

# Fulbright Scholar Opportunities

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# Why Fulbright?

## **Fulbright is transformational.**

- Foster relationships that are real and lasting.
- Expand your publishing network.
- Become more multicultural in the classroom.
- Serve as an ambassador for international exchange.
- Gain the professional recognition as being identified as a “Fulbright Scholar.”
- Join a vibrant alumni network.

## **Fulbright is family-friendly.**

- Approximately 60% of awards provide dependent support.
- Many Fulbright dependents go on to have international careers.

## **Fulbright is supportive.**

- Alumni share experiences.
- Domestic and in-country staff provide assistance.

# Eligibility for U.S. Scholar Program



- U.S. citizenship
- Degree and experience, as required by award:
  - Ph.D. or other terminal degree
  - MA and higher education teaching or professional experience
  - Professional and/or artistic experience with substantial accomplishments
  - Teaching experience
- Compliance with [policies](#) on previous Fulbright Scholar awards and waiting periods between grants

# Fulbright Scholar Award Types



## 4 Award Types:

- Fulbright Scholar Awards
- Fulbright Post-Doctoral Awards
- Fulbright Distinguished Scholars Awards
- Fulbright International Education Administrator Awards

## Flex Option

- Available in 63 countries and all world areas
- Allows multiple visits over two years

# Fulbright Scholar & Post-Doc Application Cycle

<b>FEBRUARY</b>	Awards Catalog Opens
<b>SEPTEMBER 16, 2024</b>	Application Deadline
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	Program staff conducts technical reviews for completeness
<b>OCTOBER – NOVEMBER</b>	U.S. peer review
<b>NOVEMBER – JANUARY</b>	Applicants notified of status. Recommended applications are sent to host countries and to the Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.
<b>JANUARY – APRIL</b>	Final decisions are made
<b>MAY – ONWARD</b>	Participants prepare for departure

# International Education Administrators Awards



IEAs are seminars that help U.S. international education professionals and senior higher education officials establish empowering connections with their counterparts and higher education systems of other countries.

## Europe

- France
- \* France/Senegal (HBCU)
- Germany

## Asia

- Taiwan
- South Korea
- Japan
- India

For more information, please email [IEA@iie.org](mailto:IEA@iie.org)

# Things to consider when choosing an award



- How does it benefit you professionally?
- How does it benefit you personally?
- How does it benefit your family? (if applicable)
- How does it fit with your financial situation?

# Things to consider when choosing an award



- Match country interest, expertise, career profile, and proposal to the award description
- Language ability (if applicable)
- Discipline preferences, when specified
- Project relevance to the host country and/or institution
- Benefits to you and your community



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