



## Fulbright English Teaching Assistantship

An English Teaching Assistantship (ETA) places a Fulbright award recipient in a classroom abroad to assist in teaching English to non-native English-speakers. ETAs help improve foreign students' English language abilities and knowledge of the U.S. while advancing their own language skills and knowledge of the host country. The age and academic level of classroom students varies by country, ranging from kindergarten to university level. ETAs may also pursue individual study/research plans while teaching.

Applicants for ETAs can only apply to one country. **Program length is six months to one year.** Fulbright ETAs are usually integrated into the host community and placed outside capital cities in regions that have few English speakers.

### Grant benefits for all Fulbright U.S. Student grants include:

- round-trip transportation to the host country;
- funding for room, board, and incidental costs, based on the cost of living in the host country; and
- Accident & Sickness Health Benefits

### Eligibility

#### Competitive Applicants:

- must be U.S. citizens at the time of application. Permanent residents are not eligible;
- must have bachelor's degrees/the equivalent before start of the grant. In the creative & performing arts, four years of professional training and/or experience meets basic eligibility requirement;
- must be in good health (grantees are required to submit a Medical Certificate from a physician); and
- must have sufficient proficiency in the host country's written and spoken language to communicate with the people and to carry out the proposed study/research.

### Selection Criteria

- Academic and professional record
- Language skills
- Ambassadorial potential

### Application Deadline:

- The Fulbright Program Adviser (Dean Almeida) will set a campus application deadline for Stonehill students, which is typically 4-6 weeks earlier than the final **October deadline**.

### Additional Information

- Visit: <http://exchanges.state.gov/us/program/fulbright-english-teaching-assistant-program>

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