Fulbright U.S. Student Program
Engage with the World!

We have a history of strong Fulbright applicants from UNL. Last year, we received 9 Fulbright US Student Program awards! Let's continue that tradition! Who do you know who will be next?

Please consider suggesting to a rising senior that they consider applying for the Fulbright. Successful applicants are highly motivated, open-minded people. They should be flexible self-starters with a strong interest in promoting the Fulbright Program’s mission: fostering mutual understanding between the United States and partner nations, sharing knowledge across communities, and improving lives around the world.

Who Are Fulbrighters?

Each year, thousands of Americans participate in the Fulbright U.S. Student Program. They represent the richness and diversity of America through their varied backgrounds, home communities, professional and academic skills, and academic institutions, and they create lasting connections while learning with their counterparts overseas.

Who is Eligible to Apply?

To apply to the Fulbright U.S. Student Program, candidates must:
- Be a U.S. citizen at the time of application (Foreigners and permanent residents are not eligible).
- Hold a bachelor’s degree, or the equivalent, before the start of the grant. Most applicants are graduating seniors.
- Demonstrate proficiency in the host country language, if required.

The following are not eligible for consideration:
- Applicants who currently hold or will hold a doctoral degree by the application deadline.

What is the Award?
The Fulbright U.S. Student Program awards more than 2,100 grants annually to American students and early career professionals (other than faculty) to study, conduct research, and serve as assistant English teachers in 160 countries around the world.

Grant benefits include:
- Round-trip transportation to the host country
- Full or partial academic tuition, based on award
- Stipend for living expenses for the academic year, based on living costs in the host country
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- Accident and sickness benefits
- Conferences, enrichment activities, and cultural events in many countries around the world

CAMPUS DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 4, 2020
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