- Briefing of Team Leader and team members by project backstopping officers in AID/Washington
- Heaviest burden for this component will rest with the USAID Mission upon arrival of contractors at post

8. Host Country Historical Background

**Method:**
- Country self-study module should be acquired by Campus Orientation officer for individual study by TA Team members
- Area Handbook for individual country to be provided by AID - M/PM/TD/CT for study and reference by individual TA Team Faculty with special knowledge of host country
- Students on campus from host country
- Initial briefing upon arrival at post

9. Host Country Political Situation

**Method:**
- Same materials, sources and process as 8., above


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11. Host Country Socio/Economic Conditions

**Method:**
- Same materials, sources and process as 8., above

12. Cross-cultural Communications and Adaptation

**Method:**
- Training on this topic is included in the regular AID/W orientation program for direct-hire, PASA and contractor employees going overseas
- A training module on this topic might be developed by contracting with a Title XII institution or individual which could be presented by Campus Orientation Officers on home campuses

13. Institution Building

**Content:**
Concepts, theories, experience to date, technological