

## **VITA – Achieving Positive Experiences for Student Participants and the Community**

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This paper describes the VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) Program at Benedictine University which received a community service award from the city of Lisle Illinois in May 2005. It describes VITA in general and specifically how the program is managed at Benedictine University. Indicators of the size and effectiveness of the program are given along with student participants' feedback addressing elements recommended by the Accounting Education Change Commission.

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