TEFL/English Language

Award Autogenerated Code
10250-WE

Region
Middle East and North Africa

Country
Palestinian Territories (West Bank)

Number of Grants
Up To 2

Teaching or Teaching/Research Award (Assistant Professor or Below) Monthly Stipend and Allowances
$6,740-$7,440

Teaching or Teaching/Research Award (Associate or Full Professor) Monthly Stipend and Allowances
$6,960-$7,660

Estimated Travel and Relocation Allowance
$1,750 for relocation, in-transit, and excess baggage fees.

Plus round-trip, economy-class, international travel arranged by travel agent selected by IIE, for scholar and up to two accompanying dependents.

Estimated Book and Research Allowance
$1,150 books and educational materials allowance for teaching and teaching/research grants; books and materials purchased should be donated to the host institution (or other entity) upon grantee's departure.

Dependent Tuition Allowance
Up to $8,500 per child or $17,000 per family for accompanying dependents in grades K-12 is reimbursed for scholars on a 10-month grant, upon submission of receipts, and based on the availability of funds. Dependents must accompany the scholar in country for a minimum of 80% of the grant length. Amount may be adjusted for shorter grant periods. Reimbursement is based on actual cost of tuition and fees only.

Candidate Profile
Academics, all levels including early career

Activity
Teaching
Teaching/Research

Application Deadline
Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Grant Activity

The main purpose of this grant is capacity building in English language programs in Palestinian universities. Post seeks to award up to two grants in the TEFL/TESOL field, favoring a focus on the below activities:

- Teach undergraduate and graduate English Language courses, with an emphasis on English language teacher training
- Support the development of new and expanding programs and curricula, material development, community engagement projects in support of academic objectives, testing and evaluation and program design and implementation
- Conduct training programs and workshops for English language instructors
- Assist with student teacher advising, provide tutorials, supervise student practica and participate in seminars
- Consult on the development of B.A. and M.A. programs at host institution
- Final activities and courses to be determined in consultation with host institution
Grant Length
Five to 10 Months

Grant Dates
Up to 2 grants are available for five or 10 months.

- Five-month grants may begin in either August 2021 or January 2022
- 10-month grants should begin in August 2021.

Locations
- Al-Quds University [1], Abu Deis and East Jerusalem
- Al-Quds Open University [2], Ramallah (with many branches)
- Bethlehem University [3], Bethlehem
- Birzeit University [4], Birzeit
- An Najah University [5], Nablus
- Palestine Ahliya University [6], Bethlehem (PAUC)
- Arab American University [7], Jenin (with branch in Ramallah)
- Dar al-Kalima University College of Arts and Culture [8], Bethlehem
- Hebron University [9], Hebron
- Palestine Polytechnic University [10], Hebron

Flex Option
No

Discipline Type
Only applications in the following disciplines will be considered
Disciplines
Education
TEFL

Special Features
All American grantees researching, studying, or teaching in Jerusalem and the West Bank must live within the municipal boundaries of Jerusalem (including East Jerusalem), or any major city within Area A of the West Bank:

- Ramallah
- Jericho
- Bethlehem (including Beit Jala and Beit Sahour)
- Hebron
- Nablus
- Tul Karem
- Jenin

Grantees are advised to find lodging in the above mentioned locations. The location of all proposed residences must be individually reviewed and approved by the regional security officer (RSO) of the U.S. Embassy’s Palestinian Affairs Unit. The grantee must share their contact information and their home address as soon as they obtain it.

Due to security concerns, grantees are advised against from hitchhiking or using public buses in Israel and the West Bank. Renting a car is allowed, as is the use of private and service taxi cabs and the light rail in Jerusalem depending on local security conditions.

Grantees must obtain a cell phone and register their cell phone number with the Palestinian Affairs Unit of the U.S. Embassy. While in the West Bank and Jerusalem, grantees must be reachable by Embassy officials at all times. Grantees who are traveling outside of Jerusalem, the West Bank, or Israel must notify Embassy officials in advance of their trip. It is suggested that grantees obtain an additional phone/SIM card dedicated for West Bank travel such as Jawwal, as some Israeli carriers are unreliable in the Palestinian territories.

Grantees must agree to refrain from or modify their travel to certain parts of the West Bank, or the West Bank in its entirety, if the U.S. Embassy Emergency Action Committee determines that such travel is unsafe. If there are changes to the travel policy, the Palestinian Affairs Unit will coordinate notification to the grantees and notify the RSO. Grantees may not travel to the Gaza Strip under any conditions.
During their grant period, Fulbright U.S. Scholars in the Middle East and North Africa region may apply for a short-term regional travel grant (five to 14 days) for participation in a variety of activities including faculty and student lectures, graduate or faculty seminars, curriculum development, public lectures, panel presentations, needs assessment, conferences, or some combination thereof. Scholars who apply for the Flex award are ineligible for the Regional Travel Program.

**Degree Requirements**
Ph.D. (or other terminal degree) required

**Additional Qualification Information**

For teaching awards, a minimum of three years teaching experience is required.

**Additional Language Requirement**

Most teaching will be in English; Arabic language proficiency may be required for teaching in certain disciplines. For research grants, Arabic or other applicable language proficiency sufficient to complete the research project is required; applicants must complete the language proficiency evaluation. For applicants without Arabic or other applicable language proficiency, feasibility of conducting research in English must be demonstrated in the proposal.

**Invitation Requirement**

A letter of invitation is preferred

**Additional Comments**

- Al-Quds University: Dr. Hanna Abdel Nour, Vice President for Academic Affairs, habdalnour@eng.alquds.edu [1]
- Al-Quds Open University: Dr. Samir Najdi, Vice President for Academic Affairs, snajdi@qou.edu [2]
- An Najah University: Dr. Mohammed Alamleh, Academic Affairs Office, alamleh@najah.edu [3]
- Bethlehem University: Dr. Irene Hazou, Vice President for Academic Affairs, ihazou@bethlehem.edu [4]
- Birzeit University: Dr. Faizal Awadallah, Vice President for Academic Affairs, vp.academic@birzeit.edu [5]
- Dar al Kalima University College of Arts & Culture: Dr. Nuha Khoury, Vice President for Academic Affairs, nkhoury@daralkalima.edu.ps [6]
- Hebron University: Naim Daour, Manager of the President’s Office, naimd@hebron.edu [7]
- Palestine Ahliya University College, Bethlehem (PAUC): Dr. Ali Abu Maria, Vice President for Planning and Development Affairs, a@paluniy.edu.ps [8]
- Palestine Polytechnic University: Dr. Mustafa Abu Safa, Vice President for Academic Affairs, mustaga@ppu.edu [9]

**Helpful Links**

PASSIA: an organization that helps connect and learn about the Palestinian civil society. It publishes a directory that includes religious and charitable organizations, environmental, and other groups.


This Week in Palestine newsletter www.thisweekinpalestine.com [11]

**Multi-Country/Area Award**

No

**Grant Length Filter**

Three to five months
Six to 10 months

**Award Code**

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**Language Proficiency Requirements**

None, English is sufficient

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