



Villanova/Aqua America Partnership Update: Aqua to Break Ground on Water System in Nicaragua and Make Storage Tank Improvements in Panama

February 16, 2017 -- The partnership between Aqua and Villanova University's College of Engineering continues into 2017 as the company works to provide mentorship opportunities and water quality expertise for the college's international water service work.

Aqua is actively participating in two service projects with Villanova University – one in Panama and the other in Nicaragua. These projects, while different in scope, each help enhance communities in the respective countries and provide critical water services to people who desperately need it.

In Panama, Aqua is working with Villanova to enhance a water system currently providing water on an alternating basis to half the town's population every other day. This was an amazing collaboration of partners that accomplished the goal of fixing the water collection tank set just a year ago.

In Nicaragua, Aqua engineer Mike Convery and director of production, Jeff Bickel will be joining a team of Villanova engineering students from March 4 – March 11 to break ground on the planned water distribution project.