



# Fulbright Specialist Program

The Fulbright Specialist Program provides **U.S. citizens who are well-established academics and professionals** with opportunities to **serve as expert consultants and engage in short-term, project-based exchanges** at a range of institutions across the globe.

- 2-6 week projects focused on education, training, or capacity building
- 150+ eligible countries and other areas
- 400 - 450 projects annually
- Grant benefits include round-trip economy class international airfare, \$100 transit allowance, \$200 daily honorarium, visa fees, and limited benefits health plan. Host institutions traditionally provide lodging, meals, and in-country transportation.
- Administered by World Learning





# Sample Project Activities



J. Jarpa Dawuni (Fulbright Specialist to Ghana)  
Associate Professor, Howard University

Fulbright Specialist projects are focused on concrete **training, education, or other knowledge-sharing** activities:

- Delivering **seminars, training or workshops**
- Consulting on **faculty or workforce development**
- Developing **academic or training curricula** and materials
- Giving **lectures** at the graduate or undergraduate level
- Conducting **needs assessments or evaluations** for a program or institution
- Supporting **accreditation** process for a university program
- Engaging in **strategic planning** activities





# Program Structure

- Host-driven structure: overseas institutions develop and submit project proposals. Proposal deadlines are determined on a country-by-country basis.
- U.S. individuals must apply for admission to the Fulbright Specialist Roster and be approved by peer review panel.
- If admitted, Roster candidates receive a three-year tenure during which they may be matched with projects.
  - Submitting interest to an open project
  - Nomination by the host institution (named project)

SPECIALIST APPLICATION DEADLINE (COMPLETED APPLICATION AND AT LEAST TWO COMPLETED REFERENCE FORMS)	SPECIALIST NOTIFICATION
SEPTEMBER 6, 2023	OCTOBER 13, 2023
NOVEMBER 3, 2023	DECEMBER 8, 2023
JANUARY 5, 2024	FEBRUARY 9, 2024
MARCH 8, 2024	APRIL 12, 2024
MAY 10, 2024	JUNE 14, 2024
JULY 12, 2024	AUGUST 16, 2024
SEPTEMBER 13, 2024	OCTOBER 18, 2024
NOVEMBER 15, 2024	DECEMBER 20, 2024





# Resources for Aspiring Specialists

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- Find more information, including [eligibility criteria](#) and [bimonthly application deadlines](#), answers to [FAQs](#), and access the online application
- Review our [webinar archive](#) featuring alumni panelists or [register for an upcoming information session](#)
- Read [project examples](#) or search our [alumni directory](#)

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