



# CO-OP BANK STAFF ACHIEVES REGIONAL DISTINCTION

Mr. Willvom Grainger, who has fourteen years banking experience, was recently **awarded an Executive Diploma in Management with Distinction** from The Cave Hill School of Business (CHSB) of the University of the West Indies.



His accomplishment serves as a sterling example of Co-op Bank's commitment and support to building the capabilities of its staff through formal professional banking and other related programs. He has been employed at the Grenada Co-operative Bank since January 2005, and currently holds the position of Loans Officer at the Bank's Spiceland Mall, Grand Anse Branch.

Mr. Grainger received one of only two distinctions awarded in the region. Class attendance, participation, assignments, projects and exams were all vital aspects for successful completion of the intense two-year program.

In commenting on his achievement Mr. Grainger said *"...I pursued the programme to broaden my knowledge in the management field and add to my experience. In this competitive environment, experience alone is not enough. The programme has provided me with a set of management tools for my continued growth and the growth, profitability and sustainability of the bank."*

He also has to his credit attained the Certified Residential Underwriter (CRU) designation with the Real Estate Institute of Canada, which is a globally recognised institution providing distance education opportunities. Mr. Grainger has also successfully completed the Commercial Lending Advanced Level II programme at the Professional Credit Granting School of the Wilfrid Laurier University, Ontario, Canada.

The Management and Staff of Co-op Bank congratulate Mr. Grainger on yet another outstanding achievement.