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FSI is pleased to announce the results of the joint FSI and Foreign Service Youth Foundation 2011 KidVid Contest. Diplomatic Automobile Sales and Peake Management generously donated the prize money.

Top prize winners will be invited to the annual Youth Award Ceremony in the Ben Franklin Room at the Department of State on July 15.

First place winner, Latham Wright (age 15), produced a creative and clever production on life in Manila, Philippines from a teen perspective. His engaging narration was accompanied by quality footage that provided a well-organized overview of: the schools, housing, community life, and shopping in this dynamic bustling East Asian city.

There was a tie for second place. Kalli Wilson (age 13) and Cassie Vining (age 10) produced a video that highlighted relevant activities and daily life in the fascinating city of Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia. Peter Huson (age 12) offered an appealing look at life in Krakow, Poland and he provided especially thorough coverage of the school and community life.

Third place winner, Drew Turner (age 14), presented an inviting view of life in Kathmandu, Nepal. His well-narrated presentation also included an effective use of maps for this city that offers views of the Himalayan Mountains in the distance.

All entries will be added to the FSI/Transition Center's Overseas Briefing Center's audiovisual library. Awards will be mailed to the top winners in the near future.

Posts should be on the lookout for details of the 2012 FSI KidVid Contest in the coming months. Students from age 10 to 18 may wish to begin working on a submission soon for next year's contest.