

Opportunities for Community College Faculty and Administrators

Webinar Q&A Box Questions and Answers

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Question	Answer
I just wanted to be sure I am in the right meeting. I am a community college faculty and I saw the email states, "Opportunities for Community College Faculty..."	Hello! This webinar is specifically geared towards community college faculty and admins.
I have a master's degree in computer science, but the institution I am connecting with has specified its need and is willing to welcome me. However, they have Doctoral Degree specified on the Fulbright website listed.	Hello! If the award you would like to apply to states that a PhD or terminal degree is needed, then you would not be eligible for that award even with an institution welcoming you.
Hello! I am a Scholar Liaison holding information sessions starting this month. Once I generate interest, who should I connect my (interested) colleagues with? (Name and email address)	Hello! If your colleagues have general application questions, please have them email scholars@iie.org.
Do they have to modify that on their end or is there something else they can do to accomodate me, because they are interested and given me a list of tasks they need my services for.	We are unfortunately bound by the requirements of our awards since these requirements are given to us by our partners abroad for all applicants.
My field of study is child development/early childhood education which is not listed in the fields of study and has a specific niche in many countries. Are there Fullbright alum I can speak to about this or can schedule a 1:1 meeting with somene for advice on which awards to pursue specific to community colleges?	Hello! If you don't see your field, please know that you can still apply to awards label as "All Disciplines" -- in addition, you can find alums in the Scholar Directory however because we cannot provide their email addresses, you will need to Google them. As for your last question, office hours are a great place to get your answers answered and suggestions.
Is this a different website Keegan is browsing? The link in the email is not filtered on Fulbright for Community College Faculty. Can you share that link? Thanks!	Hello! All of our awards mentioned are our website: https://fulbrightscholars.org/awards/search
Thanks for that link! I see "DEGREE REQUIREMENTS Ph.D. (or other terminal degree) required." Does that mean that country is not necessarily for Community College Faculty?	Hello! That means that a PhD or terminal degree is required. If a community college faculty has a PhD or terminal degree, they are more than welcome to apply.
There are so many great programs/countries to choose from, so how does one decide where they might have a better chance to get approved (especially since we are only allowed one application per award period)? Any tips and recommendations would be appreciated.	Hello! I would like to suggest that you find a site that speaks to your talents (e.g. teaching English, journalism, economic or small business development, etc.) and then consider other factors after that (e.g. never been to that country or region, there are current partners or networks you have in that country, the

	potential to create a new network or partnership in that country/region, etc.). If there are still viable options after making a list, go with what site is really speaking to you or seems fun/interesting! Just my two cents.
Multiple staff at my community college have PhDs (their positions are often a faculty role at other institutions). What would they qualify for?	Hello! We recommend that you see our website, which can be filtered by degree and community college. You can see our awards here: https://fulbrightscholars.org/awards/search
Hi, I am an administrator and I would love to hear about an administrators experience.	Hello! We highly recommend that you reach out to our alums in the Scholar Directory or attend our IEA webinar: https://apply.iie.org/portal/scholar_webinars?id=f12840b4-7901-48bd-bdfa-a60e1da466d6
I have been searching and the awards I see that are in Africa seem to require a Ph.D. Anything you can see that I might be missing that doesn't require a Ph.D. ?	Hello! You can filter awards by degree requirements. So I would recommend filtering for "PhD or other terminal degree not required" to see awards that do not require a PhD
Do you still need to write a project statement if you plan a teaching activity?	Hello! Yes, you do.
I am a Community College Administrator (Dean) and interested in studying the workforce development ecosystem, particularly to support the Advanced Manufacturing Sector. Is there an award that can provide such opportunity?	Hello! You can find all of awards here: https://fulbrightscholars.org/awards/search . We suggest that you filter through by region or country that you're interested in and by discipline to have a shorter list to carefully look through. In addition, there's all disciplines awards -- which accept any project topic. But also please note that office hours are great source to ask this type of questions.
Did I hear correctly that the decisions for those who have been denied will get a notice in December, but the ones who get the award will hear back between January and June the following year. Is that correct?	Hello! Decisions for those that get recommended / do not get recommended the peer review stage will be given in December. And then decisions from post and commissions will be given in between Jan and June the following year.
I mean is there a way to combine my search criteria to be None PhD and Africa or some other region instead of going country by country	Yes. You can filter by region and degree requirements. Here are awards in SSA that do not require a PhD: https://fulbrightscholars.org/awards/search?field_world_area[4455]=4455&field_award_multi_country=All&field_award_degree_reqs=phd_no&field_invitation_req=All&field_do_you_offer_additional_de=All
Are we able to see some examples of research projects?	Hello! We do not provide examples of research projects, but we please see our website for details application steps: https://fulbrightscholars.org/us-scholar-awards#steps
I am a Community College faculty as an Instructor. As I apply research award, do I need to submit the artist portfolio?	Hello! Portfolios are only required from certain fields of study. To see more, see our website: https://fulbrightscholars.org/us-scholar-awards#steps