

UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND-CAMPAIGN 2000 & SPELMAN COLLEGE RECEIVE \$100,000 GRANT

The United Negro College Fund announced recently a \$100,000 grant from Lotus Development Corporation payable over four years in support of "UNCF-CAMPAIGN 2000: An Investment In America's Future." The grant is specifically earmarked for Spelman College in Atlanta, Georgia. Lotus will also provide software and in-kind services as

a contribution toward the Science Initiative phase, part of Spelman's \$81 million capital campaign.

Spelman College is the nation's oldest four-year liberal arts institution for black women. In 1991, Spelman received a Points of Light Award from President Bush for outstanding community service volunteerism by students. One of six

institutions in the Atlanta University Center Complex, Spelman has been cited by U.S. News and World Report and Money Magazine for its high academic standards as well as the leadership and achievements of its students and alumnae.

"It is a magical place," said Spelman President, Johnetta B. Cole. "The magic happens every time one of our students falls in love with what she can become. We are delighted with the news of the grant from Lotus

Development corporation." Lotus Development Corporation (NASDAQ:LOTS), founded in 1982, provides software products and support services that meet the business needs of individuals, work groups and enterprises. Lotus' extensive range of products focuses on integration applications, platforms and people. The company's first product, 1-2-3, is the most popular personal computer application in the world, with more than 20 million users. Lotus markets its

products in more than 80 countries worldwide and provides numerous support services, both from its consulting division and its award-winning 24-hour support center.

The gift will be used toward construction of the science center where Spelman hopes to train future African-American women scientists and engineers," said Michael Dumey, director of philanthropy and community affairs at Lotus. "We are also looking to further develop our partnership by

increasing the technological opportunities for faculty and staff at Spelman, while at the same time aiding UNCF in attaining matching funds for CAMPAIGN 2000," he added.

CAMPAIGN 2000 is UNCF's most ambitious capital campaign to date with a goal of \$250 million. Its purpose is to help strengthen the role of UNCF colleges and universities in educating African Americans to meet the challenges of the 21st century. To date it has raised over \$212 (See Campaign 2000, Page 23)

WHITEHURST WINS MALCOLM X AWARD

At the recent First Annual AFRIQUE Awards Program, Author Steven Whitehurst was named the winner of the MALCOLM X AWARD FOR SELF-ACTUALIZATION. The AFRIQUE Awards, sponsored by AFRIQUE Communications, are held in honor of people within the African community who best embody the spirits of their ancestors through work or social activities.

Steven is the author of WORDS FROM AN UNCHAINED MIND (\$9.95, United Brothers & Sisters Communications Systems, ISBN: 1-56411-014-1), a book which has been very well received by reviewers and was nominated for the American Library Association's Eli M. Oboler Award. Steven is also a contributing author in the book RODNEY KING AND THE L.A. REBELLION: Analysis & Commentary By 13 Independent Black Writers (\$10.00, United Brothers & Sisters Communication Systems, ISBN: 1-56411-036-2), a Your Black Books Guide Bestseller and winner of a 1993 BLACK LITERARY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD in the "Books of the Year" category. Additionally, he is listed in the



STEVEN WHITEHURST

Black Authors and Published Writers Directory, and in Who's Who In Writers, Editors & Poets.

Steven is employed as the Director of Student Development at South Suburban College in South Holland, Illinois. He is an alumnus of both South Suburban College (formerly Thornton Community College) and Chicago State University; and he is currently working towards his Master's Degree in Ethnic Studies (History) at Chicago State University.

For information about the awards contact AFRIQUE Communications, Inc., 4554 N. Broadway, Suite 320, Chicago, IL 60640, (312) 989-8138.



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