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**From:** Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 7, 2012 7:20 AM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** RE: Award idea

As you can tell – she didn't raise with me and she was notifying Jake and Huma

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**From:** H [mailto:HDR22@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 07, 2012 7:09 AM  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Subject:** Re: Award idea

Yes, let's. Did she vet this w anyone before asking Madeleine?

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**From:** Mills, Cheryl D [mailto:MillsCD@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 06, 2012 09:24 PM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Fw: Award idea

Remind me to discuss

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**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  
**Subject:** Re: Award idea

Adding cheryl

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**From:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 06, 2012 05:09 PM  
**To:** Brimmer, Esther D; Sullivan, Jacob J; Marshall, Capricia P  
**Cc:** Pittman, H Dean; Le Mon, Christopher J  
**Subject:** Re: Award idea

Thanks for including me Esther  
I defer to Cheryl on this

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**From:** Brimmer, Esther D  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 06, 2012 01:35 PM  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J; Marshall, Capricia P  
**Cc:** Pittman, H Dean; Le Mon, Christopher J  
**Subject:** Award idea

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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