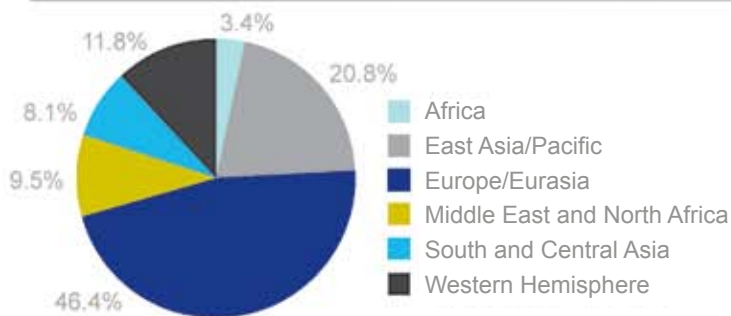
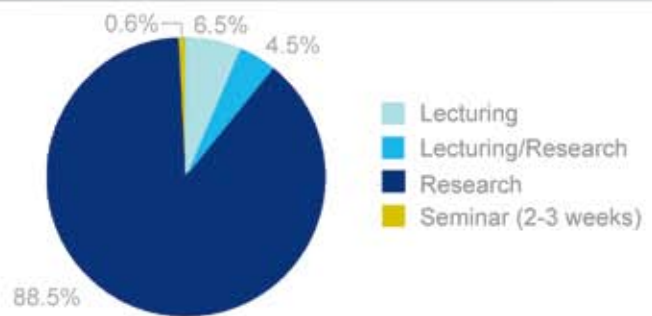


Visiting Scholar Grantees by World Region



Visiting Scholar Program by Grant Activity



Top Sending Countries and Top Fields of Study 2008/9

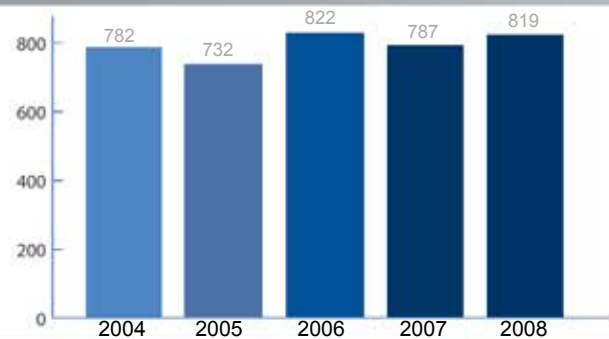
Sending Countries

1. China
2. Spain
3. Russia
4. Argentina
5. Czech Republic (tied)
5. Korea (tied)
5. Taiwan (tied)

Fields of Study

1. Biological Sciences
2. Education
3. Engineering (tied)
3. Medical Sciences (tied)
4. Economics (tied)
4. Political Science (tied)

Visiting Scholar Grants Since 2004



Scholar-in-Residence Program (SIR)

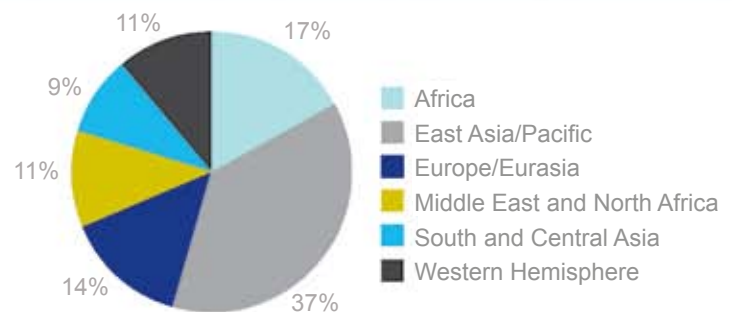
Top Sending Countries

1. China
2. Egypt (tied)
2. India (tied)
3. Kenya (tied)
3. Mexico (tied)
3. Philippines (tied)
3. Spain (tied)

Top Fields of Study

1. Biological Sciences
2. Education
3. Engineering (tied)
3. Medical Sciences (tied)
4. Economics (tied)
4. Political Science (tied)

SIR Grants by World Region



- The traditional Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program, established in 1946, brings approximately 800 foreign faculty and professionals from more than 100 countries to the US each year. Grants typically last from three months to a full academic year. For 2008-09, the Fulbright Visiting Scholar breakdown by gender is 59% male and 41% female.
- The **Occasional Lecturer Program** provides travel awards for visiting scholars to guest lecture at campuses other than their host institution.
- The **Scholar-in-Residence Program** brings visiting scholars and professionals from abroad to teach at U.S. institutions that rarely have the opportunity to host visiting scholars (such as liberal arts colleges, community colleges and minority-serving institutions).
- The **Fulbright Visiting Specialists Program: Direct Access to the Muslim World**, established in 2003, provides short-term academic opportunities for scholars from selected countries with significant Muslim populations. Grants last from two to six weeks. Grantees help develop faculty, develop curriculum, lecture, or conduct community outreach to foster cross-cultural communication and understanding.

