

FULBRIGHT



Fulbright Public Policy Fellowship

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Fulbright Public Policy Fellowship

- Opportunity to serve as “technical specialists” in a foreign government ministry or institution
 - 80% of time
- Self-directed independent research project
 - 20% of time
- Four to nine months
- Approximately 10 globally (expected at least two per country)



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Fulbright Public Policy Fellowship

- U.S. Embassy or Fulbright Commission coordinate placements within host government ministries
- Applicants should not contact potential host ministries to organize or advocate for a placement
- Desired qualifications:
 - Graduate degree in a field applicable to public-policy
 - 3-5 years relevant professional experience
 - Language skills depends on country
 - Motivated, flexible, self-starters



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Participating Host Governments

Burma

- Myanmar not required
- Fields: Economics, Infrastructure, Public Health, Education, Environmental Science, Communications, Political Science, Agriculture, Economic Development, Energy, Environmental Policy, Women's Issues

Cote D'Ivoire

- Advanced French required
- Potential Hosts: Ministry of Youth, Ministry of Salubrity, Environment, and Sustainable Development, Ministry of Agriculture, Office of the President, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Peru

- Advanced Spanish required
- Potential Hosts: Ministry of Women and Vulnerable Communities, Ministry of Social Inclusion, and Mesa de Concertación de Lucha contra la Pobreza

Ukraine

- Language skills not required, basic knowledge of Ukrainian or Russian preferred
- Potential Hosts: Ministry of Education, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Temporarily Occupied Territories and IDP
- Special Focus Fields: Strategic communications and countering disinformation



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Application Components

- Application Form
- Project Statement
- Resume
- Letters of Reference
- Select Bibliography
- Language Proficiency Report



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Project Statement

- What skills, knowledge, and experience of yours will benefit the host country or institution?
- Tell your story: What led you to apply for this fellowship?
- Outcomes from the grant, impact on host government, your employer, and you
- How adaptable are you? How well will you deal with challenging situations?
- What significance does your research project hold for your development and the host country's benefit



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Review Process and Timeline

OCT 2018

Application Deadline – Oct. 1
IIE staff conduct technical reviews for completeness

NOV 2018

Peer reviewers discuss applications and make recommendations for further consideration by US Embassies or Fulbright Commission in the host country

DEC 2018

US Embassies or Fulbright Commissions overseas review recommended applications, interview candidates virtually and consult with ministries

JAN 2019

Recommended candidates reviewed by FFSB for approval

MARCH 2019

Placements coordinated within host government ministries Grantees notified of final selections

JUNE 2019

Pre-departure orientation

JULY 2019

Earliest possible start date

MAY 2020

Latest possible start date



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Other Fulbright Opportunities

9309-UP [click for more information](#)

Public Administration, NGO Management, Health Administration or Public Health

UKRAINE

ACTIVITY
Teaching
Teaching/Research

GRANT LENGTH
Five to ten months

9350-EG [click for more information](#)

American University in Cairo

EGYPT

ACTIVITY
Teaching
Teaching/Research
Research

GRANT LENGTH
One semester (4 months) or two semesters (9 months)

9419-CA [click for more information](#)

Research Chairs in Policy, Law, and Governance

CANADA

ACTIVITY
Teaching/Research
Research

GRANT LENGTH
Four months. Scholars can seek an unfunded extension for an additional eight months.

9210-HU [click for more information](#)

Fulbright-National University of Public Service Grant

HUNGARY

ACTIVITY
Teaching
Teaching/Research

GRANT LENGTH
Four months

9066-AS [click for more information](#)

Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Applied Public Policy (Flinders University and Carnegie Mellon University Australia)

AUSTRALIA

ACTIVITY
Research

GRANT LENGTH
Four to five months

9401-BR [click for more information](#)

Fulbright Distinguished Chair in Public Policy at EIPP/Fundaj

BRAZIL

ACTIVITY
Teaching/Research
Research

GRANT LENGTH
Four months

➤ Fulbright Scholar Core Program

➤ awards.cies.org

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➤ us.fulbrightonline.org

➤ Fulbright Specialist Program

➤ fulbrightspecialist.worldlearning.org



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