

# Engineers Without Borders in Panama

As a corporate sponsor, The Swinerton Foundation donated \$2,500 to Engineers Without Borders - Howard University Chapter's (EWB-HU) Panama Business Brigade. During Howard University's winter break, selected students from EWB-HU went with the Global Business Brigades to perform a week-long needs assessment that spans four project sites in the rural areas of Panama.

This program is in partnership with two nonprofit organizations: Global Business Brigades and Plan 4 Success.

The mission of Global Business Brigades is to facilitate student travel to developing countries to assist in local economic development by providing business solutions involving microenterprises in rural villages with limited access to resources. The other partnering organization, Plan 4 Success, is a non-profit aimed to prepare undergraduate minority students for meaningful career-focused positions.

