductive health services internationally?

Take action and receive $750 to organize a campaign to protect and promote international reproductive health and family planning and women's empowerment at your school with AID's "Innovators for a Sustainable World" project.

With "Innovators for a Sustainable World" you can propose innovative initiatives around global sexual and reproductive health and family planning issues, document your experiences on film, and work to create substantive change at your university. Your efforts and your campaign film will be promoted on AID’s website to inspire other reproductive rights and justice advocates to initiate similar campaigns.

AID will select up to 8 winning ideas and provide you with:

- $750 grant
- Trip to Washington D.C. to meet family planning and reproductive health experts, video production experts, and Congressional staff in January.
- Video Cameras for students to document their campaign.
- Training and leadership development skills
- Ongoing support and assistance on your campaign from AID staff.

Each campus group will return to their school, conduct the campaign, and create a short video showing how others could replicate their campaign idea on another campus.

The 8 videos will then be put up for a nationwide vote on the AID website. The students with the most innovative and successful campaign will win an additional $500. Other campus groups and individuals can then apply for a $200 mini-grant to bring the winning campaign to their campus.

Are you ready to be an agent for change, take action and promote family planning and reproductive health? To submit a proposal, please go to http://www.aidemocracy.org/health/innovatorsforasustainableworld.php

The deadline for applications is December 5, 2008!

Leaders of tomorrow creating change today.

Submit your proposal today at