



FULBRIGHT GRANTS

for Visiting Lecturers and Research Scholars

Advanced Research and University Lecturing Awards in the United States, Academic Year 2012/13

The Fulbright Commission announces that grants will be available for Swedish scholars to lecture and/or conduct research in the United States during the 2012/13 academic year. The grants are intended for Swedish scholars who have already established affiliation with an American university or research center. Applications will be accepted in all fields. The competition is open to all scholars with a doctoral degree, irrespective of one's current academic rank. Applications are welcome from recent postdoctoral scholars to full professors. Scholars who have not yet completed their doctoral degree at the time of application must present evidence of completion of the degree prior to departure to the United States.

Preference will be given to applicants who plan to spend one academic year at an American university or research center and who have not visited the United States recently or extensively. The minimum period of stay in the United States is three months. Grants are not for the principal purpose of attending conferences. Fulbright awards cannot be awarded to individuals concurrently holding an "all-inclusive grant with travel," nor can they be awarded to recipients of grants from American organizations requiring its grantees to travel to the United States under their visa program number (such as awards from the U.S. Public Health Service for research at the Fogarty International Center). Scholars selected under the Fulbright Program will be issued visa documents under the Fulbright visa program number and must use those documents. Fulbright grants cannot be issued retroactively, and hence scholars must not have begun their research/lecturing project in the U.S. prior to their selection into the Fulbright program and preferably not before August 2012.

Eligibility:

- Doctoral degree or equivalent professional training or experience
- Affiliation with an American university or research center
- Fluency in English
- Swedish citizenship

Persons having dual citizenship with the United States or desiring or holding permanent residence in the United States are not eligible to apply for Fulbright awards.

Financial benefits:

- Grant of SEK 50,000
- Round-trip travel between Sweden and the United States
- Maximum baggage allowance of SEK 1,400
- Sickness and accident insurance

Application procedure:

The online application can be found on our website at www.fulbright.se. For further information call the Commission between 8:00 -16:30.

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