

## **Independent Historically Black Colleges & Universities**

- ▶ \$9,974,038 was allocated in the 2005 General Appropriations Bill.
- ▶ Funds in Specific Appropriation 57 were allocated as follows:
  - Bethune-Cookman College..... \$3,745,510
  - Edward Waters College..... \$2,935,332
  - Florida Memorial College..... \$3,125,154
  - Library Resources..... \$168,042
- ▶ Each college president shall submit a proposed expenditure plan to the Department of Education prior to the release of these funds. Funds are contingent upon a college being accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.
- ▶ Funds in Specific Appropriation 57 for Library Resources shall be used for the purchase of books and other related library materials, such as audio and media resources, pursuant to Section 1006.59, Florida Statutes. Funds shall be allocated equally to Florida Memorial College, Bethune-Cookman College, and Edward Waters College. Funds shall not be expended on promotional materials or on staff development. Each college shall provide an exact accounting of expenditures to the Department of Education.