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To: H
Subject: Fw: Award idea

Remind me to discuss

From: Abedin, Huma
Sent: Tuesday, March 06, 2012 05:12 PM
To: Brimmer, Esther D; Sullivan, Jacob J; Marshall, Capricia P; Mills, Cheryl D
Cc: Pittman, H Dean; Le Mon, Christopher J
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From: Abedin, Huma
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To: Brimmer, Esther D; Sullivan, Jacob J; Marshall, Capricia P
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Thanks for including me Esther
I defer to Cheryl on this

From: Brimmer, Esther D
Sent: Tuesday, March 06, 2012 01:35 PM
To: Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J; Marshall, Capricia P
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Jake, Huma, Capricia,

We have worked to enhance the conduct of multilateral diplomacy by improving three areas: training, promotion and recognition of multilateral diplomacy.

We have implemented phases one and two by working with FSI to rewrite the Multilateral Diplomacy course; the revised course was launched in 2011. We are working with the DG's office on promotion parameters.

I would like to share with you our plans for phase three, creation of a Department award for multilateral diplomacy.

We have worked with L/Ethics and EUR-IO/EX/HR on how to create an award for multilateral diplomacy. I am delighted to tell you the former Secretary Madeleine K. Albright has agreed that the award may be created in her name.

I am forming a small group to work on realizing the project and would like to include S staff, S/P, and Protocol. IO Senior Advisor Christopher Le Mon is working closely with me on this project. The plan will include outside fundraising. I would welcome your ideas. I would be happy to brief you or your representative our plan to accomplish the task in 2012. We think this would be a fine legacy for the Department of State.

Esther

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