U.S.-Philippine Relations

Award Autogenerated Code
10202-RP

Region
East Asia and the Pacific

Country
Philippines

Number of Grants
Approximately 2

Stipend

$1,750 per month

Note: All stipend amounts are disbursed in Philippine currency.

Monthly living allowance of $500 per month for grantees whose grants are for four months or longer and who are accompanied by dependent(s)

Monthly living allowance of $400 per month for grantees whose grants are for three months or unaccompanied by dependents

Housing allowance of $500 per month for those based in Metro Manila and $400 for those based in the provinces will be provided for grantees to arrange their own housing.

The stipend and allowances are sufficient to cover living expenses in the Philippines.

Estimated Travel and Relocation Allowance

• Roundtrip international travel (budget economy class) arranged by Fulbright commission

• Roundtrip international travel (budget economy class) for one dependent for grantees with award of four months or longer if the dependent stays in the country at least 80 percent of the grant period

• Roundtrip domestic travel for the scholar based outside Metro Manila and one dependent

• Relocation: $450-$750, depending on the length of grant

• Excess baggage: up to $500, provided at the end of the grant after submission of final requirements

Estimated Book and Research Allowance

Books and incidentals: $1,000 provided in two installments

Dependent Tuition Allowance

For grantees whose grants are for four months or longer, tuition assistance of $1,000 per dependent attending school in grades K-12, subject to the availability of resources of the Philippine-American Educational Foundation, if the dependent stays in the country at least 80 percent of the grant period.

Candidate Profile
Academics, all levels including early career

Activity
Teaching/Research

Application Deadline
Grant Activity
Teach and conduct research or conduct research only on topics relevant to contemporary issues that affect U.S.-Philippine relations. Grantees may be invited to give lectures at multiple Philippine institutions.

Grant Length
Three to four months

Grant Dates
Grants must begin August 2021 or January 2022.

Locations
Any appropriate institution, including those located outside of Metro Manila.

Travel/research/teaching in Mindanao is restricted and will require PAEF Board approval.

Flex Option
No

Discipline Type
Applications are sought in all disciplines

Areas of Interest
Economics, education, American history, non-U.S. history, journalism and political science.

Special Features
Fulbright East Asia Pacific Regional Travel Program
Fulbright Scholars in the East Asia and Pacific (EAP) region have the opportunity to apply for funds to support short-term (3-14 days) travel to other countries in the EAP region for activities such as lectures, workshops, graduate or faculty seminars, master classes or recitals, curricular advising or panel presentations. EAP Regional Travel Program funding covers transportation only. Regional Travel Program activities/host sites should not be included in the initial Fulbright application. Scholars may pursue invitations for short-term activities in other EAP countries once notified that they have been selected for a Fulbright grant, and may only apply for travel program funds once they have actively started their Fulbright grant in their host country. Scholars on Flex grants are not eligible for the regional travel grant.

Degree Requirements
Ph.D. (or other terminal degree) not required

Additional Qualification Information
Project must be comparative in nature.

Terminal degree (Ph.D. or other) is preferred, or equivalent professional experience.

Professional applicants who have already obtained a terminal degree in their specialization should have at least three years of professional work experience in their specialization beyond terminal degrees. Professional applicants without terminal degrees should have at least 10 years of work experience in their field and a strong record of publication and research in the area that they propose to conduct research.

Additional Language Requirement
Research can be conducted in English; proficiency in Tagalog or other local language can be helpful but is not required. Applicants are not required to submit a language proficiency evaluation.

Invitation Requirement
A letter of invitation is optional

Additional Comments
Selected applicants should initiate and coordinate with proposed Philippine institutions about possible housing options.

Helpful Links
The Philippine-American Educational Foundation (PAEF) [1]

U.S. Department of State - Philippines [2]

U.S. Embassy in the Philippines [3]

For more information, please visit our East Asia and the Pacific regional webpage [4] and view our schedule [5] of upcoming webinars.

Email the East Asia and the Pacific Team [6] with questions about applying.

Multi-Country/Area Award
No

Grant Length Filter
Three to five months

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Special Award Benefits
Grantees receive $150 for language study or materials.

• Three to four nights' accommodation upon arrival in the country and airport transfer

• $1,000 in-country travel allowance, provided in two installments

Language Proficiency Requirements
None, English is sufficient

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Links
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