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Grant Signing Ceremony held at UMC

By Elizabeth Tollefson on Friday, February 17, 2006

Crookston, MN— The University of Minnesota Crookston (UMC) in cooperation with Communicating for Agriculture (CA) held a grant signing ceremony on Friday, February 17 celebrating the partnership with a consortium of Minnesota based agricultural and agricultural related businesses to develop and deliver horticulture training online. \$260,000.00 has been awarded to teach horticulture online through UMC. Classes are expected to begin late February.

Communicating for Agriculture is offered in all 50 states and in a wide range of foreign countries where it has successfully provided overseas training internships to over 10,000 foreign nationals and American students. UMC is a four-year baccalaureate degree granting institution and coordinate campus of the University of Minnesota.

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