

# FULBRIGHT VISITING SCHOLAR PROGRAM

## Instructions for Completing the 2027-2028 Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program Application

**Application:** <https://apply.iie.org/fvsp2027>

Read all instructions carefully before completing the [application](#).

Applicants may only apply for one award per application cycle.

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## General Information

The application is supported by all modern browsers. We highly recommend that you use a current version of [Google Chrome](#), which supports Windows, Mac, and Linux platforms.

Prior to starting an application, please complete the following steps:

### **Step 1: Learn requirements for submitting an application**

Before you begin an application, contact the Fulbright Program Office in the country from which you are applying. **Deadline date is October 31, 2026.** You must make sure you are eligible to apply. Additional information and a list of participating countries can be found here: [Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program | Exchange Programs \(state.gov\)](#).

### **Step 2: Record user name and password in a safe place**

Your email address is your user name. When you create an account for this online application, record your password in a secure place. You can log in and out of the application as frequently as you like using your user name and password. If necessary, you can reset your password by clicking the “Forgot Your Password” link on the log-in page.

### **Step 3: Complete the application**

You do not need to complete this application at one time. You can re-enter at any time to edit your application. However, once you SUBMIT your application, you CANNOT make changes to it.

To complete your application correctly, please answer all questions completely and carefully. Review these additional tips:

- Use upper and lower-case letters (e.g. John Smith). **Avoid using all capital letters** (e.g. JOHN SMITH). **Do not use special characters**, such as accent marks.
- You can copy and paste information into all text boxes.
- Limit your responses to the space provided in all text boxes.
- Prepare required documents and save them in **PDF format**. It is highly recommended that to preserve any formatting and special characters in your documents, you upload them in PDF format.
- Some questions are “**required.**” They are **marked with an asterisk (\*)**. You will not be able to submit your application until all required items are complete.

### **Step 4: Submit the application**

Once you have entered all required information, including recommenders, review your application for errors. If all information is correct, submit your application. **Once you submit you CANNOT make changes to your application.**

## Creating Your Online Account

1. To start, click *Create an account*.
2. Enter your email address, first name, last name, and select your date of birth (Month-Date-Year) from the drop-down menus. **Your name must be entered exactly the way it appears (or will appear) on your passport.**

\*請輸入與護照上完全一致拼法的姓名資訊（First Name 為名字，Last Name 為姓氏）。請勿將名字拆開分別填入 First Name 與 Middle Name 欄位；一般華人姓名通常沒有 Middle Name。另請注意字母大小寫格式，請勿全部使用大寫，僅需將每個單字的第一個字母大寫即可。

**Note:** Use an email address that you will be able to access for at least two years after submitting your application. This is the email address you will use to log in to your application account. We recommend you do NOT use a work email address if you will not have access to it during your grant in the U.S.

\*建議不要使用學校或公司信箱，避免離職後無法使用。

3. Click Continue. You will receive an email from [apply@iie.org](mailto:apply@iie.org) confirming that you have started the application. The email will include a temporary PIN. Follow the instructions in the email to activate your account using the temporary PIN.
4. You will be prompted to enter your pin and then create a password to complete login.

**Login**

A temporary PIN has been sent to your email address. If you do not receive this message in the next few minutes, please check your junk mail folder.

Email  
Account

Temporary PIN

Birthdate

**Set Password**

To protect the security of your account, please specify a new password. The password must meet complexity requirements.

New Password

New Password (again)

- ✗ At least one letter
- ✗ At least one capital letter
- ✗ At least one number
- ✗ Be at least 12 characters
- ✗ New passwords must match

- Returning users: Click *Log in* and enter your email address and password. If you do not remember your password, click *Forgot your password?* and follow the resulting instructions.

## Managing Your Application

### EDITING YOUR APPLICATION PRIOR TO SUBMISSION

- You may log in at any time to review and edit your application form, upload documents, and enter recommender information.
- Remember to save your application after completing each page by pressing the *Continue* button at the bottom of each page.

**Note:** The application will automatically log you out after 60 minutes of inactivity, so it is best to save your application frequently. \* 請隨時存檔

### REVIEWING YOUR APPLICATION AFTER SUBMISSION

- After you SUBMIT your application, you CANNOT make any changes.  
\* 完成線上申請遞交後，資料將無法自行修改。

2. You may continue to log in to your account to view the information you have submitted, **save a PDF of your application form**, and **manage your recommenders**.
3. You can manage your recommenders by clicking on the *Recommendations* section of the online application.

\*請務必自行追蹤推薦人的填寫進度，並提醒推薦人於**申請截止日前**完成線上推薦或寄出紙本推薦信。

## LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Letters of recommendation will be submitted directly to Fulbright by the recommenders you registered via your application.

1. Letters of recommendation and language evaluations may be submitted **before or after** you submit the application.  
\*若在截止日前仍未收到推薦人提交的推薦信，**請先完成線上遞交申請**，以免影響您的申請資格。
2. If your recommender is unavailable, you will have the option to exclude the recommender and add an alternative **after** you submit the application.

## Preliminary Questions and Data Privacy

These questions address essential program eligibility, share data privacy policy, and requests consent. All questions are required.

### Preliminary Questions

Through which program country are you applying? \*

To which academic year are you applying? \*

Do you hold or are you applying for: \*

1. U.S. citizenship; or
2. Dual citizenship with the U.S.; or
3. U.S. permanent residency?

Have you resided in the United States for five or more consecutive years in the six-year period preceding the date of application? A period of nine months or more during a calendar year is considered to be a full year. \*

Will you be residing in the United States at the time of your proposed grant start date? \*

Have you reviewed and do you meet all program eligibility requirements for the country through which you are applying?

*Please review the [program details](#) and [eligibility requirements](#) for the country through which you are applying before selecting a response. \**

1. Select **"Taiwan"** from the dropdown menu.
2. Select **"2027-2028"** from the dropdown menu.
3. U.S. Citizenship, Dual Citizenship with the U.S. or Permanent Residency: select 'yes' or 'no' to indicate your response.
  - Applicants cannot be U.S. citizens or permanent residents of the U.S. to participate in the Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program.
    - \* 申請者 **不得具有美國國籍**，亦不得持有美國移民簽證。

4. Indicate whether or not you have resided in the U.S. for five or more consecutive years per the instructions.
5. Indicate whether or not you will reside in the U.S. at the time of your proposed grant start date. This is NOT a question about your arrival to the U.S. for your proposed Fulbright exchange visit, but about any residency being planned for immediately prior to the dates proposed for your Fulbright exchange visit.
6. Select 'yes', 'no', or 'unsure' to indicate if you are aware and meet all program eligibility requirements.
  - Please review the program eligibility requirements for the country through which you are applying before proceeding.

IIE Privacy Statement & Safeguarding Guidelines

IIE values your privacy. We encourage you to read our Privacy Statement, located on the Privacy page on IIE's website.

The Privacy Statement outlines how IIE handles your data and includes the types of data we process, why we process it and with whom we share it.

Please note that IIE may be required to process data that is generally considered to be sensitive. IIE only processes this information when it is necessary to execute the management of your application or program.

IIE is committed to oppose and combat all forms of human trafficking, exploitation, sexual abuse, child neglect and child abuse in our programs. We encourage you to read IIE's Safeguarding Guidelines located on IIE's website.

[Please see the IIE Privacy Statement for more details.](#)  
[Please click here to review IIE's Safeguarding Guidelines.](#)

I have read IIE's Privacy Statement and give consent for IIE to process my data, and I have read the IIE Safeguarding Guidelines. \*

▼

Save and Continue

1. Carefully review the Data Privacy information. If prompted, indicate your acceptance of data privacy terms by selecting 'yes' or 'no'.
2. Click *Save and Continue* to proceed to the next section

## Country Information

### 1. Review all information in this section!

#### Country Information

Please review the information below to assist in completing your application. If this is the first time you are accessing this page, you must select an Award, marked with an asterisk (\*) below under Award Information; if you are returning, please ensure that the Current Award opportunity is correct.

##### Contact Information

###### Norfolk Island Organization (Demo)

**Address:** Street Address Demo, 12345-0001 Schenectady, United States

##### Program Information

**Program Website:** [country-website-url-2026-2027.com](#)

**Program Instructions:** [country-specific-instructions-url-2026-2027.com](#)

**Current Application Competition Year:** 2026-2027

**Deadline Information:** Check each award

**General Information:** Program Information - General Information

##### Program Information Materials:

Country-specific instructions: [View](#) | [Download](#)

##### Award Information

**Current Award:** Norfolk Island Visiting Scholar Award 1 (Norfolk Island)

##### Select/Change Award

**Award Deadline:** Sunday, November 30, 2025 11:59 PM (Eastern Time)

**Award Website:** [norfolkisland.org](#)

**Award Information:** Award Information - text

**Award Instructions:** [award-instructions-url-2026-2027.com](#)

**Recommendations:** 3 recommendations are required.

Thank you for selecting an award! Please double check the name and ensure you have selected your intended award. If you are not sure which award you should apply for, or if you cannot find the award you intended to apply for, contact the Fulbright office in your home country for further guidance on past, open, and upcoming competitions through the [Visiting Scholar program](#).

Continue

2. Note any country-specific and award-specific instructions for completing the rest of the application, including:
  - a. Country website <https://www.fulbright.org.tw/zh-hant/awards-to-the-u-s/>
  - b. Deadline information **October 31, 2026**
  - c. Open application cycle
  - d. Additional required materials
  - e. Country-specific Fulbright Policies

If prompted, you must select an Award (see highlighted above) before proceeding.

- \* 資深學者獎助金 → Senior Research
- \* 博士後獎助金 → Experience America Grants
- \* 專業人員及創作藝術家獎助金 → Non-Academic Professionals Grants
- \* 傅爾布萊特—臺灣文化部藝文專業人才獎助計畫 → Fulbright - Taiwan Ministry of Culture, Arts Professionals Grants
- \* 此題請務必填寫

3. Click *Continue* to proceed to the next section.

## Personal Information

Enter all required biographical information. Please review country-specific guidance (provided in the Country Information section of the application) to determine whether you must provide additional information.

1. **Name:** Enter your name exactly as it appears on your passport. Only enter a preferred name if it is DIFFERENT than your legal name (e.g. Alex instead of Alexander).
  - \* **First Name** 請務必與護照照片頁第一行的 **Given Name** 完全相同。若護照上的 **Given Name** 含有連字號 (“-”)，在系統中填寫 **First Name** 時也需保留連字號。請特別注意姓名順序，例如：王小明 (Wang, Hsiao-Min) 的 **First Name** 為 Hsiao-Min，**Last Name** 為 Wang。一般華人姓名通常沒有 **Middle Name**。
2. **Name on Previous Records:** If your name is recorded differently on any previous records, list it in the Name on Previous Records section (e.g. maiden name).
3. **Biographical Information:** The birthdate that you used to create your account will automatically appear. Enter your city of birth, country of birth, sex, marital status, and number of dependents.

4. **Citizenship Information:** Select your country of citizenship and country of residence from the dropdown menus provided.
  - a. If applicable, enter your national identification number and any additional countries in which you hold citizenship.
  - b. To select multiple countries, hold down the CTRL (PC) or Command (Mac) button when selecting options.
  
5. Click *Continue* to save your responses and advance to the next section.

## Contact Information

Enter all required contact information. Please review country-specific guidance to determine whether you must provide additional information

1. **Address:** Select the country where you live from the dropdown list first when entering your permanent address (i.e. physical address where you live).
  - a. Based on your country selection, the subsequent fields will change to match the address format of that country.
  - b. Complete the remaining address fields. Do not use accents or special characters.
  - c. Select 'yes' or 'no' to indicate if your current mailing address (i.e. the address where you receive mail) is the same as the permanent address you entered above. *They do not have to be the same.*
    - If you answer 'no,' then a second address section will appear where you may enter your mailing address information.
    - If you answer 'yes' to this question, proceed immediately to the next section.
  
2. **Telephone Numbers:** Enter your **contact phone numbers** as appropriate. **Include the country code(+886)**. If the field turns red, please review the numbers that you have entered to look for any errors. To find the correct country code, click on the blue 'country code' link
  
3. **Email:** The email address used to create your account will appear in the primary email address field and will not be editable. You may provide an Alternate/Secondary Email that can be used to contact you if Fulbright Program officers cannot reach you via your primary email address. **Note:** All system-generated emails will continue to go to your primary email address.
  
4. **Emergency Contact Information:** Entering emergency contact information is not required unless directed by the country-specific instructions. If you would like to provide emergency contacts in your home country, please enter the appropriate information. The individuals you list may be contacted in the event of an emergency while you are participating in grant activities, including any required travel for interviews in your home country. You may also enter emergency contact information for individuals in the United States.
  - a. When entering the address, choose the country that corresponds to your emergency contacts' address first and the following fields will update to match the address format of the selected country.
  
5. Click *Continue* to save your responses and advance to the next section

## Academic & Professional Information

This section collects information about your academic and professional background, including your curriculum vitae/resumé, academic degrees, professional experience, organizational memberships, letter of support from home institution, experience abroad, and previous Fulbright grants, if applicable.

Prepare and upload documents in **PDF format** as required (\*). Note any page limits and ensure your documents do not exceed page limits.

1. **Curriculum Vitae/Resume:** Upload your curriculum vitae/resumé in PDF format that **does not exceed six (6) pages**.

**Note:** If your file exceeds 6 pages, an error message will appear on the Review page and will prevent submission of your application.

\*請在此上傳英文履歷表。請勿超過 6 頁，內容可包含以下項目（若無，則無需列出）

- a. Click *Browse*
- b. Locate and select the file that you previously saved to your computer
- c. Click *Open*
- d. Click *Upload* to complete the file upload

Curriculum Vitae/Resume\*

The curriculum vitae/resume describes academic credentials and demonstrates a record of scholarly achievements. When composing a curriculum vitae/resume, it is important to include:

- Education (universities attended, degrees earned and dates received)
- Professional positions held
- Courses taught and other services provided to students and the home institution
- Publications (provide full citations and list them starting with the most recent)
- Other professional activities, such as workshops, seminars and consultations
- Membership and activities in professional associations
- Professional honors, awards and fellowships
- Community service

The area below asks for similar information, but provides limited space for answers. In the curriculum vitae, you should expand upon these topics to display more completely your accomplishments. It is strongly recommended that you upload in PDF format.

<b>Curriculum Vitae/Resume</b>	Please upload a document that does not exceed six (6) pages.	The following files have been uploaded:
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 11/15/2023 - VS CV.docx - 1 page(s) <a href="#">Preview</a> <a href="#">Delete</a></li> </ul>

**Academic Background:** List all post-secondary educational institutions from which you have received a degree or academic credential in reverse chronological order. You **MUST** include any education institutions

you are currently attending (even if you have not yet completed your educational program) and estimated date of graduation/completion.

\*僅列出大學(含)以上及目前正在就讀的學歷，並依時間順序由最新到最舊填寫。若為五專生插大，請列出專四至專五學歷及大學以上學歷。短期課程可於履歷中註明即可。

請勿填寫中文，中文字會變成亂碼。

- d. Click *Add New Academic Background*
- e. Type in the name of the institution
- f. Choose the level of study (graduate or undergraduate) from the dropdown menu
- g. Select the country where the institution is located from the dropdown menu
- h. Enter the appropriate city and region/state
- i. Provide the website of the institution (optional)
- j. Select the U.S. equivalent of the degree or diploma earned (e.g., BA – bachelor’s degree)
- k. If relevant, provide the actual name of the degree or diploma (e.g., license)
- l. Enter the discipline in which this degree or diploma was earned
- m. Select the month and year of the date this degree was received (Month – Year format) from the drop-down menu
- n. If a degree is in progress, list expected date of conferral for Date Degree Received.
- o. Click *Save*.

**Academic Background** [X]

Institution \*

Level of Study \*

Institution Location (all address fields are required) \*

Country \*

City \*

State \*

Website

Name of Diploma or Degree Equivalent \*

Actual Name of Degree or Diploma

Discipline \*

Date Degree Received \*

If a degree is in progress, list expected date of conferral for Date Degree Received.

2. To add additional entries for post-secondary educational institutions, click *Add Academic Background* and follow the bulleted instructions above.
3. **Relevant Employment History:** List your current professional affiliation or employer by clicking *Add Professional Profile*
  - a. Choose the role which most closely corresponds to your current role from the dropdown menu
  - b. If you are an **independent/unaffiliated scholar**, check the box underneath the Current Role field. The Institution Name and Department Name fields will disappear after the box is checked
  - c. Enter your current position title (e.g. Professor, Assistant Professor, etc.)
  - d. Enter the name of the institution and, if relevant, the department where you are currently employed
  - e. Enter the start and end dates for the position you entered (Month-Year format). If you are currently employed in this role, leave the End Date fields blank.
  - f. Select the country where your current place of employment is located from the dropdown menu. Enter in the street address, city, state/region, and post code as applicable
  - g. Click *Save*

**Relevant Employment History**

Current Role \*

Are you an independent/unaffiliated scholar? \*

Position Title \*

Institution Name \*

Department Name

If you are currently employed, please leave the End Date field blank.

Start Date \*

End Date

**Institution Address**

Country

Street

City

4. If you have more than one current position or to add previous employment, click *Add Professional Profile* and follow the instructions above.
5. List your most significant professional accomplishments, honors and awards, and **up to three significant publications** in the text box.

- a. List **no more than five accomplishments, honors, or awards**
  - b. Separate each entry with a semicolon (;)
  - c. **700-character limit**
6. **Organizational Memberships:** List up to four professional memberships in cultural, educational, and professional organizations.
  - a. Select the number of Organizational Memberships you'd like to add (**up to 4**)
  - b. Enter the name of the organization
  - c. If you held an elective office in the organization, enter the name of your role (e.g., Treasurer)
  - d. Enter the start and end dates (Month-Year format) that correspond with your membership in this organization.
    - ✦ If you are still an active member, leave the End Date blank. e. Click *Save*

7. **Letter of Support from Home Institution:** If required by your country-specific instructions, upload a PDF file of your letter of support/confirmation of leave from your home institution, confirming your ability to participate in a Fulbright award.
 

\*請列印本申請說明文件之最後一頁「最高行政主管同意函」，提交予人事單位或最高行政主管簽署或加蓋印章，並於此處上傳完成文件。

- a. Click *Choose File*
- b. Locate and select the file that you previously saved to your computer
- c. Click *Open*

Letter of Support from Home Institution

As directed in your country-specific instructions, please upload a letter of support/leave from your home institution, confirming your ability to participate in a Fulbright award for the time frame you are proposing.

**Letter of Support**      Please upload any letters of support/leave from your home institution.       No file chosen

8. **Experience Abroad:** List any professional travel and/or residence abroad that **exceeds three (3) months**, including any stays in the United States, during the **last six years**.

\*請列出最近六年內曾於台灣以外國家停留超過三個月之經驗；如曾持美國 J-1 或 J-2 簽證入境，請註明當時之簽證類別（即 DS-2019 表上所載之 Category）。

- a. Click *Add New Experience Abroad*
- b. Select the country in which you spent your professional travel and/or residence abroad from the dropdown menu provided
- c. Select the start and end dates (Month-Year format) of your travel/residency
- d. Enter the purpose of your travel abroad
- e. Click *Save*

Experience Abroad ×

Please note: We are requesting a list of experience abroad only for the past ten years.

Country \*

Start date: \*

End date: \*

Purpose of Travel Abroad: \*

- f. If you have more than one trip abroad to enter, click *Add New Experience Abroad* again, and follow the bulleted instructions until all entries have been saved.

9. Select 'yes' or 'no' to indicate if you have previously entered the United States on a J-1 or J-2 visa
  - If 'yes', you are required to select the J category of sponsorship from the list and upload a copy of your previous DS-2019. *If you have participated in a J-1 or J-2 visa exchange program in the*

*Professor or Research Scholar categories, please check with your Fulbright Office to confirm you are eligible to apply for the program at this time.*

\*若曾持有 J-1 或 J-2 簽證，且類別為 Professor 或 Research Scholar，請務必確認該次計畫結束日期與您本次預計之獎助金起始日之間，是否相隔至少 24 個月。

10. Select 'yes' or 'no' to indicate if you have previously been awarded a Fulbright grant.

- If 'yes', indicate the number of prior Fulbright awards you have received (**up to four**).

Then,

- Select the Fulbright award type from the dropdown menu provided (e.g., Fulbright FLTA, Fulbright Foreign Student, etc.)
- If you select "Other (please specify)", enter in the name of the Fulbright grant that you received in the "Other, please specify" field
- Select the academic year that corresponds to the year in which you received the Fulbright grant.

**Previous Fulbright Grant(s)**

Have you previously been awarded a Fulbright grant? \*

Yes ▾

If you have previously been awarded a Fulbright grant, please list the grant(s) below.

Please select how many Previous Fulbright Grants you would like to add. \*

1 ▾

**Award 1**

Award Type \*

▾

Previous Grant Year \*

▾

If you are an alumnus of the Fulbright Scholar program, please provide a brief justification as to why you should be considered for another Fulbright Visiting Scholar award. (This question does not apply if your previous Fulbright award was through the Fulbright Foreign Student or Foreign Language Teaching Assistant (FLTA) Programs.)

11. If you are applying for another Fulbright Scholar Opportunity, please provide justification as to why you should be considered for another award in the text box.

\*若您是傅爾布莱特學友，請在此說明再次申請的理由。

12. Click *Continue* to save your responses and advance to the next section

## Language Skills

This section collects information about your native language, English language skills, and any additional languages that are relevant to your project proposal.

### Language Skills

Questions marked with an asterisk (\*) are required of all applicants for submission. Please review country-specific guidance to determine whether unmarked questions are required.

**Native Language**

Please indicate your native language or mother tongue; if not listed, please select "Other" and enter.

Native Language \*

**Additional Language Skills**

Please list any additional languages that may be of use for your project proposal. Rate your proficiency as Native, Advanced, Intermediate, Beginner or No Ability.

How many additional languages would you like to indicate experience in?

Save and Continue

1. **Native Language:** Select your **native language** from the dropdown menu provided.
2. **English Language Proficiency:** If your native language is not English, a section collecting your English language proficiency will appear.
  - Rate your English language proficiency in Reading, Writing, and Speaking. Select Native, Advanced, Intermediate, Beginner or No Ability from the dropdown menus as appropriate.
3. **Additional Language Skills:** Select the number of additional languages that you would like to include that may be of use for your project or study plans.
  - Select the language you are reporting from the dropdown menu and rate your proficiency in Reading, Writing, and Speaking. Select Native, Advanced, Intermediate, Beginner or No Ability from the dropdown menus as appropriate.

Click "Continue" to save and move to the next section.

## Plagiarism Agreement

1. Carefully review the Plagiarism Agreement and indicate your acceptance of the terms by selecting 'Yes' or 'No'.

Plagiarism in any part of your application will result in your disqualification from participating in the Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program.

Plagiarism will be understood to include any of the following:

Presenting wording, statistics or concepts as your own which should be attributed to someone else or to publications (online or offline). This includes, but is not limited to:

- Copying the exact wording of a written source (with or without citation)
- Presenting material with alterations in wording (with or without citation)
- Paraphrasing the content of a source without citation

\*請仔細閱讀整份聲明，確認已完全理解其內容後，勾選方框表示您已閱讀並充分了解其意涵。

### **What is Plagiarism?**

Plagiarism is using someone else's words, ideas, or research as your own without crediting the source.

### **How to Avoid Plagiarism**

- **Cite** – Citations should be included whenever referencing another individual's work, whether paraphrasing or quoting.
- **Citations** usually include the author(s) and the date of the publication or similar information.
- **Quote** citations usually include the author(s) and the page number, or paragraph number in the case of web content.
- A **reference** page or page of works cited at the end of your essay should include the author(s), date of publication, title, and source.

To cite correctly, follow a commonly used document formatting guide, such as [APA](#), [MLA](#) or [Chicago](#). Not citing properly can lead to an allegation of plagiarism.

- **Paraphrase** - Read the source text you would like to reference in your essay and put it into your own words, making sure not to copy the work verbatim. If you use text as written in the original, you must use quotation marks. Citations for paraphrased work must be included.
- **Quoting** - If quoting a source, use the quote exactly as it appears in the original work. It is important to note that most higher education institutions discourage "block quotes" or quotes of 40 words or more. Quoting should be done whenever using someone else's text as written and must be cited to avoid plagiarism allegations.

### **What is Common Knowledge?**

You do not need to cite a source for material considered common knowledge. Note that common knowledge can change depending on your culture and geographic location. If you are ever in doubt, always cite the source.

**General common knowledge** is factual information that most people know or can easily find in a number of sources. This can include birth and death dates of well-known figures, and generally accepted dates of political, literary, and other historical events.

**Field-specific common knowledge** is “common” only within a particular field or specialty. It may include facts, theories, or methods that are familiar to readers within that discipline.

### **Self-citation**

When it comes to a researcher’s own work, attribution is necessary to avoid self-plagiarism or duplicate plagiarism. Such attribution is called self-citation, an act of academic integrity when expanding on previous research or referring to previously published work.

### **Policies on the use of generative artificial intelligence (GenAI)**

Some U.S. universities and colleges have developed and published policies on the use of generative artificial intelligence (GenAI) on applications for admission or affiliation with their institution. Some institutions may scan applications for the use of language produced by GenAI.

While individual institutional policies range widely and policy responses from U.S. universities will continue to evolve, copying language/content produced by GenAI directly into your application may negatively impact admission or affiliation decisions.

It is expected that your responses to all questions in the following application will be your own work and writing, with clear citation of secondary sources if describing academic work and the writing of others (including one's own previously published work). Any sources used in the construction of your responses must be clearly cited.

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2. Click *Continue* to save your responses and advance to the next section.

## Project Proposal

This section collects information about your proposed project. Please carefully review country-specific guidance to determine if you must submit any additional documentation.

1. Select the category of grant for which you are applying.
  - a. If you select **Research**, you must upload a **Bibliography**
  - b. If you select Teaching/Research, you must upload a Bibliography and Course Syllabus
  - c. If you select Teaching, you must upload a Course Syllabus
  
2. **Project Statement:** Enter your **Project Title** in the Project Title field. The project title must be in English. Make sure it is written in AP style: no abbreviations, not all caps; all words of four or more letters should be capitalized, no Oxford commas.
  
3. **Brief Summary of Project Proposal:** Enter a summary of your Project Proposal in the text box **(maximum of 700 characters)**
  
4. **Project Statement Uploader:** Upload a detailed project statement of **three (3) to five (5) pages** in **PDF format**
  - a. Click *Choose File*
  - b. Locate and select the file that you previously saved to your computer
  - c. Click *Open*

\* 請使用以下格式撰寫您的 Project Statement，包括列出各項名稱並請用粗體標之。

### **Background**

Introduce the research topic. Place the project in academic or professional context by referring to major works by others on the subject.

### **Objectives:**

Clearly define the aims of the project.

### **Methodology:**

Describe the project. Explain the approach, methods and plan you will use (for example, interviews, library or archival research, or laboratory experiments). Indicate whether the proposed research is quantitative or qualitative.

### **Significance:**

Explain the importance of the project for the field, your home country and your own professional development. Indicate what effect you expect the opportunity to have on your teaching or professional work in your home country. (For example: new approaches to curriculum planning, student advising or pedagogy; expanding knowledge in the field through collaboration with U.S. colleagues). **Describe briefly the expected impact of your participation on your home institution, community or professional field.**

**Evaluation and Dissemination:**

Describe plans for assessment and distribution of research results in your home country and elsewhere. Justification for Residence in the United States for the Proposed Project: **Indicate why it is necessary to conduct the research onsite in the United States.**

**Duration:**

Explain how the project can be completed within the time period proposed.

**English Proficiency:**

Describe your schooling in English, use of English and competence level in speaking, reading and writing.

**Other:**

If applicable, indicate the quantity, format and transportation requirements for any botanical, zoological or mineral samples that you will need to bring to the United States for analysis.

5. **Bibliography:** If you selected Research or Teaching/Research category of grant, you will be prompted and required to upload a **Bibliography of one (1) to three (3) pages of references relevant to the proposed research in PDF format** following the instructions above.
6. **Course Syllabi:** If you selected Teaching/Research or Teaching category of grant, you will be prompted and required to upload **Course Syllabi of up to ten (10) pages** for courses you either propose to teach or have taught in **PDF format** following the instructions above.
7. **Academic Discipline:**
  - Select the most appropriate major academic discipline for your project from the dropdown menu.
    - a. Select the most appropriate primary specialization from the dropdown menu.
    - b. Enter a brief description of the area of the field in which you plan to specialize/conduct research in the United States in the text box.
      - Some fields (for example, Arts) will ask you if you'd like to upload portfolio materials as part of your application. Select 'yes' or 'no'
      - If you select 'yes,' you will be directed to upload your materials on the next page. Please follow the upload instructions listed.
8. **Intended Grant Period:**
  - a. Select your proposed grant length (in months) from the dropdown menu
  - b. Enter your proposed grant start and end dates (Month-Day-Year format)

\* **Proposed Grant Length:** 文化部聯名獎助金所提供的獎助額度是3個月；其它獎助金所提供的獎助額度，最多10個月，最少3個月。所有獎助的簽證最多可申請12個月。此處所填入的資料為獎助額度。獎助開始時間不能早於申請日隔年8月1日，結束不能晚於再下一年度的8月31日。根據美國海關規定，您可在獎助開始前30天內入境，獎助結束後30天內須出境。此兩段30天的期限稱之 grace period。請勿將 grace period 算進獎助期限內，獎助也無法分段使用。

9. **Host Institutional Affiliation:** *Visiting Scholars are strongly encouraged to propose to work with no more than one host institution while the United States. This is to ensure that program participants have sufficient time to develop ties to their host institutions and communities, an integral part of the cultural and academic exchange component of Fulbright.* Indicate whether you have already made affiliation arrangements with a U.S. Host Institution by selecting 'yes' or 'no'

a. If 'yes', enter a primary, and, if applicable, a secondary (backup) host institution.

\*如果已經取得正式邀請函，請在此填入該訪問機構名稱，並上傳邀請函。請該單位寫明您的訪問時間（即您的獎助期限，不包含 grace period），包括月、日、年。

a. Enter Institution Name

b. Enter Name and Contact Information of the person at the Institution who will be your primary contact

c. Enter the address of the Institution

d. Indicate whether you have received a letter of invitation

e. Upload the Letter of Invitation (if available) by clicking *Choose File*, locate and select the file from your computer, click *Open*

f. Note: Letters of Invitation should be typed on institutional letterhead and signed. The letter should also contain the proposed grant dates and include day, month, and year for both start and end dates. Please see here a [checklist of Letter of Invitation components](#).

b. If 'no', and you are not required to arrange an affiliation before applying, list up to 3 host institution preferences in order of priority

a. Enter Institution Name

b. Enter Name and Contact Information of the person at the Institution who you have communicated with previously, OR the main contact for the department that you are interested in joining

c. Enter the address of the Institution

d. If you are in contact with the Institution, enter the date (Month-Day-Year form) of your initial contact

e. Enter a reason for the suggested affiliation

10. **Alternate Awards:** If the country you are applying through allows you to opt in to consideration for other awards offered through their country (refer to the Country Information Page for information), select "yes" and indicate those award names in the box provided.

11. Click *Continue* to save your responses and advance to the next section

## Grant and Travel Plans

This section gathers information on your personal finances, additional grants you may have applied to/received, passport, and accompanying dependents. Please note that these sections may not be required if you are from certain countries. Review country-specific information before completing.

1. **Financial Information:** Select 'yes' or 'no' to indicate if you have other sources of financial support during your Fulbright grant

\*若您目前正申請（或即將申請）國家科學及技術委員會（國科會）或教育部之獎助，或預計取得學校之留職留薪，請於此填寫相關項目及預估金額，並上傳相關文件。除國科會核定清單外，所有上傳文件皆須為英文版本；如暫無文件，請於申請當年度12月1日前以電子郵件寄送至 [fse@fulbright.org.tw](mailto:fse@fulbright.org.tw)

- a. If 'yes', select the number of other sources of funding you expect to receive
  - a. Enter Source Description (e.g., NSF grant)
  - b. Estimated Amount (in U.S. dollars)
  - c. The Other Funds Total field will automatically update based on the amounts provided above
  - d. Financial Support Documentation: Once you enter a number for additional sources of funding expected, upload supporting documentation by selecting *Choose file*, select the relevant file and click *Open*.

### Grant & Travel Plans

Questions marked with an asterisk (\*) are required of all applicants for submission. Please review country-specific guidance to determine whether unmarked questions are required.

#### Financial Information

Please refer to your country program for any special instructions for how to report your financial information. Please outline below any financial support you may receive during your Fulbright grant. All applicants must disclose any instances where they will be receiving financial support from a U.S.-based source during their program.

Do you expect to receive sabbatical pay, paid leave of absence, or other sources of financial support during your Fulbright grant?

Yes

How many other sources of funding do you expect to receive?

1

Please specify all amounts in U.S. dollars. Please enter total amounts for the expected grant period, rather than monthly amounts.

Source Description 1

Estimated Amount 1

Other Funds Total (\$)

#### Financial Support Documentation

Financial Support Documentation Please upload relevant documentation of any financial support you expect to receive.

The following files have been uploaded:

- 11/15/2023 - Financial Support Document.docx - 1 page(s) [Preview](#) [Delete](#)
- [Add Another](#)

- b. **Additional Grants:** Indicate if you are planning to apply for other sources of funding to supplement the Fulbright grant award in the text box (**1000-character limit**). Include the duration and amount for all funding.

#### Additional Grants

Indicate if you are planning to apply for, or have applied for and/or received, other sources of funding such as a fellowship, assistantship, or other educational grant or loan from another organization, government or educational institution. Include funding title, source, period of funding, and amount of funding for which you are applying, and if/how this project relates to Fulbright project. If additional funding is received after Fulbright application is submitted, please update Fulbright administration in your home country.

Include source and amount of funding for which you are applying. Maximum 1000 characters.

1. **Passport/Travel Document:** If required by your country-specific instructions, upload a copy of your passport or travel document by selecting *Choose File*.  
 \*請上傳您本人及所有隨行眷屬之護照影本（包含相片頁及簽名頁），且護照效期須至少超過您的獎助結束日期六個月以上。

2. **Accompanying Dependents:** If you wish to bring dependents and it is allowed by your country-specific program, select the number of dependents you intend to have accompany you in the U.S. (select 0 if you do not have dependents or your dependents will not accompany you the U.S.). If you are expecting a child to be born prior to undertaking your exchange, their information will be added later, do not include them at this time. Reach out to your program contact in your home country about any expected children so they can advise and assist.

\* 隨行眷屬係指配偶或未滿 21 歲之非美籍子女（以申辦簽證時之年齡為準；若於赴美期間將滿 21 歲，建議申辦簽證時勿申請 J-2 簽證，因年滿 21 歲後 J-2 身分將立即失效）。

\* 如眷屬持有美國護照，請勿於此填寫。

\* 隨行眷屬於美國之停留期間，不得早於或超過申請人預計執行計畫之期間。

\* 請上傳隨行眷屬於近五年內曾持有之 J-1 或 J-2 簽證，或當時申請簽證所使用之 DS-2019。

a. If you select 1 or more, you will be prompted to enter required information for each dependent, including relationship to you, name, date of birth, sex, country of citizenship, previously held U.S. J-1 or J-2 visa, and intended length of stay in the U.S. It is required to provide a separate email address for any accompanying spouse.

3. Click *Continue* to save your responses and advance to the next section.

## Additional Information

1. **Additional Documentation:** Use this section to upload any required additional documentation per your country-specific guidance.  
\* 請於此上傳中文履歷，並另行註明您的手機號碼、電郵地址及郵寄地址（含郵遞區號），以利後續聯繫及補件通知。
2. **Outreach Survey:** Complete the Outreach Survey.
3. **Outreach Lecturing Fund Question:** Please provide accessible, public-friendly subject areas that you would be comfortable speaking about if you are invited to participate in Fulbright's Outreach Lecturing Fund.
4. Click Continue to save your responses and advance to the next section

## Recommendations

Use this section to register your recommenders. Refer to your country-specific instructions for details on the required number of recommenders.

Once you register your recommenders, they will receive an automatic email with instructions on completing the online recommendation form. You can track the status of recommendations, send reminders, and add/delete recommenders through this system before **and** after submission of your application.

\*請填寫推薦人之英文姓名，勿填中文，以避免出現亂碼，並留意姓名順序。

\*如推薦人欲使用線上推薦，請依下方說明操作填寫。

\*如推薦人欲使用紙本推薦，請由推薦人自行將推薦信彌封，並於截止日前由推薦人或申請者寄送至本會。

1. Click *Add Recommender*
2. Complete all fields in the pop-up form:

**Add Recommender** [X]

Prefix [v]

First Name [ ]

Last Name [ ]

Institution [ ]

Position/Title [ ]

Relationship [ ]

Telephone [ ]

Email [ ]

Note: Applicants are encouraged to provide a professional email address for their recommenders (i.e. an institutional email address for a professor, a corporate email address for a supervisor) when possible. These messages may be mistakenly directed to junk mail or spam folders, in which case you may wish to follow-up with your recommender, or replace with a personal email address.

Personal message to recommender [ ]

You may include a personal message for your recommender here. If your program has a recommendation deadline, please use this message to communicate this deadline to your recommender.

3. Click *Send to Recommender* to generate automatic email to recommender
4. Click *Continue* to save your responses and advance to the next section
5. Once sent, you will have the option to Edit Recommender information if they have not yet started progress on their response and Save, Send Reminders, and Exclude if you wish to remove the recommender and replace with another individual.

## Signature

Certify that the information you provided in the application is true and complete by typing your full legal name in the Signature Box:

### Signature

By my signature,

- I certify that the information given in this application is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand that any misrepresentation or omission of information may be cause for disqualification.
- I understand that my application and supporting documentation will be reviewed by representatives in various offices, including the Fulbright Program Office through which I applied and its designated administrative agency, the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs/U.S. Department of State, and the Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.
- I understand that I am not entitled to hold, nor do I hold, U.S. citizenship or permanent residence.
- I understand that formal award of a grant is dependent upon my affiliation to an eligible U.S. institution and my eligibility for a visa to the United States.
- Upon completion of an authorized stay in the United States under the Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program, I agree to return to my home country for two (2) years to fulfill my [home residency requirement](#).

In place of your signature, please type your full legal name:

Date Signed: November 15, 2023

[Continue](#)

Click *Continue* to continue to the next page.

## Review

The application will review the responses entered and will display any incomplete questions and required attachments that are missing.

- If no errors appear, then your application is ready for submission.
- If any errors appear, correct or complete these sections and return to the Review section to determine if your application is ready for submission.

### **REVIEW ALL RESPONSES. CLICK SUBMIT APPLICATION.**

\*經檢查後，若無須更改的部分，請按下「**Submit Application**」。

**You will be able to download a PDF of your complete application following submission.**

\*完成遞交後，申請主頁中會有一個PDF頁面，顯示為你所有填寫並上傳好的資料。請將這個PDF檔完整列印出來。

\* 完成線上填寫後，亦需郵寄以下紙本資料至本會

1) 紙本部分包括:

- 完整列印出已在線上以英文填寫申請資料，包含：申請表、研究計畫、參考書目、英文履歷、中文履歷、最高行政主管同意函、預計在傅爾布萊特獎助期間使用之其他獎助證明、護照等資料)
- 英文推薦函三封（如推薦人已在線上填寫則可省略）

2) 收件地址:

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（視您申請何種獎項）

3) 截止日期: 每年10月31日 (以郵戳為憑)

4) 承辦人: 廖小姐 Andie Liao, 02-2388-2100 分機 #134 ; [fse@fulbright.org.tw](mailto:fse@fulbright.org.tw)

## Fulbright Scholar/ Professionals Program Leave Authorization Form 最高行政主管同意函

1. Name of the Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Home Institution Name and Location (City): \_\_\_\_\_

3. Instructions for Approving Administrator: Please complete the following sections and sign this form to certify the home institution's approval or disapproval of a 3 to 12-month leave of absence for the above applicant. Indicate the type of leave to be granted below. Return this completed form to the applicant in hard copy or via email prior to the application deadline so it can be submitted with the application. Please see our program website to learn more about our program at [www.fulbright.org.tw](http://www.fulbright.org.tw). We strongly encourage applicants and administrators to consult before completing this form.

The above applicant is employed by our institution. **If we and all other necessary parties agree to the proposed assignment, the following leave of absence will be approved** and the applicant will be released under the conditions checked below to accept a grant under the Fulbright Scholar/ Professionals Programs. A leave of absence must be granted to the applicant for him/ her to be eligible for Fulbright Programs.

Approve                       With Salary                       Without Salary

The above applicant is employed by our institution and **will not be granted a leave of absence**. Checking the box in this section will make the applicant ineligible to participate in Fulbright Programs.

Disapprove

Approving Administrative Official Signature/ Stamp

Note: This form must be completed and signed/ stamped by the highest chief administrator (e.g., President in University, Principal in School, Director of Museum, and so on) or the person who is officially authorized to grant a leave of absence and approve the appropriate salary arrangements for the institution in which the applicant is employed.

Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_