

FULBRIGHT



Fulbright U.S. Scholar Distinguished Chair Awards

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The Fulbright Program



- Established 1946 to expand and strengthen the relationships between the people of the United States and citizens of the rest of the world
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Fulbright in Numbers



380,000+

Fulbrights awarded since 1946



800

U.S. Scholar grants annually



160

Participants countries



37

Heads of State or Government



59

Nobel Laureates



84

Pulitzer Prize recipients

MacArthur
Foundation

71

MacArthur Fellows



16

Presidential Medal of Freedom recipients



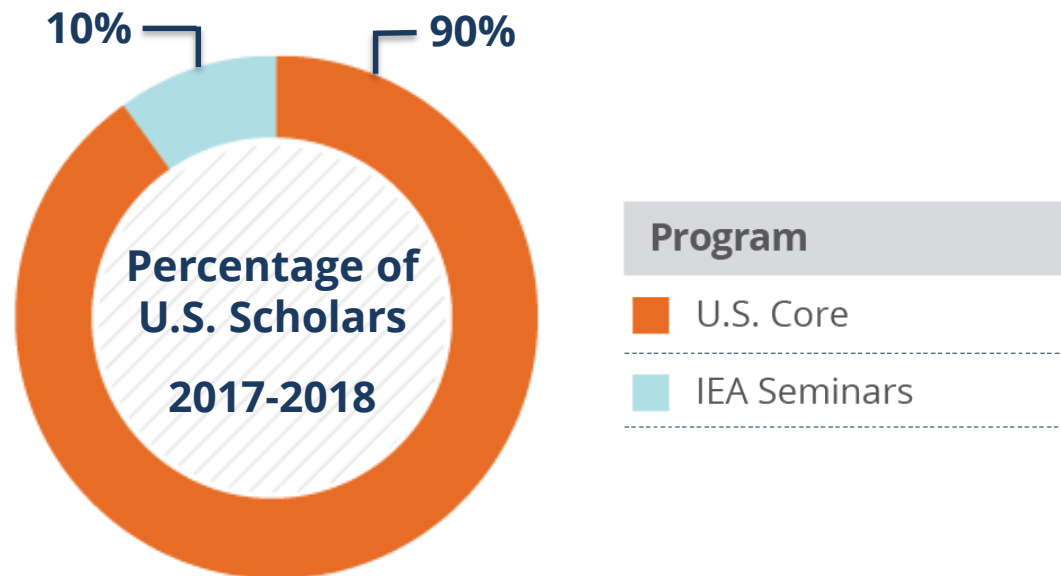
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Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program

- Core Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program
- International Education Administrator Seminars
- Collaborative Research



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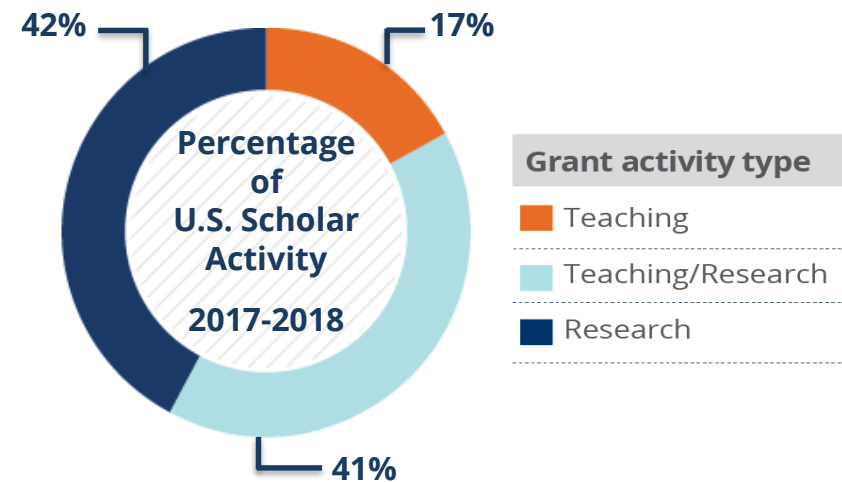
Eligibility for U.S. Scholar Programs

- U.S. citizenship
- Degree as required by award
 - Ph.D. or other terminal degree may be required
 - Many awards are open to applicants with a Master's and professional or academic experience
 - Recent Master's degree recipients and undergraduate degree holders are eligible for the Fulbright U.S. Student Program
- Open to professionals and artists outside academia with recognized standing and substantial accomplishments
- Teaching experience as required by award
- New policies on previous Fulbright Scholar grants and waiting periods between grants



Core Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program

- Supports teaching and/or research for three to 12 months
- Programs active in +125 countries
- For faculty, administrators and professionals
- Open to all disciplines
- Apply to specific award with proposed project
- Application deadline: **August 1**
- Variety of host institutions



Selecting the Right Award

- Match your expertise, experience and proposal to the award description
- Regional experience and language ability
- Discipline preferences listed in the award
- Relevance of the project to the country; why will host country benefit from your project?
- Career level - early career, postdoctoral, mid-level, Distinguished Chair



Distinguished Chair Awards

- Over 40 Distinguished Chair awards available globally
- Requirements vary by award
 - Career level requirements: e.g. Full professorship
 - Years of experience
 - Language requirements/recommendations: e.g. Colombia, China
- Regional Highlights and Catalog of Awards demonstration



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Distinguished Chair Awards - Europe/Eurasia

9139-AU	Fulbright-Kathryn and Craig Hall Distinguished Chair for Entrepreneurship in Central Europe at WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business)	Austria
9474-MC	Fulbright-Schuman Chair at the College of Europe (Bruges, Belgium)	Belgium, European Union
9152-EZ	Fulbright-Charles University Distinguished Chair at the Faculty of Mathematics and Physics	Czech Republic
9153-EZ	Fulbright-Czech Technical University Distinguished Chair in Electrical Engineering	Czech Republic
9151-EZ	Fulbright-Masaryk University Distinguished Chair in Social Studies	Czech Republic
9154-EZ	Fulbright-Palacky University Distinguished Chair	Czech Republic
9177-FR	Fulbright-Tocqueville Distinguished Chair	France
9209-HU	Laszlo Orszagh Chair in American Studies	Hungary
9504-IT	Distinguished Chair in Law at the University of Trento	Italy
9260-PL	Distinguished Chair in Humanities and Social Sciences at Adam Mickiewicz University	Poland
9282-RS	Distinguished Chair in Agricultural Technology and Education	Russia
9519-RS	Distinguished Chair in Sustainable Development	Russia



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Distinguished Chair Awards - United Kingdom

9343-UK	Fulbright-Scotland Visiting Professorship at Aberdeen (All Disciplines)	United Kingdom
9313-UK	Fulbright-Scotland Visiting Professorship at the University of Edinburgh, College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences	United Kingdom
9322-UK	Fulbright-University of Birmingham Distinguished Chair (All Disciplines)	United Kingdom
9332-UK	Fulbright-University of Leeds Distinguished Chair (All Disciplines)	United Kingdom
9520-UK	Fulbright-University of Manchester Distinguished Chair (Humanities)	United Kingdom
9521-UK	U.S. Friends of Queen's University Belfast Visiting Professorship	United Kingdom



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Distinguished Chair Awards - Northern Europe

9156-DA	Danish Distinguished Chair in American Studies	Denmark
9173-FI	Fulbright Bicentennial Chair	Finland
9169-FI	Fulbright-Aalto University Distinguished Chair	Finland
9166-FI	Fulbright-Hanken Distinguished Chair in Business and Economics	Finland
9161-FI	Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair in Information and Communications Technologies	Finland
9168-FI	Fulbright-Saastamoinen Foundation Distinguished Chair in Health Sciences	Finland
9251-NO	Fulbright Arctic Chair	Norway
9290-SW	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Alternative Energy Technology	Sweden
9291-SW	Fulbright-Lund University Chair in Public International Law	Sweden
9292-SW	Fulbright-Uppsala University Chair in American Studies	Sweden



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Distinguished Chair Awards - Western Hemisphere

9530-BR	<u>Fulbright Distinguished Chair in American Studies at the Federal University of Minas Gerais</u>	Brazil
9397-BR	<u>Fulbright Distinguished Chair in International Relations at University of Sao Paulo (USP)</u>	Brazil
9401-BR	<u>Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Public Policy at the School of Innovation and Public Policy at the Joaquim Nabuco Foundation</u>	Brazil
9399-BR	<u>Fulbright-FACEPE Distinguished Chair in STEM+C</u>	Brazil
9423-CA	<u>Fulbright Canada Distinguished Research Chairs at Carleton University</u>	Canada
9433-CO	<u>Fulbright-Universidad Nacional de Colombia Distinguished Chair in Biodiversity and Sustainable Development</u>	Colombia



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Distinguished Chair Awards - East Asia Pacific and South Central Asia

9067-AS	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Advanced Science (Defence) and Technology (Defence Science and Technology Group)	Australia
9066-AS	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Applied Public Policy (Flinders University and Carnegie Mellon University Australia)	Australia
9069-AS	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences (The Australian National University)	Australia
9075-AS	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Entrepreneurship and Innovation (RMIT University)	Australia
9073-AS	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Multiple Disciplines (The University of Newcastle)	Australia
9065-AS	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Science, Technology and Innovation (CSIRO)	Australia
9078-CH	Fulbright Distinguished Chair in the Social Sciences	China
9096-KS	Distinguished Lectureship at Yonsei University	Korea
9377-IN	Fulbright-Nehru Distinguished Chair (All Disciplines)	India



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A Fulbright that Works for You

- Flex option
 - Available in 63 countries and 2 world areas
 - Allows multiple visits over two years
- Awards throughout your career:
 - Postdoctoral awards
 - Early Career
 - Distinguished Chair
- Multi-country awards
- Global Scholar Award
- Home university affiliation is not required. Applications from artists and professionals, independent and emeriti scholars are welcomed!



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Application Resources

- [Fulbright Scholar Program website](#) and [Catalog of Awards](#)
- **Apply**
 - [Application](#) and [Application Instructions](#)
 - [Application Guidelines, Project Statement Guidance](#) and [Samples](#)
- **Learn**
 - [Webinars](#)
 - The Fulbright Scholar [Blog](#)
- **Connect**
 - [MyFulbright](#)



Application Components

- Application Form
- Project Statement
- Curriculum Vitae or Resume
- Letters of Reference
- Additional components, depending on award
 - Course Outlines or Syllabi (for teaching awards)
 - Select Bibliography (for research awards)
 - Language Proficiency Report
 - Letter of Invitation
 - Supplemental materials for applicants in the Arts, Architecture, Writing and Journalism



Project Statement

- Your opportunity to lay out your proposed **project specifics** in as much detail as possible
- Why Fulbright and why this country/institution/organizations?
- Focus on what you plan to **do**; the specific courses you plan to teach/the methods and goals of your research
- Outcomes from the grant - impact on hosts, home institution and you
- How adaptable are you? How well will you deal with challenging situations?



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Affiliations and Invitations

Host Institution:

- If a host is identified, it will be found under Location in the Catalog
- 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

Letter of Invitation:

- 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



Submitting a Competitive Application

- Address the Fulbright goal of promoting mutual understanding
- Why you are interested in a Fulbright and why in your proposed host country
- Professional expertise and skills you can offer; benefits to the host institution and host country; exchange of knowledge and experience
- Cultural diplomacy; demonstrated flexibility, adaptability
- Outcomes, impact, and multiplier effect
 - for your professional development, home campus, students, field at large; for your host institution
 - future collaborations; linkages: personal, professional, institutional; plans for sustaining relationships
 - internationalizing campus and curriculum



Review Process and Timeline

AUG.

Program staff conduct technical reviews for completeness

SEPT.

Discipline-specific committees review applications

**SEPT. -
EARLY NOV.**

U.S. peer review committees discuss applications for a single geographical region

NOV. - JAN.

Applicants notified of status - Recommended applications are sent to host countries and to the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board

FEB. - MAY

Grantees notified of final approvals

MAY - JUNE

Grant packets sent to grantees



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