



FULBRIGHT

Scholar Program

Spotlight on Austria: Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program

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Mission

- In partnership with 160 countries worldwide, Fulbright offers passionate and accomplished faculty, administrator, artists, journalists, lawyers, and other professionals from all backgrounds an unparalleled opportunity to study, teach, or conduct research.
- Our mission is to foster mutual understanding between nations, advance knowledge across communities, and improve lives around the world.

A Brief History

- Established in 1946 by Congress, Fulbright is the United States government's flagship international educational and cultural exchange program.
- Fulbright is sponsored by the U.S. Department of State with funding provided by the U.S. Government and administered by the Institute of International Education.





Diversity and Inclusion

Fulbright strives to ensure that it reflects the diversity of U.S. society and societies abroad. We encourage the involvement of people from traditionally underrepresented audiences in all our grants, programs and other initiatives.

Opportunities are open to people regardless of their race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, geographic location, socioeconomic status, disability, sexual orientation or gender identity.





Fulbright by the Numbers

The Fulbright Program funds over 8,000 awards annually:

- **800 U.S. scholars and administrators**
- **2,200 U.S. Students**
- **4,000 foreign students**
- **900 visiting scholars**
- **400+ language teaching assistants**

Approximately 390,000 “Fulbrighters” have participated in the program since its inception in 1946.

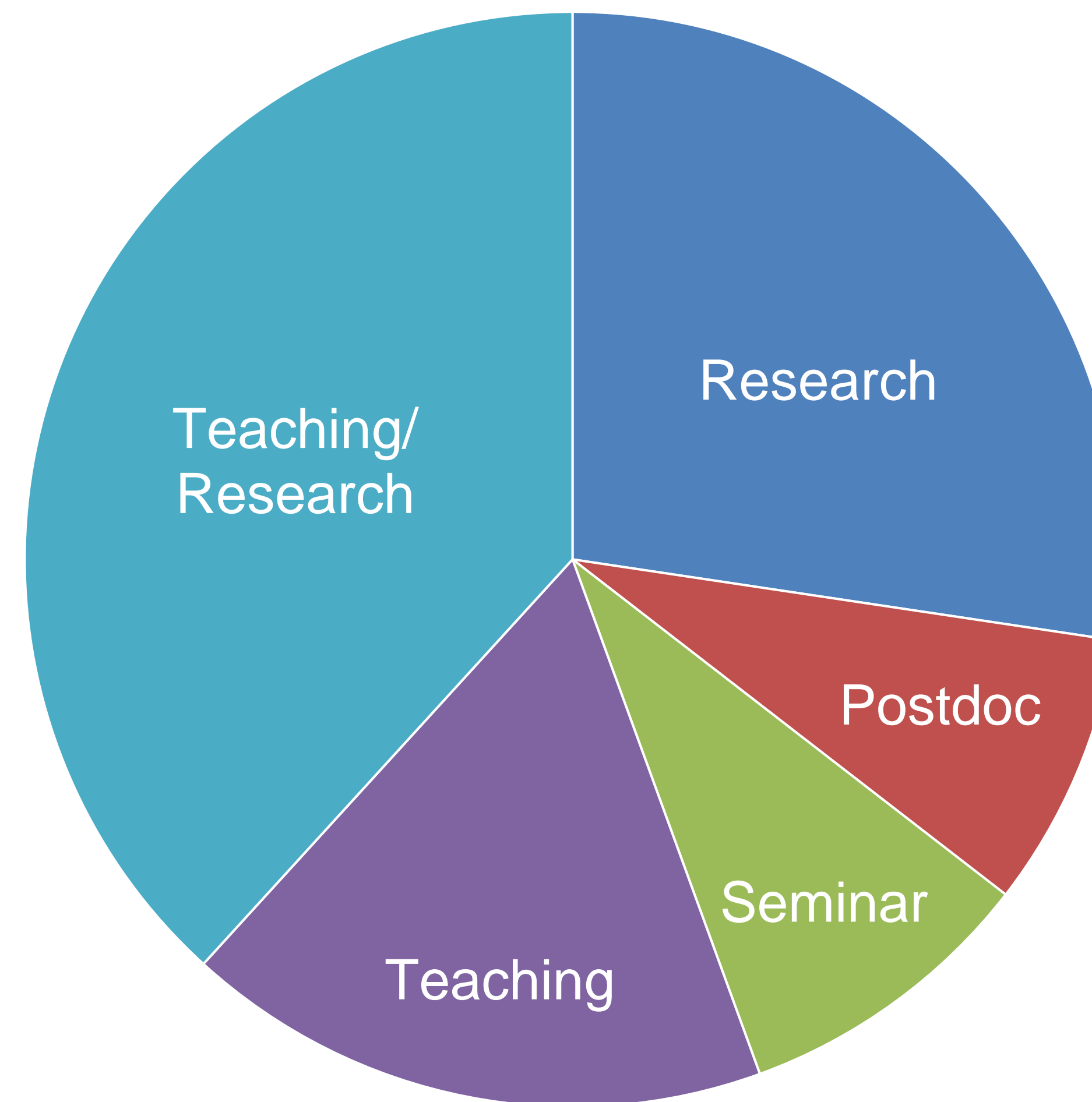




Distribution of Awards

Fulbright awards allow academics and professionals to participate in a wide variety of activities:

- Teaching/Research (38%)
- Research (28%)
- Teaching (17%)
- Administrator seminar (9%)
- Postdoctoral research (8%)





Eligibility for U.S. Scholar Program



- U.S. citizenship
- Degree and experience, as required by award:
 - Ph.D. or other terminal degree
 - MA and higher education teaching or professional experience
 - Professional and/or artistic experience with substantial accomplishments
 - Teaching experience
- Compliance with [policies](#) on previous Fulbright Scholar awards and waiting periods between grants





A Fulbright that Works for You



Awards throughout your career:

- Postdoctoral
- Early and mid-career
- Distinguished chair
- Emeriti, adjunct, independent scholar

Flex Option

- Available in 63 countries and all world areas
- Allows multiple visits over two years

Regional research awards





Selecting the Right Award



- Match expertise, experience and proposal to the award description
- Regional experience and language ability
- Discipline preferences, when specified
- Is the project relevant to the host country? How will communities benefit from your project?
- Career level – postdoctoral, early career, mid-career, Distinguished Chair, administrator, established professional





Opportunities in Austria: FAQ

- Is my discipline represented?
- Are there opportunities for early career Scholars?
- What if I don't have contacts at the host institution?
- How do I get a letter of invitation?
- Who pays for my trip?
- Are there benefits for family members?





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FULBRIGHT U.S. SCHOLAR PROGRAM CATALOG OF AWARDS

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26 awards found

SWITCH TO CARD VIEW



CODE	AWARD TITLE	REGION	COUNTRY/AREA	ACTIVITY
11127-AU	American Studies	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching, Teaching/Research
11121-AU	Fulbright-Alpen-Adria-Universität Klagenfurt Visiting Professor	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11124-AU	Fulbright-Botstiber Visiting Professor of Austrian-American Studies	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11129-AU	Fulbright-Diplomatic Academy Visiting Professor of International Studies	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11140-AU	Fulbright-FH JOANNEUM University of Applied Sciences Graz Visiting Professor in Computer Science	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11131-AU	Fulbright-Freud Visiting Lecturer of Psychoanalysis	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11134-AU	Fulbright-Graz University of Technology Visiting Professor	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11133-AU	Fulbright-IFK Senior Fellow in Cultural Studies	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Research
11138-AU	Fulbright-IMC University of Applied Sciences Krems Visiting Professor	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11141-AU	Fulbright-Johannes Kepler University Linz Visiting Professor at the Faculty of Social Sciences, Economics and Business	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research
11120-AU	Fulbright-Karl Franzens University Graz Visiting Professor in Cultural Studies	Europe and Eurasia	Austria	Teaching/Research

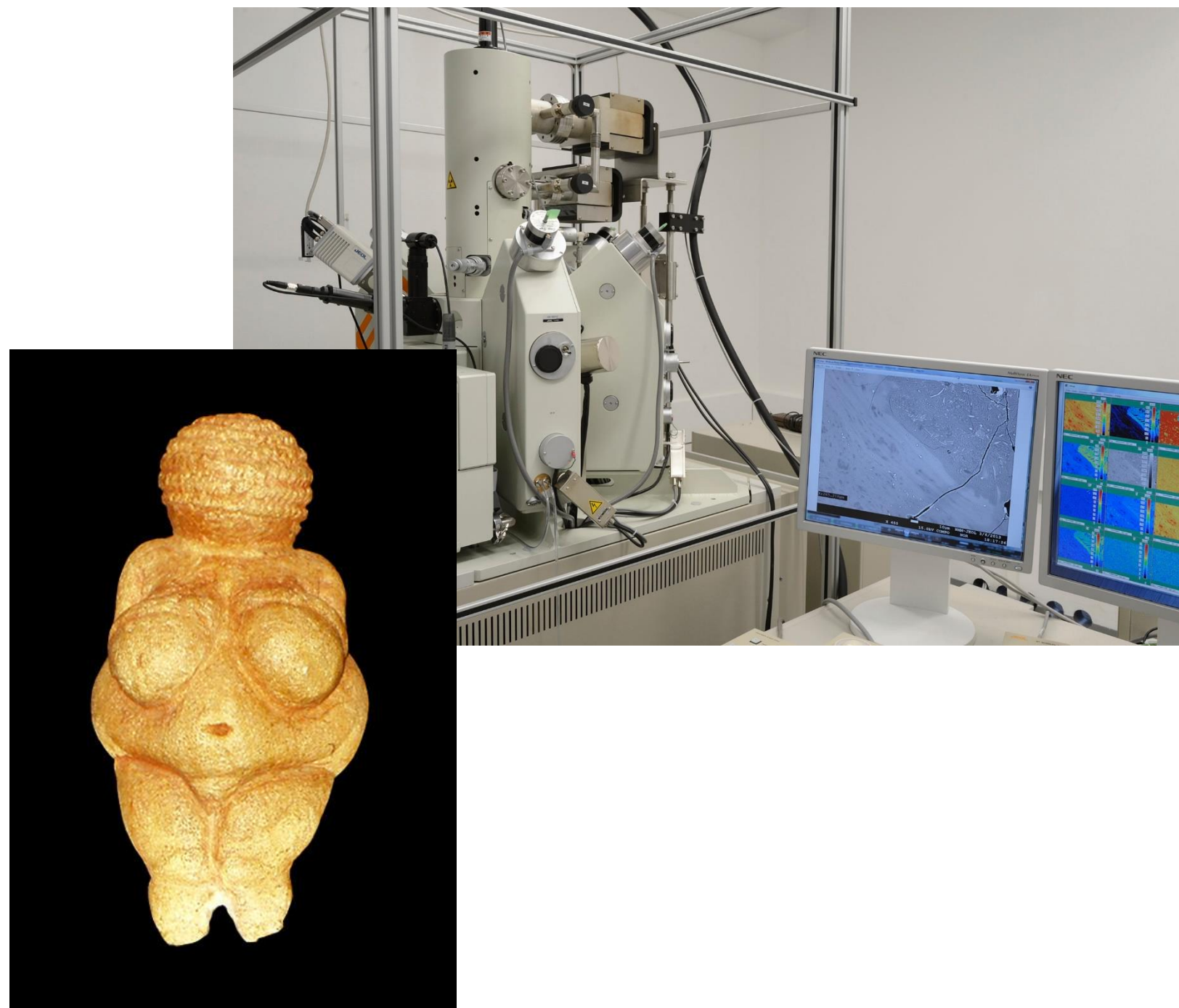


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Fulbright Natural History Museum Vienna Visiting Researcher



- Four months research
- Flex option offered
- Open to all level of scholars
- Letter of invitation preferred
- **Environmental Sciences: Earth, Life, and Human Sciences**





Fulbright-UAS Burgenland Visiting Professor of Energy and Environmental Management

- Four months teaching/research
- Open to all level of Scholars
- Letter of invitation is optional
- **Architecture, Engineering,
Environmental Sciences, and
Urban Planning**

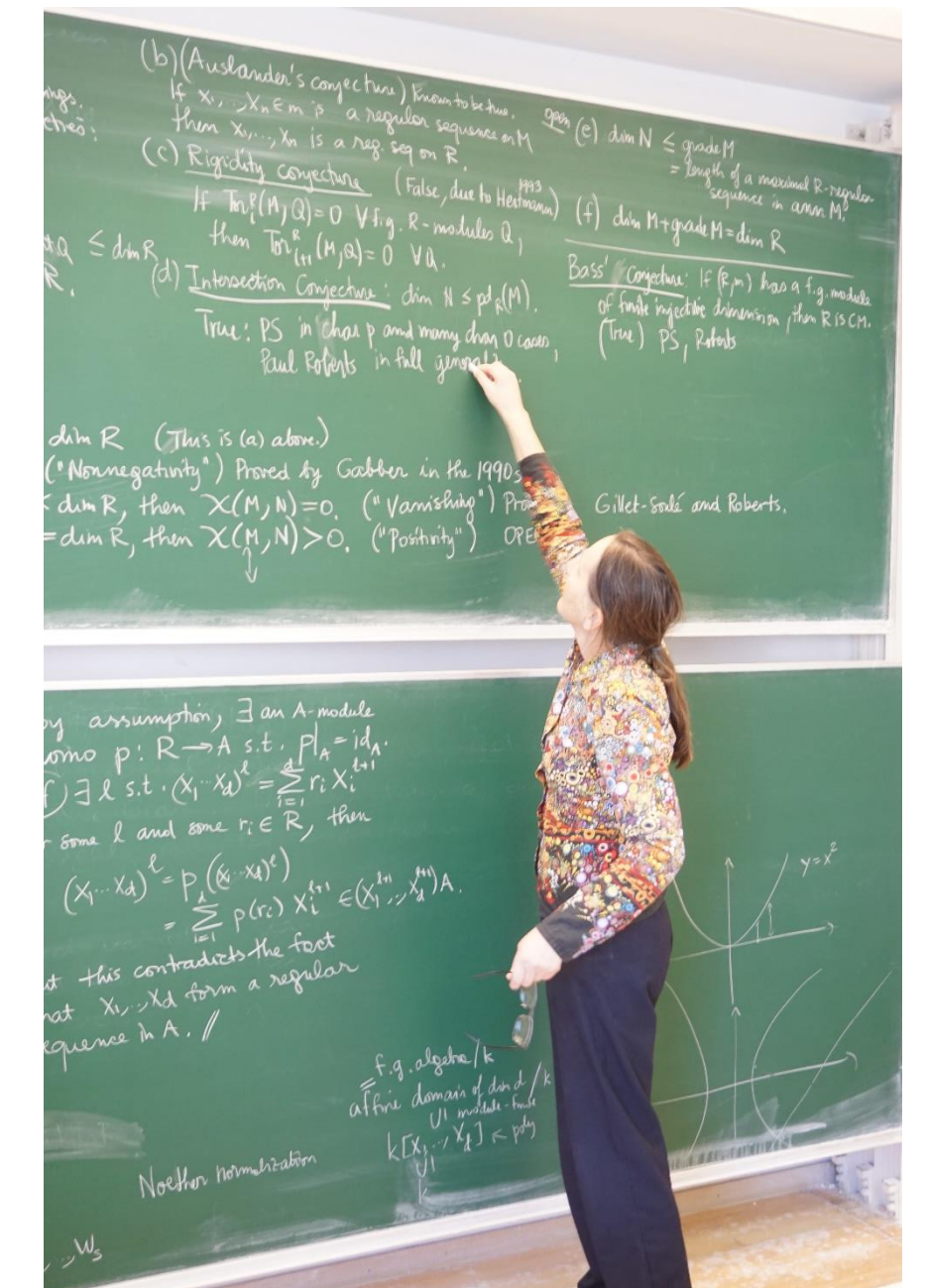




Fulbright-NAWI Graz

Visiting Professor in the Natural Sciences

- All level of Scholars
- Teaching & Research
- Letter of Invitation: optional
- **Biology, Chemistry, Engineering, Environmental Sciences, Geography, and Geology, Mathematics, Physics, etc.**





Fulbright-St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences Visiting Professor of Computer Science and Security



- Teaching & Research
- Letter of Invitation: optional
- **IT Security/Information, Security, and Data Science**





Fulbright-Q21/MuseumsQuartier Artist-In-Residence



- Two Months
- Professional Project and/or Research
- Letter of Invitation: optional
- **Arts, Dance, Drama/Theater, Fashion, Film/Cinema Studies, and Music**





Dr. Julie Ann Elston - Fulbright U.S. Scholar in Austria

- Professor of Business, Oregon State University
- Fulbright-Kathryn and Craig Hall Distinguished Chair in Entrepreneurship and Innovation 2019-2020
- Fulbright opportunities
- Oh, Vienna!





Understanding the Awards

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11137-AU BEGIN APPLICATION PROCESS

Fulbright-Q21/MuseumsQuartier Artist-in-Residence

AUSTRIA
Europe and Eurasia

AWARD DETAILS | AWARD REQUIREMENTS | STIPEND & BENEFITS | COUNTRY/AREA OVERVIEW

GRANT ACTIVITY
The purpose of this award is to give creative artists of all contemporary media, including but not limited to the fields in the specializations box below, an opportunity to work in residence with one or more of the cultural providers associated with Q21.

A project proposal that describes the artist's planned contribution to Q21 activities and that specifically mentions one or more Q21 project partners of interest should be submitted with the application.

GRANT LENGTH
Two months

GRANT DATES
Grant starting dates need to be negotiated with Q21 and depend on the availability of the studio apartments. Earliest possible starting date is October 1, 2021, latest possible starting date is May 1, 2022.

APPLICATION DEADLINE
Tuesday, September 15, 2020

ACTIVITY
Professional Project
Professional Project/Research
Research

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS
Ph.D. (or other terminal degree) not required

CANDIDATE PROFILE

<https://awards.cies.org>



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Application Components

Requirements:

- Application Form
- Project Statement
- Curriculum Vitae or Resume
- 2 Letters of Recommendation
- Language Proficiency Report (if required)
- Letter of Invitation (if required)

Supplemental Materials:

- Course outlines or syllabi (for teaching)
- Select bibliography (for research)
- Portfolio submissions (for artists, architects, and journalists)





Project Statement

- Describe your proposed project in 3 – 5 pages.
- Focus on what you plan to do, the specific courses you plan to teach, the goals of your research, your methods.
- Explain the anticipated impact of your award on your hosts, home institution and you.

Supplemental Questions

- Why Fulbright? (1,000 characters)
- Why this country? (2,000 characters)
- How adaptable are you? How well will you deal with challenging situations? (1,000 characters)
- How will you adapt your materials for to host culture (2,000 characters)





Affiliations and Invitations

In the award description: a host institutions may or may not be identified

LOCATIONS

Applicants may affiliate with one of the following institutions:

- University of Oran-2 in Oran
- University of Algiers-2 in Algiers

LOCATIONS

Any accredited institution of higher education in Argentina.

- When a host is not identified, there are several resources to help find an affiliation:
 - International office on your campus
 - U.S. and Visiting [Fulbright Scholar Directory](#)
 - Review award description for suggested hosts or resources





Affiliations and Invitations

AWARD DETAILS

AWARD REQUIREMENTS

AWARD BENEFITS

COUNTRY/AREA OVERVIEW

Application Requirements

INVITATION REQUIREMENT

A letter of invitation is required

- Non-binding expression of interest from proposed host abroad
- Should come from person with whom you will be collaborating
- Should be on host institution letterhead





Portfolio

- Applicants in the creative/performing arts should submit a digital portfolio to aid in the evaluation of their application
- The portfolio should demonstrate your technical skills and the maturity of your artistic direction.
- The portfolio should be a well-edited, representative collection of your work/research related to the project.

Portfolios guidelines:

- Images, pictures, and graphics – 10 images (with descriptive notes)
- Audio/video files – up to 30 min. total for all segments
- Writing samples – up to 15 pages





Application Cycle

FEBRUARY	Awards Catalog Opens
SEPTEMBER 15	Application Deadline
SEPTEMBER	Program staff conducts technical reviews for completeness
OCTOBER – NOVEMBER	U.S. peer review
NOVEMBER – JANUARY	Applicants notified of status. Recommended applications are sent to host countries and to the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.
JANUARY – APRIL	Grantees are notified of final approvals
MAY – ONWARD	Grantees prepare for grants





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