

SCHOLARSHIPS, ACADEMIC & EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

Faculty & professionals

1. Fulbright Visiting Scholar program:

Provides an opportunity to university professors to teach or conduct research in the U.S. for a period between 3 and 10 months.

- **App. Dates**: Program will open in November 2013 and deadline to receive apps will be in early Jan 2014.
- Travel dates: As of end of June/early July 2014 (for a period between 3 and 10 months)
- **Benefits:** Insurance, roundtrip ticket (for scholar and one dependent/should spend 80% of the grant duration), monthly stipend (to cover housing and living), miscellaneous allowances.

2. SUSI-Scholar program:

Provides an opportunity to university professors to spend 5-6 weeks in the U.S. to participate in an program that covers one of the following themes:

- 1. American Politics and Political Thought,
- 2. Contemporary American Literature,
- 3. Journalism and Media,
- 4. Religious Pluralism in the United States,
- 5. U.S. Culture and Society,
- 6. U.S. Foreign Policy.
- App. Dates: Program will open in November 2013 and deadline to receive apps will be in Jan 2014.
- Travel dates: As of end of June/early July (for a period between 5 and 6 weeks)
- **Benefits:** Insurance, roundtrip ticket (for scholar No/No dependents), stipend (to cover basic expenses), lodging (on campus), meals (or per-diem for food), books.

3. Humphrey program:

Provides an opportunity for mid-career professionals (30-50 years) to spend 10-11 months in the U.S. on a fellowship attending an academic program (courses/lectures) and have hands-on experience (workshops, site visits). Eligible fields are:

- 1. Agricultural and Rural Development,
- 2. Communications/Journalism,
- 3. Economic Development,
- 4. Educational Administration, Planning and Policy,
- 5. Finance and Banking,
- 6. Higher Education Administration,
- 7. HIV/AIDS Policy and Prevention,
- 8. Human Resources Management,
- 9. Law and Human Rights,
- 10. Natural Resources, Environment Policy and Climate Change,
- 11. Public Health Policy and Management,
- 12. Public Policy Analysis and Public Administration,
- 13. Substance Abuse Education, Treatment and Prevention,
- 14. Teaching of English as Foreign Language,
- 15. Technology Policy and Management,
- 16. Trafficking in Persons Policy and Prevention,
- 17. Urban and Regional Planning.
- App. Dates: Program will open in June 2014 and deadline to receive apps will be end of August 2014.
- Travel dates: As of end of July/early August 2015 (for a period of two Academic semesters/May2016)
- **Benefits:** Insurance, roundtrip ticket (for scholar No/No dependents), stipend (to cover lodging and living), other allowances.

4. Foreign Language Teaching Assistant (FLTA):

Offers an opportunity to study English teaching methodology and to work as Arabic language assistants for an academic year at a U.S. college or university. Program is open for graduates in English and in journalism as well.

- **App. Dates**: Program will open in August 2014 and deadline to receive apps will be end of September 2014.
- **Travel dates:** summer 2015
- **Benefits:** Insurance, roundtrip ticket (for scholar No/No dependents), stipend (to cover lodging and living), other allowances.

Other Opportunities are also Available!

Check the U.S Embassy website at: http://lebanon.usembassy.gov/scholarships.html

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