Fulbright Distinguished Scholar Award in Urban Renewal

Award Autogenerated Code
10327-BR

Region
Western Hemisphere

Country
Brazil

Award Type
Fulbright Distinguished Scholar Award

Number of Recipients
1

Stipend
The scholar will receive a fixed sum of US$ 5,400 per month to cover all expenses but housing. The Universidade de Sao Paulo will arrange housing for the award period at no additional cost to the scholar.

Estimated Travel and Relocation Allowance
Scholars who opt for two visits of two months each (Flex award) will receive a total of US$ 2,400 for two international roundtrip tickets. Scholars on three or four-month awards will receive US$ 1,500 for an international roundtrip ticket.

Dependent Tuition Allowance
All benefits are for the Scholar only; there are no additional benefits for dependents.

Candidate Profile
Distinguished Chair

Activity Type
Research

Application Deadline
Wednesday, September 15, 2021

Award Activity
The Universidade de Sao Paulo (USP) looks for a scholar interested in collaborating with the School of Architecture and Urbanism (FAUUSP)’s in one of the aspects of its urban renewal project. The project in the central neighborhood of the city of Sao Paulo aims to establish methodological parameters for rehabilitation programs that include the current infrastructure and historical elements that have helped develop the city.

The FAUUSP project includes the following aspects:

- Public Policy Management: Strategies for the management and articulation of public policies for the elaboration of an urban renewal program.
- Limits and Potentialities: Public services and spaces, the industry of high technology, and social housing in a dialogue with the pre-existing cultural heritage, with no gentrification.
- Mobility and Sustainability: Study of the actual infrastructure and watersheds that make the landscape in historical sites of the city.
- Urban Heritage: Structuring elements of the local historical formation, identifying the records built in the space that remain in the landscape. History and geography of urban morphology (workers villages, factories, sheds, paths, urban fabric). Study of preexisting architecture in the central districts, language problems, templates, urban relations, density, and urban design.

For further information about this award, please visit the Fulbright Commission website [1].

Award Length
Three to four months; for Flex awards see Flex description

Award Dates
First possible start date: July 1, 2022
Last possible end date: September 30, 2023

Be aware that most institutions take a recess between December and January. For Flex awards, please see the Flex Option section.

**Locations**

The Universidade de Sao Paulo School of Architecture and Urbanism (FAUUSP)\[^{2}\] in Sao Paulo.

**Flex Option**

Yes

**Flex Description**

Flex awards allow the stay to be split into two visits of two months each between July 1, 2022, and September 30, 2023. There must be a period of at least two months between the two in-country stays.

**Discipline Type**

Only applications in the following disciplines will be considered

**Disciplines**

Architecture
Economics
Geography
History, non- U.S.
Urban Planning

**Areas of Interest**

Architecture and Urbanism: Urban Renewal, Urban Design, Urban Heritage, Sustainability

A focus on job creation and housing production for low-income or socially excluded groups

**Special Features**

For the award period, the Universidade of Sao Paulo will arrange housing at no additional cost for the scholar. Estimated housing costs at a medium priced hotel or Airbnb in a good location is U$ 1,200 per month. It will also provide an English speaking student to help the scholar settle in.

**Degree Requirements**

Ph.D. (or other terminal degree) required

**Additional Qualification Information**

Preference for tenured faculty.

Professionals outside of academia with more than seven years experience in urban renewal will also be considered.

**Invitation Requirement**

A letter of invitation should not be sought.

**Helpful Links**

Fulbright Commission\[^{3}\]

School of Architecture and Urbanism\[^{4}\] at the Universidade de Sao Paulo\[^{4}\]

International Cooperation Office at the Universidade de Sao Paulo\[^{6}\]

**Multi-Country/Area Award**

No

**Award Length Filter**

Flex
Three to five months

**Invitation Requirement Additional Information**

Candidates are encouraged to contact the Universidade de Sao Paulo School of Architecture and Urbanism (FAUUSP) to discuss their research projects and plans and explore common interests.

Feel free to direct any project-related questions to professor Rosana Helena Miranda\[^{7}\] at FAUUSP. Please copy the Fulbright Commission\[^{8}\] on your FAUUSP messages.
You will not be at a disadvantage if you do not communicate with FAUUSP before applying.

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**Award Year**
2022-2023 Awards

**Special Award Benefits**
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During their grant period, Fulbright U.S. Scholars in the Western Hemisphere (WHA) region may apply for a short-term regional travel grant for activities such as workshops, seminars, presentations, lectures, performances, exhibits, curricular advising, and similar projects, at institutions in eligible WHA countries (Argentina, Bahamas, Barbados and Eastern Caribbean, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, México, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, Trinidad & Tobago, Uruguay). The Regional Travel Program covers travel to and from the destination; lodging may be offered by the hosting institution. Scholars may only apply for this grant once in country on their Fulbright grant. Scholars who apply for the Flex award are ineligible for the Regional Travel Program. Additional information can be found at the Regional Travel Program website.

**Language Proficiency Requirements**
None, English is sufficient.

**Recruitment Priorities (INTERNAL ONLY)**
Architecture Urban Planning

**Career Profile**
Mid-Career Academics
Senior Academics

**Scholars selected for this award will be required to:**
- Conduct a research project of the applicant’s choosing

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**Links**
[7] mailto: rosanamiranda@usp.br?subject=Fulbright%20Award%20in%20Urban%20Planning%20at%20USP
[8] mailto:patricia@fulbright.org.br
[9] https://awards.cies.org/award-years/2022-2023-awards