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**NANCY HUNT, PRESIDENT OF WE ARE FAMILY FOUNDATION, TO SPEAK ON
“WORLD PEACE FORUM” PANEL**

(New York – September 24, 2007) Nancy Hunt, President of the We Are Family Foundation (WAFF), will serve as guest speaker and panelist at the “World Peace Forum” October 27, participating on the panels, “Peace is Possible” and “Today’s Ambulance Drivers,” hosted by AFS Intercultural Programs (AFS).

The “World Peace Forum,” which celebrates the 60th anniversary of AFS, will cover the themes of promoting peace, international diplomacy and international education, bringing together distinguished guests who work to promote broader global understanding and peace. Other featured speakers and panelists will include documentary filmmaker and producer, Ken Burns; Mayor of Hiroshima and 2004 World Mayor finalist for Asia, Tadatoshi Akiba; President and CEO of World Learning and former Executive Director of UNICEF, Carol Bellamy; Executive Director of Doctors without Borders, Nicolas de Torrente; among others.

The event will take place in Alfred Lerner Hall at Columbia University on Saturday, October 27 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Registration is \$50 for adults and \$25 for students. For more information about the “World Peace Forum,” visit www.afs60.org.

About We Are Family Foundation

The We Are Family Foundation (WAFF) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization founded in 2002 by legendary songwriter/musician/producer Nile Rodgers. Based on the name of Rodgers’ world famous song “We Are Family,” WAFF’s mission is to celebrate the vision of a global family by creating and supporting programs that inspire and educate people about mutual respect, understanding, and appreciation of cultural diversity. **To find out more, visit www.wearefamilyfoundation.org**

About AFS Intercultural Programs

For 60 years, AFS Intercultural Programs has been leading international high school student exchange. AFS was founded by volunteer American Field Service ambulance drivers from World Wars I and II who believe – as AFS believes today – that the way to build a more just and peaceful world begins when people from different countries meet, learn about each other and begin to understand each other. AFS is a 501(c)(3) organization and is largely a volunteer-driven organization, with more than 6,000 U.S. volunteers and 30,000 worldwide. **To contact AFS, call 1-800-AFS-INFO or visit www.afs.org/usa**

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