### Project for Learning Abroad, Training and Orientation

## (1) Outreach to Underrepresented Students for Study Abroad

- · Marketing materials to recruit underrepresented students
- Orientation/reentry courses with targeted materials
- Provides information about subgroup specific and other financial resources



## (7) K-12 and Community College and Home Campus Outreach

(6) Faculty/Staff

**Development Modules** 

more valuable for their students

- Enables prior study abroad students to serve as mentors to K-12, community colleges, and on the home campus
- Develops mentors who encourage other students to include study abroad as part of their higher education



Prepares educators to make study abroad experiences

Develops teachers' skills in how to create, lead, and/or

Provides resources to assist faculty/staff who have

for study, research, and travel abroad

improve existing international programs for their students

not been abroad to find funding sources (Fulbright, etc.)

# PLATO At-A-Glance

#### (2) Pre-Study Abroad Online Learning Course

Can be taken by any student at any college or university



#### (3) Retention Resources and Mentor Message Boards For Students During Study Abroad

- Develops resources and on-line project staff/mentor supported message boards
- Responds to students questions and issues prior, during, and after study abroad experience
- Fulfills a significant and growing need for sufficient academic and personal support and mentorship



#### (5) International Honors Certificate

 Awarded to any college or university student who has completed all components of the PLATO program



#### (4) Post-Study Abroad/Reentry Online Course

- · Can be taken by any student at any college or university
- Integrates a student's international education experience into his or her academic and extra-curricular life

