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FAMU Engineering Technology Scholars to receive the Dwight David Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship

TALLAHASSEE, FL—Three engineering technology majors in the College of Engineering Sciences, Technology and Agriculture (CESTA) at Florida A&M University (FAMU) will be awarded the Dwight David Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship in the fall of 2009. John Cannon (electrical engineering technology), Jamesa Marshall (civil engineering technology) and Philson Joseph (construction engineering technology) have been selected to receive \$7,500 per student to support research initiatives relative to transportation education and research.

All of the students responded with enthusiasm and exhilaration upon learning about being selected to receive the fellowship. Cannon remarked, "I am ecstatic about being a recipient. I give all praises to God." Jamesa Marshall responded, "I am really excited to be a scholarship recipient because I really needed the financial assistance. Philson Joseph echoed their remarks saying, "It's good! I am glad to receive this fellowship and look forward to doing more transportation research."

Makola Abdullah, Dean and Director of Land-Grants, stated, "I am proud to be among the first to congratulate our students for their outstanding accomplishments. John, Jamesa and Philson are all role models for other students to work hard to receive such prestigious fellowships."

The Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship program is designed to assist both undergraduate and graduate students pursuing a college degree in transportation or related displines. The fellowships are awarded annually by the United States Department of Transportation through the Federal Highway Administration's Office of Professional and Corporate Development. Visit online at: <a href="http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/opd/2008\_grad\_app.htm">http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/opd/2008\_grad\_app.htm</a>.

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