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# Fulbright

Study/Research/Teach



## Fulbright: Purpose

Founded by J. William Fulbright in 1945

- Foster educational exchange
- Address joint prioritized issues
- Foster bilateral relationships
- Meet shared need

## Fulbright: Student Program

- Study/Research Awards
- English Teaching Assistant Awards
- Critical Language
  Enhancement Award
- 2000 grants awarded annually
- More than 140 countries



## Fulbright: Study/Research Awards

- Field Grants research, graduate degree or PhD
  - Arts
  - Business
  - Journalism/
    - Communication
  - STEM & Public Health
  - o and more!



## Study/Research Application Components

- Biographical Data
- Program Info
- Statement of Grant Purpose
- Affiliation Letter
- Personal Statement
- Foreign Language Forms (if applicable)
- Recommendations
- Transcripts
- Ethical Requirements
- Supplementary Materials (for performance arts grants)

## Fulbright: Teaching Asst. Awards

- English Teaching
  Assistant (ETA) to local
  English teachers
- Age of local students ranges from Kindergarten to university level
- Cultural ambassadors
- Each country offers
  between 2 and 100
  awards



## **ETA Application Components**

- Biographical Data
- Program Info
- Statement of Grant Purpose
- Personal Statement
- Foreign Language Forms (if applicable)
- Recommendations
- Transcripts

## Fulbright: Critical Language Enhancement Award

- Cultivates higher level of language proficiency prior to and during grant period
- Form stronger bonds with peers
- Conduct more meaningful research
- Greater understanding of host culture

### **Current Critical Languages & Countries**

### **Eligible Language**

- Arabic (all dialects)
- Bahasa Indonesia
- Bangla/Bengali
- Mandarin Chinese
- 🗆 Gujarati
- 🗆 Punjabi
- 🗆 Hindi
- 🗆 Marathi
- 🗆 Urdu
- Russian

#### **Eligible Countries**

- China (mainland only)
- 🗆 Egypt
- 🗆 Indonesia
- Jordan
- Morocco
- 🗆 Russia

## Award Benefits – All Awards

- Round-trip
  transportation
  to/from host country
- Stipend to cover living expenses (housing, meals, ground transportation)
- Health Insurance
- 24/7 Support Line



## Award Benefits – Some Awards

- Book and research allowance
- Mid-term enrichment activities
- Full or partial tuition
- Language study programs
- Pre-Departure & In-Country



## Eligibility

- US Citizen
- Bachelors degree by start of grant
- Good health (health clearance process)
- Sufficient proficiency in host language\*
- Preference for candidates who have not lived or studied in host country for more than 6 months



## Deadlines

## Fulbright 2022-2023 Applications now open! UCSD internal deadline - early Sept 2021

## Why should you apply for prestigious fellowships and awards?

- Travel and live abroad on someone else's dime
- Elevate your academic experience and skills build your resume
- Compete at a higher level for future job opportunities
- Access the network of fellows globally
- Engage in cross-cultural exchange
- It's really fun!

## Interested in applying?

- Contact UC San Diego Grad Division
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