Fulbright Throughout Your Career

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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: 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.

- 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 awards over 8,000 grants annually:

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

Approximately 390,000 “Fulbrighters” have participated in the Program since its inception in 1946.
A Fulbright that Works for You

Awards throughout your career:
- Postdoctoral awards
- Early Career
- Distinguished Chair

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

Multi-country awards
Home university affiliation is not required for all awards. Applications from artists and professionals, independent and emeriti scholars are welcome!
Eligibility for U.S. Scholar Program

- U.S. citizenship
- Degree as required by award
  - Ph.D. or other terminal degree may be required
  - MA and higher education teaching or professional experience may be required
- Professional and/or artistic experience outside academia with recognized standing and substantial accomplishments
- Teaching experience as required by award
- Compliance with Policies on previous Fulbright Scholar grants and waiting periods between grants
Sample Postdoctoral Awards

- Postdoctoral Scholar Award in Natural and Applied Sciences (Brazil)
- Fulbright Astronomy and Antarctic Studies Award (Chile)
- Fulbright-EHESS Post-Doctoral Award in Social Sciences (France)
- Arts, Education, Humanities, Professional Fields and Social Sciences (Taiwan)
- Postdoctoral Fellowship in Water, Energy, and the Environment at HBKU (Qatar)
- All Disciplines: Australia, Canada, France, Israel, Mexico (11 awards)

Past Projects

- Petitions of Love: Antisemitism and Modern Sephardi Citizenship (Israel – history)
- Leveraging Patient Reported Outcome Assessments to Reduce Risks of Chronic Pain After Surgery (Australia – nursing)
- Copper-Protein Interactions in the Brain: Disentangling Functional vs. Neurotoxic Effects Related to Alzheimer's Disease (Mexico – chemistry)
- Breaking the Republican mold: Independent private Muslim and Catholic schooling in France (France – anthropology)
Understanding the Awards

**FULBRIGHT U.S. SCHOLAR PROGRAM CATALOG OF AWARDS**

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| NUMBER OF GRANTS | | |
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| **ACTIVITY** | | |
| Teaching |
| Teaching/Research |

| CATEGORY | |
|-----------| |
| Open to all levels of scholars, except early career |

https://awards.cies.org
Understanding the Awards – Requirements

Application Requirements

INVITATION REQUIREMENT
A letter of invitation should not be sought.

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS
All teaching will be in English; additional language proficiency is not required.
(Burmese language fluency sufficient to complete the research project is required teaching/research grant applicants must submit a language proficiency evaluation. Applicants without Burmese language skills should explicitly address the issue in their discussion of the feasibility of the project in their project proposal.)

Applicant Profile

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE
Open to academics and appropriately qualified professionals outside of academia.

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATION INFORMATION
Academics and qualified professionals must have a minimum of three years of teaching experience at the university level prior to applying. Teaching assistant position experience does not qualify.
U.S. Embassy Yangon will conduct phone interviews with short-listed candidates.
Understanding the Awards – Benefits

10400-BR
Postdoctoral Scholar Award in Natural and Applied Sciences
BRAZIL
Western Hemisphere

AWARD BENEFITS

STIPEND
US$2,500 per month.

ESTIMATED TRAVEL AND RELOCATION ALLOWANCE
US$1,500 for round-trip airfare.

ESTIMATED BOOK AND RESEARCH ALLOWANCE
US$1,000

NUMBER OF GRANTS
Up to five

ACTIVITY
Research
Teaching/Research

CATEGORY
Postdoctoral award, open only to early career scholars
Understanding the Awards – More Information

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In addition to being a prestigious academic exchange program, the Fulbright Program is designed to expand and strengthen relationships between the people of the United States and citizens of other nations and to promote

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<td>Awards Catalog Opens</td>
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<td><strong>SEPTEMBER 15</strong></td>
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<td>Program staff conducts technical reviews for completeness.</td>
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<td><strong>OCTOBER – NOVEMBER</strong></td>
<td>U.S. peer review</td>
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<td>Applicants notified of status; recommended applications sent to host countries and to the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.</td>
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<td><strong>MAY – ONWARD</strong></td>
<td>Grantees prepare for grants</td>
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Additional Programs – U.S. Students

Fulbright U.S. Student Program

Recent graduates, post-graduate candidates through dissertation level, developing professionals and artists to study and research abroad

Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Program

Funding for individual doctoral students who conduct research in other countries in modern foreign languages and area studies for periods of 6 to 12 months
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