Jouvay Ayiti

*Jouvay Ayiti* is a special project involving students at the Department of Creative and Festival Arts (DCFA) at UWI, St Augustine. This initiative is a combination of Carnival Arts, Education and Regional Integration programmes, **aimed at increasing and changing the popular perception about Haiti in a meaningful way.** *Jouvay Ayiti* is directed at training students in the Carnival Arts while promoting cultural exchanges between Trinidad and Tobago and Haiti, while increasing public awareness of Haitian culture in Trinidad and Tobago.

*Jouvay Ayiti* approaches the task of creating a positive discussion of Haiti amongst the national community through the production of a Carnival band, a Theatrical production in March 2011, a Film Festival in August 2011 and a Rendezvous *Jacmel* – A Trini style Mas Camp in Haiti for its Carnival in 2012. Additional information is available at DCFA office - 663-2222 or email Marissa.Brooks@sta.uwi.edu.