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College or Division Name: Sorrell College of Business

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Title: Associate Professor - 10

Date: January 23, 2007

Brief Introductory Narrative:

4/9/08, DAJ/DH, 100%, The Center is now fully operational with a variety of projects underway- see Dr. Edwards for an update

9/11/06, DCH, 10% Complete. This is a compilation of the last 4 weeks of work. Dr. Judson Edwards is on board and functioning. Initial coordination meetings have been held with local, Southeast Alabama and State of Alabama economic development leaders. Initial work on economic development academic program has been initiated.

Annual Plan is Shown Below:

2006-2007 Strategic Objectives (Objective 2.4)
Center for International Business and Economic Development

1. By September 30, 2006 establish linkages with local economic development organizations in Southeast Alabama.
2. By November 30, 2006 establish contacts with development agencies and organizations in Alabama.
3. By December 31, 2006 develop and have through University academic committees International Economic Development Emphasis within existing Master of Business Administration Program.
4. By October 1, 2006 initiate technical support to local development agencies.
5. By November 30, 2006 have build-out plan developed for anticipated increased federal funding.
6. By January 31, 2007, have academic program submitted to Alabama Commission on Higher Education and Substantial Change Report submitted to Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

7. By February 1, 2007 have academic program course offering schedule developed for AY 2007-2008.
8. By April 30, 2007 sponsor one regional seminar on international trade for businesses.
9. By June 30, 2007 have academic program approved by Alabama Commission on Higher Education.

11272006- All activities are on schedule.

01152007- Don Hines- Graduate program has passed all internal committees and will be submitted to ACHE in January 2007. Undergraduate program is before TROY Academic Council January 18th and will be submitted to ACHE in January 2007.

03312007- All objectives are on schedule- now 40% complete, have intitated discussions with Hubei University (China) and Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University (Turkey) for cooperative relationship on international development academic programs and joint internship activities.

6/5/07- Objective continues on schedule. Graduate program to be considered by ACHE on June 22, delay on UG program to September 07.

8/17/08 Don Hines-Strategic Objective reviewed and concluded to remain 100% complete

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