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Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program: Multi-Country Opportunities

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The Fulbright Program



- Established 1946 to expand and strengthen the relationships between the people of the United States and citizens of the rest of the world
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Eligibility for U.S. Scholar Programs

- U.S. citizenship
- Degree as required by award
 - Ph.D. or other terminal degree may be required
 - Many awards are open to applicants with a Masters and professional or academic experience
- Open to professionals and artists outside academia with recognized standing and substantial accomplishments
- Teaching experience as required by award
- New policies on previous Fulbright Scholar grants and waiting periods between grants



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Application Components

- Application Form
- Project Statement
- Curriculum Vitae or Resume
- Letters of Reference
- Additional components, depending on award
 - Course Outlines or Syllabi (for teaching awards)
 - Select Bibliography (for research awards)
 - Language Proficiency Report
 - Letter of Invitation
 - Supplemental materials for applicants in the Arts, Architecture, Writing and Journalism



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Affiliations and Invitations

Host Institution:

- If a host is identified, it will be found under Location in the Catalog
- When a host is not identified, there are several resources to help find an affiliation:
 - International office on your campus
 - U.S. and Visiting [Fulbright Scholar Directory](#)

Letter of Invitation:

- Non-binding expression of interest from proposed host abroad
- Should come from person with whom you will be collaborating
- Should be on host institution letterhead



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Flex Option

➤ Flex Awards

- Applicants must indicate plans for Flex in their project statement, including a project timeline
- Flex grantees are especially encouraged to make contact with the local community, developing long-term connections and collaborations
- Not available for all awards



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Africa Regional Research Program

- Research only
- Ph.D. and letters of invitation required
- Continuous grant period or Flex option available
- Up to three countries
 - South Africa not eligible host country

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ASEAN Research Program

- Open to all disciplines, with a preference in: Area Studies, Economics, Environmental Sciences, Law, Political Science, Public Administration, Public/Global Health
- Research only
- Ph.D. not required; letters of invitation preferred. Open to early career applicants.
- Two to three countries
- Three to six months
- Affiliations with universities, think tanks, nongovernmental organizations and research

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Fulbright-Carlos Rico Award

- Teaching, Research, or Teaching/Research in Canada and Mexico
- Ph.D. and letters of invitation required
- Intermediate proficiency in Spanish is required for Mexico.
- Four to ten months to be divided evenly between Canada and Mexico. Longer-term grants are preferred.
- Dual citizens of either Canadian-American or Mexican-American heritage are eligible to apply.

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Fulbright-Schuman EU Affairs Program

- Research only
- Conduct policy oriented research on issues of common importance for the U.S.-EU relationship and or EU affairs in one or two EU Member states
- PhD not required, open to professionals and early career academics
- Three to nine months, with preference for projects of four to six month
- Affiliations: any appropriate institutions, including European universities, governments, non-profits, and think tanks.
- Letter of invitation(s) required

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Fulbright-Schuman Innovation Award

- Research only
- Contribute to transatlantic understanding on U.S.-EU issues, particularly at the intersection of policy and technology
- PhD not required, open to professionals and early career academics
- Three to nine months, with preference for projects of four to six months
- Affiliations: any appropriate institutions, including European universities, governments, non-profits, and think tanks.
- Letter of invitation(s) required

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MENA Regional Research Program

- Research only
- 2-3 countries
 - Eligible countries: Bahrain, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and the West Bank
- Letters of invitation required
- Terminal degree not required—open to professionals w/demonstrated record of research
- Continuous grant period (3-9 months) or Flex option available

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Morocco-Spain Joint T/R Award

- Teaching, Research, or Teaching/Research in Morocco and Spain
- Seven to ten months. No less than 40% of the grant period may be spent in either country.
- Letters of invitation required
- Spanish, Arabic, or French proficiency preferred, but not required.
- Hosts may be universities, cultural centers, research institutions.

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Spain-Greece Joint T/R Award

- Teaching, research or both
- Maximum total grant length of seven months, with a minimum stay of three months in each country
- Locations: Spanish and Greek universities, institutions of higher education, cultural or research centers
- PhD required, not open to early career applicants
- Projects must show strong comparative research on both countries/societies

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SCA Regional Research Program

- Open to all disciplines, affiliation with any appropriate institution
- Research only
- Ph.D. not required; letters of invitation required, except for India. Open to professionals and early career applicants.
- Two to three countries (*Bhutan, India, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan*)
- Three to nine months

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Fulbright Global Scholar Award

- At least two different world regions, 2-3 countries
- 1 letter of invitation required per country
- Host institutions: university, research center, non-profit organization, government agency, museum, archive, etc.
- Open to academics and professionals
- Teaching/Research, Research-only, or Professional Project
- Earliest start date is May 2019; latest start date is May 2020
- One multi-country trip; two or three single country trips; or two dual-country trips. Flex Option available.

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Global Example: France, Morocco, Brazil

Scenario 1: One multi-country trip

- September & October (2 months): France
- November & December (2 months): Morocco
- January & February (2 months): Brazil

Scenario 2: Two or three single country trips (FLEX)

- September & October (2 months): France
 - *BREAK: Come back to U.S.*
- March & April (2 months): Morocco
 - *BREAK: Come back to U.S.*
- September & October (2 months) : Brazil

Scenario 3: Two dual country trips (FLEX)

- September & October 2019 (2 months): France & Morocco
 - *BREAK: Come back to U.S.*
- September & October 2020 (2 months): France & Morocco



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Question and Answer

Q: How can I contact you?

A: E-mail addresses are listed in the award descriptions.

Q: When is the application deadline?

A: August 1, 2018

Q: How many applications do you get? What is the success rate?

A: Sorry, we can't share that information (FFSB policy)

Q: Can I apply to two or more awards in the same competition?

A: No, you need to choose ONE award to apply to.

Q: What benefits can I expect?

A: Monthly stipend will follow the rates for Core Fulbright U.S. Scholar grants in each proposed country. These figures can be found under the "Award Benefits" tab on any award page.

