

# Alliance @ Santa Fe Cluster Conversation Group Topics

## Working in High-Conflict and Challenging Areas and Creating New Markets

- Hind El Arabi, United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) Sulafa Embroidery Centre,
   Gaza
- Terri Hendrix and Elhadji Koumama, Tuareg Jewlery
- Rangina Hamidi, Kandahar Treasure
- Andrew and Lily Wang, Distant Echo LLC

## Environmental Artisan Businesses: Opportunities and Challenges

- Laurie Wilkins, Earth Bound, Inc.
- Aurora Rodriguez de Caura, Cooperative Artist
- Ique Etacore de Picanerai, Organizacion Cheque Oitedie Cooperative
- Adriana Etacore Picanere, Organizacion Cheque Oitedie Cooperative
- Ines Hinojosa, Organizacion Cheque Oitedie Cooperative

### **Section** Business Training and Mentoring Approaches

- Kellie Kreiser, Thunderbird School of Global Management
- Jodi Winsor, Launch Creative Lab
- Karen Domenici, IFAM Mentor 2 Mentor Program

### Techniques for Expanding Local and Regional Markets...and the Question of Financing

- Tom Aageson, Global Center for Cultural Entrepreneurship
- Nusulah Kinene, Uganda Crafts 2000 Ltd.

## ❖ Failing Upward in Artisan Enterprise : The Mistakes that Taught us to Succeed

• Willa Shalit, Maiden Nation

### The Role of the U.S. Department of State in the Alliance: Future Plans and Ideas

- Greta Schettler, U.S. Department of State, Secretary's Office of Global Women's Issues
- Natika Washington, U.S. Department of State, Secretary's Office of Global Women's Issues