

# **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE SELECTIVE CORPORATE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM (SCIP) ANNOUNCES**

## **A Gala Night of Stars**

**New York, NY:** The Selective Corporate Internship Program (SCIP) founded in 1997 is the brainchild of Monica and Miguel Mancebo of McClure Management. The program provides bright, promising New York and New Jersey high school students with corporate, mentoring and internship opportunities to gain valuable business skills. The Mancebo's have made SCIP their commitment to our youth and students spend the summer obtaining business skills used by successful corporate business leaders and entrepreneurs. SCIP also offers a continuum through its alumni program which also provides leadership training; development and internship opportunities, for students throughout college and beyond.

This is the 10th Year the internship program has been in existence and the milestone will be marked with a Gala Night of Stars Celebration on Thursday, October 2, 2008 at the Le Parker Meriden Hotel. The event will be hosted by WNBC Channel 4 New York's Monica Morales and Pierre Salmon of Clarins Fragrance Group.

The gala event will honor the Class of 2008 Students as well as supporters and sponsors of SCIP. Among those being honored for their unwavering commitment and support in the shared vision with SCIP of helping to encourage, empower and enlighten many future leaders and entrepreneurs; are Carl Brooks, President, Executive Leadership Council (ELC); Harriet Michel, President, National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC); Clarins Fragrance Group; Time Warner; Colgate; Pfizer; and MetLife. They have been mentors for our young adults through business and community development and were selected for their outstanding community work and continuous support to the work of the internship program.

The event brings SCIP financial support that goes directly to this empowering internship program. SCIP is a 501(c)(3) organization; all contributions and donations are subject to tax exemption.

**For additional information about SCIP or the 10th Anniversary Gala contact us:--**

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