



FULBRIGHT

Scholar Program

Global Hidden Gems

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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
- 900 visiting scholars
- 2,200 U.S. students
- 4,000 foreign students
- 400+ language teaching assistants

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





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





East Asia and the Pacific

- **Australia: Fulbright Postdoctoral Scholarship in Multiple Disciplines (The University of Newcastle)**: 3-5 months research in hard and social sciences at University of Newcastle
- **Cambodia: All Disciplines**: up to 6 months teaching/research in all disciplines including early career
- **Mongolia: All Disciplines**: 6-10 months Teaching and/or Research in hard and social sciences, humanities and hospitality
- **South Korea: Distinguished Lectureship at Yonsei University**: 4-10 months teaching in all disciplines at Yonsei University in Seoul or International Campus in Incheon
- **Multi-country: ASEAN Research Program**: 3-6 months Collaborative research in the area of specialization on an issue of priority to ASEAN or to the U.S.-ASEAN relationship in 2-3 countries

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Europe and Eurasia

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- **Albania: Public Administration** 5 months Professional Project/Teaching at the Albanian School for Public Administration
- **France: Hauts-de-France Regional Award (Junior Research)** 12 months postdoctoral opportunity in hard and social sciences as well as humanities
- **Ireland: Business and Management – Entrepreneurship**: New T/R for 3-5 months at Technical University in Dublin
- **Georgia: Opportunities in STEM**: PP/T, T, or T/R in one semester with flex
- **Spain: Biomedicine at Universidad de la Laguna**: 4 months research in Biomedicine in Canary Islands

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Middle East and North Africa

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- **Algeria: TEFL/Applied Linguistics**: Based on the academic calendar University of Oran and University of Algiers in TEFL, secondary language acquisition, or applied linguistics; ENSB School in education, applied linguistics, compositions, TESOL and TEFL
- **Israel: Postdoctoral Fellowship at Weizmann Institute for Science**: 12-24 months (1-2 academic years) Postdoctoral opportunity in hard sciences
- **Israel: Senior Scholar Fellowship at University of Haifa**: 4 months Joint fellowship of Fulbright Israel and University of Haifa all fields of study for semester of research and/or teaching
- **Jordan: All Disciplines**: 5-10 months Opportunities in business, sciences, humanities, arts (film)
- **Jordan: TEFL/Applied Linguistics**: 6-10 months Direct teaching (or training) of English to students and additional teaching activities

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South and Central Asia

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- **Kazakhstan: Multiple Disciplines**: 5-10 months Teaching and/or research in all disciplines, Flex option available
- **Kyrgyz Republic: All Disciplines**: 5-10 months Teaching/Research in all disciplines, Flex option available
- **Republic of Maldives: Multiple Disciplines**: 3-4 months Professional Project in various government offices and Teaching/Research at Maldives National University
- **Tajikistan: Multiple Disciplines**: 4-9 months teaching and/or research in humanities and sciences including early career
- **Multi-country: South and Central Asia Regional Research Program**: 3-9 months research in any disciplines including early career
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Sub-Saharan Africa

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- **Botswana: Cyber Security and Digital Forensic** 4-5 months Teach undergraduate courses in Cyber Security Computer Science at Botswana International University
- **Burkina Faso: All Disciplines**: 10 months Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in various disciplines at University of Ouagadougou
- **Tanzania: All Disciplines**: 10 months Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in various disciplines at various location throughout the country
- **Zambia: Journalism and Broadcasting**: 10 months Courses and lectures journalism and broadcasting, research in area of specialization
- **Zambia: Multiple Disciplines – University of Zambia**: 10 months teach undergraduate courses and conduct research in area of specialization
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Western Hemisphere

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- **Brazil: Distinguished Chair in Studies of the U.S. (2):** 4 months Teach graduate or undergraduate courses and collaborative research with faculty in humanities at [University of Brasilia](#) and [University of Santa Catarina](#)
- **Chile: Astronomy and Antarctic Studies Award (Postdoctoral Scholars/Early Career Scientists):** 3-4 months enhance research and increase academic exchange in Astronomy and Data Science and Antarctic Studies
- **Guyana: STEM and Agriculture:** 4 months T, T/R and advising (depending on expertise) at University of Guyana, Turkeyen or Berbice Campus
- **Uruguay: Agriculture:** 3 months, Flex of 2 months segments over 2 consecutive years possible professional project, teach, research or a combination of teaching and research in Agriculture and Environmental Sciences

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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 (in the application form)

- 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

AWARD DETAILS	AWARD REQUIREMENTS	AWARD BENEFITS	COUNTRY/AREA OVERVIEW
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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





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