#### **Purpose:**

The International Endowment Foundation was organized and incorporated on February 4, 1953 for the purpose of seeking voluntary private support from alumni, parents, friends, corporations, foundations, and others for the purpose of supporting and sustaining the Dr. James H. & Myra Hume Jones International House Program at JSU.

As stated in its Articles of Incorporation, the Foundation is a separately incorporated 501 (C)(3) organization and is responsible for identifying and nurturing relationships with potential donors and other friends of the International House Program.

## Consider becoming an International Endownment Foundation (IEF) Board member

Why: The International House has been active and strong since 1946 because of donations from the IEF Board Members community organizations and individuals. By becoming an IEF Board member you will make the difference in these international student lives while helping to shape the future of the international house.

How: If you would like to consider being an IEF Board member please email *igalinat@jsu.edu* to set up a meeting in person or through an online meeting to go over the benefits and responisibilities of the board members.

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## THE INTERNATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION



## "KNOW ONE ANOTHER AND YOU WILL LOVE ONE ANOTHER."

#### Mission:

The mission of the foundation is to raise and manage private resources that will support the mission and priorities of the Dr. James H. & Myra Hume Jones International House Program at JSU, and that will provide opportunities for students (both foreign and U.S.) to achieve excellence in education and leadership skills unavailable with state funds alone.



#### **About the Jones International House Program**

The Jones International House Program provides a window into the world for students at Jacksonville State University and the surrounding community. The program began in 1946 with the motto, "know one another and you will love one another." Initially, the program hosted four students from France. Through his own life experiences Dr. James H. Jones, founder of the International House Program believed that one way to promote peace in the world was to get people from different countries to know each other; their cultures, languages, religions, etc. The program continues to place greater importance on promoting global understanding and peace between all nations and cultures.

There are 40 members of the program— 20 American students and 20 internationals. Each international student is from a different country and is roomed with an American student. International House Program strives to provide an environment in which international students can easily learn more about American society, and in which students from Alabama can learn about other societies.

Students accepted into the program may stay for a total of 4 semesters if they continue to meet the conditions of remaining in the program.

#### The Mission of the International House Program:

The mission of the International House Program is to provide a platform for our American students and international students to engage in intercultural living and learning programs thereby promoting global understanding and peace.

### The International House program places special emphasis on:

- Knowledge of the cultures of countries of the world.
- Understanding and appreciation of different cultural values and systems.
- Coordinating the activities of the students, American and foreign, into the total academic and social life of the University and community.
- Providing opportunities for dialogue and discussion among the members concerning topics related to the political, social, economic, spiritual, and human relations aspects of the countries represented.

# THE JONES INTERNATIONAL HOUSE PROGRAM



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