



Fulbright US Student Program

The Fulbright Program offers international educational and cultural exchange programs designed to increase mutual understanding between the people of the US and the people of other nations. Established in 1946, Fulbright is funded by the US Department of State and operates through various initiatives in over 150 partner countries.

AWARDS

The most common Fulbright programs to which MSU students and recent graduates apply are:

1. **English Teaching Assistant (ETA) Awards** – to teach English abroad
2. **Research Awards** – to conduct research internationally
3. **Open Study Awards** – to pursue a graduate degree overseas

BENEFITS

Tangible

- Round trip international airfare, salary (covers room, board, and incidentals; based on in-country cost of living), health and travel insurance

Intangible

- Cultural immersion opportunities, life-changing experiences, strengthen teaching and research skills, establish professional connections, great résumé builder

DID YOU KNOW...

- **ETA awards** are available in **75 countries**.
- **Study/research awards** are available in nearly **150 countries**.
- Over **200 Spartans** have won Fulbright student awards to **74 countries** – from Argentina to Zambia – since 1949
- The competition opens each spring, with an **MSU deadline in early September** and a national deadline in October.

ELIGIBILITY

- US citizen
- Bachelor's degree by start of grant
- Country-specific requirements



WANT MORE INFORMATION?

Fill out the brief Fulbright Program interest survey here and we'll be in touch!

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