Fulbright Future Scholarship (funded by The Kinghorn Foundation)

Award Autogenerated Code
9756-AS

Region
East Asia and the Pacific

Country
Australia

Number of Grants
Approximately 5

Stipend

Scholar/ Professional: AUD$5000 per month for 3-4 months

Postdoctoral Candidates: AUD$3500 per month for 3-10 months

Scholars accompanied by eligible dependents for at least 80% of program duration may receive one, one-time dependent allowance of AUD$3,200.

Estimated Travel and Relocation Allowance

International Travel: AUD$3500

Estimated Book and Research Allowance

All visiting researcher fees at approved host institution will be covered.

Dependent Tuition Allowance

AUD$3,200 if applicable.

Candidate Profile

Professionals
Academics, all levels including early career
Postdoctoral

Activity
Professional Project
Professional Project/Research
Research

Application Deadline
Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Grant Activity

The Australian-American Fulbright Commission is pleased to offer the Fulbright Future Scholarships. This unique opportunity provides significant funding for projects that seek to have a positive impact on the health, prosperity, and livelihoods of Americans and Australians through programs of collaborative research and development.

Thanks to generous support from The Kinghorn Foundation, the Fulbright Future Scholarships will support projects that seek to advance cutting-edge applied science, kick start innovative business collaborations that foster the creation of new jobs, or further the development of impact-driven emergent technologies.

Applicants must adhere to additional Project Statement requirements outlined in the “Additional Comments” section.
Grant Length
Academics and Professionals 3-4 months, Postdoctoral Candidates 3-10 months

Grant Dates
Grants must begin in January/February 2022 in line with the Australian academic year and in order to attend the Orientation Program and Gala Presentation Dinner.

Locations
Any appropriate institution, including universities, research centers, think-tanks, government bodies, relevant professional and non-profit institutions, or other institutions of research and/or higher education.

Flex Option
No

Discipline Type
Only applications in the following disciplines will be considered

Disciplines
Biology
Business
Chemistry
Computer Science
Economics
Engineering
Environmental Sciences
Geography
Geology
Information Sciences/Systems
Materials Sciences
Mathematics
Medical Sciences
Neuroscience
Oceanography
Pharmacology
Philosophy
Physics
Public Health

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

Additional Qualification Information
- Postdoctoral candidates can apply in the last year of their PhD, or within 5 years after its completion.
- Academic candidates must be appropriately qualified at Associate or Full Professor.
- Professional applicants must have an undergraduate degree and at least 10 years relevant work experience within their field of proposed research.

Additional Language Requirement
N/A

Invitation Requirement
A letter of invitation is required

Additional Comments

Project Statement: To qualify for the Future Scholarships program, applicants must include within their project statement an impact statement and a personal statement, identified with their own headers.

The impact statement must outline the potential impact of their proposed program on the health, prosperity and livelihoods of Americans and Australians, and must have its own header of Potential Impact.

‘Impact’ may be defined as:
Significant advancement of new technologies, techniques, or other novel research with potential for practical outcomes;
Tangible effect, benefit, or outcome for Australian and American society;
Creation of enduring bilateral commercial or research partnerships with potential for significant growth;
Novel approaches to medical treatment or rehabilitation;
Potential for job-creation

Applicants must also include in their project statement a brief (half page) personal statement to share their story, the trajectory they have followed and their plans for the future, and must have its own header of Personal Statement. This is separate from the facts present elsewhere in the application and may address their personal history, background, development and the opportunities to which they have, or have not been exposed.

Helpful Links


Multi-Country/Area Award
No
Grant Length Filter
Three to five months
Six to 10 months

Invitation Requirement Additional Information

All applicants are required to include a letter of invitation from their proposed institution with their application.

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Special Award Benefits

Travel and accommodation for Scholars to the Orientation Program and Gala Presentation Dinner held annually.

Access to Fulbright Alumni in Australia prior to arrival to assist in preparation for the visit and while in Australia for social and professional networks.

Access to Australia’s National Health Care Cover Scheme (Medicare) is a benefit for U.S. Fulbrighters in Australia. Please note: Medicare enrolment can be subject to administrative delays. We therefore recommend that Medicare be considered only as supplemental coverage alongside your Fulbright-provided ASPE limited health benefits and your own comprehensive travel insurance and/or personal U.S. medical insurance.

Language Proficiency Requirements
None, English is sufficient

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