



Interested in applying? Attend our next Info Session!

Monday, February 23 @ 4:30pm, 53 W. 11th Avenue

Friday, March 27 @ 3:00pm, 53 W. 11th Avenue

Wednesday, April 22 @ 4:00pm, 53 W. 11th Avenue

What is the Fulbright?

- The U.S. Student Fulbright Program provides one-year grants for graduate study, research, or teaching assistantships abroad. Each year, over 1,900 grants are awarded for study in over 155 foreign countries.
- The goal of the Fulbright program is to give students opportunities for research and study abroad while promoting mutual understanding amongst nations.
- Students apply TO a specific country FOR a specific program or research project

What is an English Teaching Assistantship (ETA)?

- Fulbright ETAs allow students to teach English in a variety of foreign countries. The programs vary by country, with students teaching elementary school children, high school, or college-level English.
- Most ETA positions are 20 hours/week. In your remaining time, the Fulbright expects students to become involved in the community through service, research, or other experiences.
- Some countries require applicants be fluent in the host language; some require no prior language knowledge at all.
- Below is a list of countries offering ETAs in 2016-2017, designated by language requirements:

Proficiency Required/Preferred

Andorra	Jordan
Argentina	Kazakhstan
Armenia	Kyrgyz Republic
Azerbaijan	Luxembourg
Bahrain	Mexico
Bangladesh	Moldova
Belarus	Morocco
Belgium	Nepal
Brazil	Panama
Colombia	Peru
Costa Rica	Portugal
Czech Republic	Russia
Dominican Republic	Senegal
Ecuador	Spain
France	Sri Lanka
Georgia	Tajikistan
Germany	Ukraine
Guatemala	Uruguay
Italy	Venezuela
Ivory Coast	

No Prior Knowledge Needed

Bosnia/Herzegovina	Malaysia
Bulgaria	Malta
Croatia	Mongolia
Cyprus	Montenegro
Greece	Norway
Hungary	Poland
India	Romania
Indonesia	Rwanda
Kenya	Serbia
Korea	Slovak Republic
Kosovo	South Africa
Laos	Taiwan
Latvia	Thailand
Macau	Turkey
Macedonia	Vietnam

What is a Full Grant?

- Fulbright Full Grants are awarded to conduct year-long research projects or study in foreign countries. Students must have designed and planned their own projects, and must coordinate an affiliation with a foreign institution (university, non-profit, etc.)

Who is eligible to apply?

- Applicants must be U.S. citizens.
- Competitive students will have a 3.3+ GPA, higher for research grants
- Graduating Seniors may apply in the fall of their Senior year. Students must have a bachelor's degree by the time they begin their Fulbright program. Seniors will apply through the Undergraduate Fellowship Office.
- Recent graduates who are not enrolled in graduate school may also apply through the UFO. OSU alumni who are enrolled in graduate programs should apply through their graduate institution.
- Language requirements vary by country, with many requiring prior knowledge of the native language.
- Students applying for a Full Grant must have a thoroughly developed research proposal.
- Competitive applicants will have previous research experience (full grants), relevant extra-curricular activities, leadership & service experience, and other honors & awards.

How do I apply?

- Recent graduates and graduating seniors will both apply through the Undergraduate Fellowship Office. Grad/Professional students will apply through the graduate school. Students should **register with the UFO by June 29, 2015.**
- Students apply to a specific country for a specific program/project proposal. The first step is to select the country you wish to apply to and the program or research project you wish to complete there.
- Students submit applications online. The application consists of a personal statement, proposal of study, application form, transcript, language evaluation, and three letters of recommendation.
- **Applications are due by 9am on Tuesday, September 1, 2015.**
- The UFO provides Fellowship Advising to help undergraduates through the process and assist you in writing your application essays, obtaining letters of recommendation, and establishing affiliations abroad.
- Interested undergraduates students should contact OSU's Fellowship Advisor, Dana Kuchem, to set up an appointment to discuss the Fulbright, fellowships@osu.edu.

More information can be found on the Fulbright's official website, <http://us.fulbrightonline.org/> and OSU's Fulbright page: <http://honors-scholars.osu.edu/fellowship-office/fulbright>.

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Fellowship Advising is available to all OSU undergraduates applying for nationally competitive scholarships and fellowships.