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Award Autogenerated Code

9401-NO

Region

Europe and Eurasia

Country

Norway

Stipend

28,000 Norwegian kroner (NOK) per month. An additional monthly allowance of 2,000 NOK per accompanying dependent per month is provided for up to three accompanying dependents.

The monthly stipend is sufficient to cover basic living costs in Norway for the grantee and up to three accompanying dependents.

No separate housing allowance is provided. The cost of housing, utilities and food is relatively high in Norway.

Approximate cost of housing: 10,000-15,000 NOK per month; Utilities: 1,200-1,500 NOK per month.

Estimated Travel and Relocation Allowance

International travel for scholar only. Small allowance for excess baggage.

Dependent Tuition Allowance

Public primary and secondary schools are free in Norway for dependents. For more information, please click [here](#) [1].

Candidate Profile

Academics, all levels including early career

Activity

Teaching

Application Deadline

Closed

Grant Activity

Serve as a roving specialist in the study of the United States. The scholar will make one-time visits to lower secondary schools (student ages 14-16) or upper secondary schools (ages 16-18) and educator conferences to give up-to-date information on important issues related to American society.

The aim is to give teachers of English an opportunity to interact with an American colleague and to let students practice their English, confront an American with some of their ideas about the U.S. and experience an American teacher's approach to teaching.

The scholar will travel to schools throughout Norway to teach in-service courses for practicing English teachers and to teach students in cooperation with their teachers in the classroom.

Grant Length

10 months

Grant Dates

August 15, 2020 - June 15, 2021

Locations

Roving scholars are based in Oslo, but travel throughout the country at the Fulbright Foundation's expense. The primary Norwegian affiliation is the [Norwegian Center for Foreign Languages in Education](#) [2].

Flex Option

No

Discipline Type

Only applications in the following disciplines will be considered

Disciplines

History, American

Literature, American

American Studies

Education

Special Features

The Fulbright Foundation will help procure housing.

Roving Scholars are given an additional in-depth orientation focused on the Norwegian education system before they start visiting schools.

All U.S. grantees to Norway have two opportunities to gather as a group. The first is an orientation program held in Oslo in August. The second is a seminar in February during which grantees present on their projects followed by a weekend at a ski resort near Lillehammer in February. Domestic travel and lodging expenses for these gatherings are covered by the Fulbright Foundation. In addition, these expenses are covered for dependent family members of grantees for the seminar/ski weekend, which is a highlight of the Fulbright year.

Degree Requirements

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

Additional Qualification Information

M.A. or Ph.D. applicants should have broad competence in social, political, historical and educational issues in the United States. The scholar should have considerable teaching experience, particularly with students between 14-18 years old.

As the award entails significant travel, applicants should be flexible and have the requisite time management and planning skills.

Three letters of reference are required.

Additional Language Requirement

All teaching will be in English; proficiency in another language is not required.

Invitation Requirement

A letter of invitation should not be sought

Additional Comments

The position requires extensive travel throughout the country. The scholar should be interested in meeting with and teaching teenagers, be versatile and open-minded and be able to convey to young Norwegian students different aspects of American society. The scholar should have the ability to present and practice modern teaching methods, provide information of interest to young people about the U.S. and discuss political, historical, educational and social issues.

Please indicate a preference for lower or upper secondary schools in the application.

In lieu of a traditional syllabus, applicants are requested to include possible workshop offerings for students and teachers (basic outline of topics is sufficient).

Contact CIES staff or the [U.S.-Norway Fulbright Foundation](#) ^[3] at fulbright@fulbright.no ^[4].

Please note, applicants should be prepared to supply a sample video of their classroom teaching to the U.S.-Norway Fulbright Foundation on short notice.

Multi-Country/Area Award

No

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Special Award Benefits

A special orientation for Roving Scholars and English Teaching Assistants to learn about the Norwegian educational system will be held at the Norwegian Center for Foreign Languages in August.

Roving Scholars who present at the American Studies Association of Norway annual conference will have their participation covered by the Fulbright Foundation.

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[1] <http://www.regjeringen.no/en/dep/kd/Selected-topics/compulsory-education.html?id=1408>

[2] <http://www.fremmedspraksenteret.no/nor/fremmedspraksenteret/engelsk>

[3] <http://www.fulbright.no>

[4] <mailto:fulbright@fulbright.no>

[5] <https://awards.cies.org/award-years/2020-2021-awards>