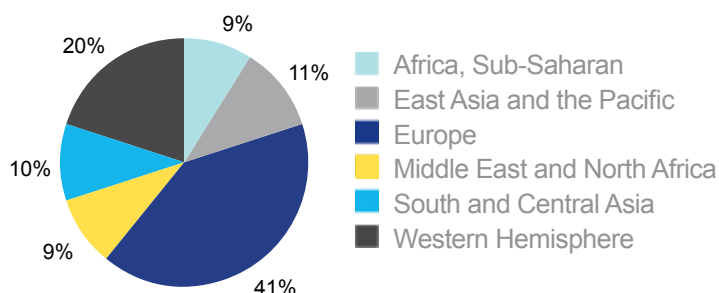


### Scholar Grants in STEM Fields by World Region

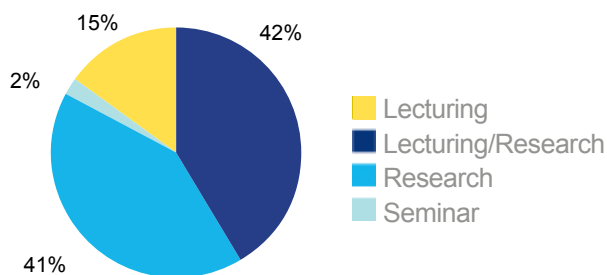


### Top Receiving Countries for Scholars in STEM Fields

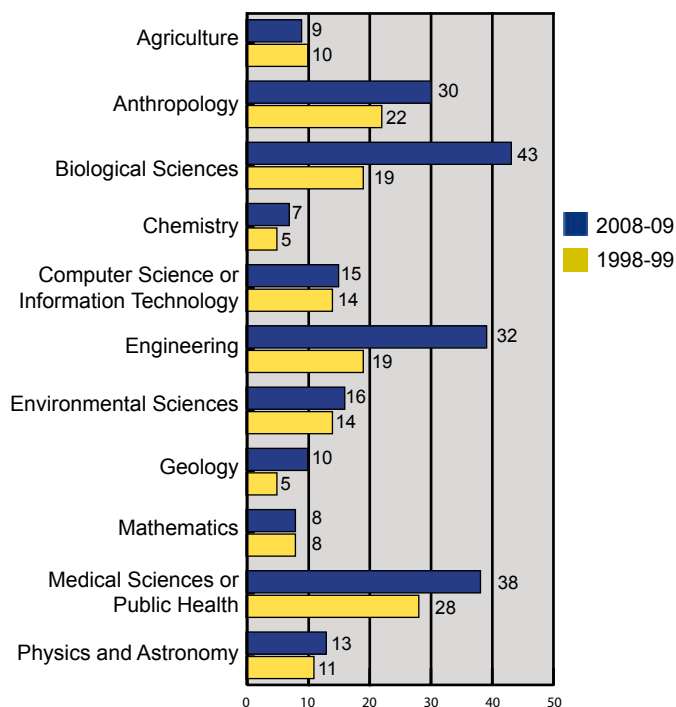
#### Top Receiving Countries

1. Germany
2. India
3. France
4. Mexico
5. Brazil (tied)
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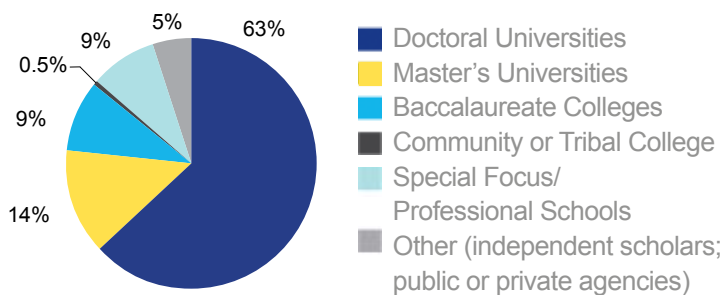
### Scholar Grants in STEM Fields by Grant Activity



### Change over 10 Years



### Scholar Grants in STEM Fields by Institutional Type



- The traditional Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program, established in 1946, sends more than 800 U.S. faculty and professionals each year to lecture or research in other countries. Grants typically last from two months to a full academic year, and are available in more than 120 countries. In addition, more than 300 faculty participate in shorter-term consulting and lecturing at universities around the world.
- In 2008-2009, 221 (27%) of U.S. Fulbright Scholar grants were in STEM fields. This represents a substantial increase in comparison to ten years earlier, when 155 grants in STEM fields represented 20% of the total. Much of that growth has come in the biological sciences, medicine and public health, and engineering.
- STEM grants have increased both proportionately and in absolute numbers in every region of the world over the last 10 years. The growth has been most marked in South and Central

Asia and in northern Europe. The increase has been smallest in sub-Saharan Africa.

- The proportion of Fulbright Scholars in STEM fields from baccalaureate colleges has increased 150% in the last 10 years.
- Scholar grants in STEM fields include a higher proportion of research grants than the program-at-large, and the prominence of research has become greater over the last 10 years. While the proportion of combination lecturing/research grants has remained fairly constant, the proportion of STEM grants that are for research only has increased from 28% to 41%, while the proportion of lecturing-only grants has decreased from 26% to 15%.
- The average length of grants in the STEM fields is 5.9 months, which has been typical of the overall Fulbright Scholar program in recent years.

