Fulbright-Nehru International Education Administrators Program

Award Autogenerated Code
9845-IN

Region
South and Central Asia

Country
India

Number of Grants
Approximately 10

Stipend
The award includes round-trip travel, lodging, and a per diem that includes a meal allowance for those meals not provided.

Candidate Profile
Higher Education Administrators

Activity
Seminar

Application Deadline
Monday, August 3, 2020

Grant Activity
Attend various informational meetings with representatives of Indian universities, private-sector agencies and organizations, and selected government agencies to gain better insight into India’s higher education system. U.S. administrators will have the opportunity to familiarize themselves with program/curriculum designs, organizational structures, quality assurance procedures, and credit and degree expectations in Indian higher education. Participants will gain first-hand knowledge of a cross-section of Indian institutions and meet with high-ranking university administrators and public sector officials who play key roles in the planning and administration of higher education in India. The seminar aims to achieve a balance of topical discussion, knowledge sharing by both the U.S. administrators and Indian representatives, experiential excursions, and exposure to societal/cultural facets of India.

Grant Length
Two weeks

Grant Dates
March 8-21, 2021 (Tentative)

Locations
Seminar locations will include highly respected universities and colleges in major cities (to be determined) and visits to research institutes and nongovernmental organizations that lend themselves as sites for higher education collaborations and exchanges between the United States and India.

Flex Option
No

Disciplines
Education

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

Additional Qualification Information
Applicants must meet the following qualifications:
• International education administrators (for example, foreign student advisors, study abroad advisors, and foreign student admissions) or
• Senior-level university administrators (deans, vice presidents, provosts, and presidents)
• Employed by a U.S. higher education institution in strategic positions of decision-making with substantial responsibility for enhancing the international dimension of their institutions
• Motivated to build capacity of their faculty and students by enhancing study abroad (especially to ‘non-traditional’ destinations) and expanding opportunities for international collaborations through faculty exchanges, collaborative research projects or pursuit of innovative curricular design
• Minimum of five years of experience in the field.

Applicants must clearly demonstrate that these criteria have been met (in the curriculum vitae/resume and/or the project statement) in order to be considered eligible.

Invitation Requirement
A letter of invitation should not be sought

Additional Comments

Return air travel may be arranged to allow for independent travel in India after the seminar. Participants will be asked to submit a brief report and evaluation. Accompanying dependents cannot be accommodated during the seminar.

Helpful Links

Fulbright International Education Administrators Seminar Overview [1]
U.S.-India Educational Foundation [2]
University Grants Commission [3]
Association of Indian Universities [4]
National University of Educational Planning and Administration [5]

For more information, please visit our South and Central Asia regional webpage [6] and view our schedule of upcoming webinars [7].

Email the International Education Administrator Team (IEA) [8] with questions about applying.

Multi-Country/Area Award
No

Grant Length Filter
Under three months

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11378-IN

Language Proficiency Requirements
None, English is sufficient

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Links
[3] https://www.ugc.ac.in/
[4] https://www.aiu.ac.in/
[7] https://www.cies.org/event-type/webinar-schedule
[8] mailto:IEA@iie.org