Fulbright-Fondazione CON IL SUD (Foundation of Southern Italy) Award for Teaching/Research in All Disciplines

Award Autogenerated Code
10640-IT
Region
Europe and Eurasia
Country
Italy
Award Type
Fulbright Scholar Award
Number of Recipients
Approximately 4
Stipend
Monthly stipend of €4,780 for a total of €23,900 for five/six months (approximately $5,580 and $29,430; the amounts may change depending on exchange rate fluctuations). The award, which is a maintenance allowance for the entire period, is disbursed in Euro currency, and will be the same whether the Scholar decides to stay five or six months.

Estimated Travel and Relocation Allowance
International Travel allowance of €1,100 (approximately $1,350, the amount may change depending on exchange rate fluctuations). The allowance is disbursed in Euro currency.

Candidate Profile
Academics, all levels including early career

Activity Type
Teaching/Research

Application Deadline
Wednesday, September 15, 2021

Award Activity
Fulbright Scholars will be expected to teach (primary activity, at least 60%) and conduct research (secondary activity).

Award Length
Five to six months

Award Dates
Grants may begin any time after September 1, 2022 and should be completed by June 30, 2023. Grant dates are to be arranged with host institution and indicated in the letter of invitation. However, they may be changed at a later time depending on circumstances, and finalized after selection. Possible exceptions should be agreed with the host institution.

Locations
One of the 23 universities located in the six regions of southern Italy: Campania, Puglia, Calabria, Sardegna, Basilicata, or Sicilia. The aim of this award is to promote a better knowledge of the South of Italy and to promote knowledge exchange and research in South-related issues at universities in the South of Italy.

**Flex Option**
No

**Discipline Type**
Applications are sought in all disciplines

**Areas of Interest**
Applications are sought in all appropriate disciplines with preference for projects in the sciences and in technology.

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

**Additional Qualification Information**
Open to faculty of all academic ranks.

**Additional Language Requirement**
Italian language fluency may be required for teaching, depending on the host university’s preference. Conversational Italian is helpful to better integrate in the local community, even for those who will be able to teach in English.

**Invitation Requirement**
A letter of invitation is required.

**Additional Comments**
Applicants should submit a detailed teaching proposal in their application, as well as a research project if they are interested in also carrying out research during their grant period.

Grantees will be required to live in the city where the host institution is located.

**Visa Information:** U.S. grantees must apply for a Study Visa (D) at the Italian Embassy or Consulate having jurisdiction in the State where they reside. The Commission will support their application with a letter that will be sent to grantees after they have signed the official grant authorization, but will not be able to assist grantees in their application procedures.

Italian embassy and consulates are the sole authorities in matters pertaining visa issues.

Due to restrictions in the Italian Immigration Law, there are potential challenges related to the duration of grantees’ stay in Italy, and to the visa and permit-to-stay for their dependents.

The requested duration of grantees’ stay in Italy should not be much longer than the official grant period. In case of significant discrepancy (more than 30 days overall), the Consulate may reject the grantees’ visa request.

Grantees who wish to be accompanied to Italy by their family dependents should be aware that the Commission cannot sponsor their dependents’ visas. Available options are:

1. Dependents may stay in Italy without a visa for a period of 90 days

2. Dependents may enroll in an Italian language course and apply for their own study visa (the Commission cannot assist in identifying the course nor does it have the funding to allocate for this purpose)

3. Dependents could apply for a *Ricongiungimento Familiare*. The procedure entails that grantees travel to Italy on their own and once they arrive in Italy they must request a *nulla osta per il ricongiungimento familiare*. The *nulla osta* will be issued within 180 days from the request (which may exceed the grant length). Only with the *nulla osta* will dependents be able to travel to Italy to join the grantee and to apply for a permit to stay for *ricongiungimento familiare*.

**Helpful Links**
A listing of Italian universities and access to their homepages can be found at [https://www.universitaly.it/index.php](https://www.universitaly.it/index.php) [1]. A valuable search engine can be found at [https://cercauniversita.cineca.it/](https://cercauniversita.cineca.it/) [2].

Useful links with information about Italian academic system can be found at the CIMEA website [3] and at the MIUR website [4].
Fondazione CON IL SUD was established in the 2006 as an alliance between bank foundations and the voluntary, non-profit sector with the aim of promoting the civic, economic, and social development of the South of Italy. Information on the Foundation can be found at the Fondazione Con IL SUD website.

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Multi-Country/Area Award
No

Award Length Filter
Three to five months
Six to 10 months

Invitation Requirement Additional Information
Candidates must arrange their own affiliation and include letter of invitation from the host institution in support of the candidacy.

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Award Year
2022-2023 Awards

Special Award Benefits
The Fulbright Scholars will be eligible for the Fulbright Inter-country Travel Grant Program, http://www.fulbright.it/fulbright-intercountry/, and to receive a travel grant to lecture, hold workshops and conduct other relevant outreach activity at other Italian and European academic institutions.

Language Proficiency Requirements
None, English is sufficient. However, feasibility of conducting the project must be demonstrated in the project statement.

Recruitment Priorities (INTERNAL ONLY)
Please Note: preference for STEM fields for “Fulbright-Fondazione CON IL SUD Award for Teaching/Research in All Disciplines.”

Career Profile
Early Career Academics
Mid-Career Academics
Professionals
Senior Academics

Scholars selected for this award will be required to:

- Advise and/or mentor students
- Assist in faculty, curriculum, and/or program development
- Conduct a research project designated by the host institution
- Conduct a research project of the applicant’s choosing
- Teach graduate and/or undergraduate courses designated by the host institution
- Teach graduate and/or undergraduate courses of the applicant’s choosing

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[2] https://cercauniversita.cineca.it/%C2%A0
[6] mailto:bpizzella@fulbright.it
[7] https://awards.cies.org/award-years/2022-2023-awards