Panos / Stop TB Media Fellowships

The Panos Global AIDS Programme and Stop TB Partnership invite print and photo journalists from India, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Pakistan, Philippines, Zambia, Ethiopia, Malawi and Haiti to apply for a three-month fellowship to write/photograph issues around TB, and TB & HIV/AIDS. Fellowships will run from June to October 2005.

Each fellowship will involve working closely with the Panos Global AIDS Programme, the Stop TB Partnership and a panel of experts on TB and communication in TB and/or HIV/AIDS in the countries specified. Coverage will not just detail problems and challenges but will also highlight success stories and models.

All selected fellows will be provided with editorial support in terms of storyline and production of photos as well as on medical and policy issues.

Selected print journalists will be awarded a grant of 400 US dollars each, plus travel and data collection expenses, and will be expected to produce three 1000-word articles on issues around TB and TB & HIV/AIDS. Selected photojournalists will be awarded a grant of 1000 US dollars each, plus travel and data collection expenses, to produce one photo essay around the issue of TB and/or TB & HIV/AIDS.

Applicants must submit the following no later than 2nd May 2005.

- Curriculum vitae
- Up to five samples of published work on health/development issues
- A 500-word write up explaining why you should be considered for the fellowship
- Two references from persons who have known you professionally

Selected journalists must undertake to publish or print their photographs in their respective publications.

Journalists writing in regional languages are encouraged to apply. However, their CV and the write-up should be in English and at least one sample of their work must be translated into English. To apply, please e-mail all relevant documentation to Panos.TBFellowship@panosaids.org

Panos works with the media and other information actors to enable developing countries to shape and communicate their own development agendas through informed public debate.