Educational Opportunities
Graduate Studies in the US
through the
William J. Fulbright
Hubert H. Humphrey Programs
"Fostering leadership, learning and empathy between cultures was and remains the purpose of the international scholarship program."

Senator J. William Fulbright
The U.S. Government’s flagship international exchange program

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Approximately 1,600 U.S. students and 3,000 foreign students receive Fulbright scholarships each year.

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• Established in 1978

• Initiated by Senator and Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey

• Brings outstanding midcareer professionals from developing and emerging countries to the U.S. for one year.

• Fellows participate in academic study and gain professional experience.
Fields of study

- Natural and Social Sciences
- Agriculture
- Engineering
- Business
- Public Administration
- Public Health Policy
- Literature and Languages
- Psychology
- Library Science
- Educational Research
- Law
- Theater/Dance
Student Program

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

• Undergraduate degree
• Minimum of one year professional experience in the field of study
• Strong leadership skills
• Suitable level of English proficiency (minim. 550 paper based, 80+ internet based TOEFL)
• Albanian citizenship
Scholar program

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

• PhD/ Master's Degree or equivalent professional training or experience
• Minimum of five years' lecturing or research experience in the proposed field
• Demonstrated research ability
• Suitable level of English proficiency (minim. 550 paper based, 80+ internet based TOEFL)
• Albanian citizenship
Humphrey Program

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

• Undergraduate Degree
• Five years' substantial professional experience
• Demonstrated leadership skills
• Suitable level of English proficiency (minim. 550 paper based, 80+ internet based TOEFL)
• Albanian citizenship
Fields of Study

- Communications/Journalism
- Public Administration
- Economic Development
- Agricultural Development
- Prevention of Trafficking in Persons and Policy
- Drug Abuse Education, Treatment and Prevention
- HIV/AIDS Policy and Prevention
- Natural Resources/Environmental Management
- Finance and Banking
- Human Resource Management
- Law/Human Rights
- Urban and Regional Planning
- Technology Policy and Management
- Educational Planning and Administration
- Public Health Policy and Management
- TEFL (teacher training or curriculum development)
Financial Package

• Tuition
• Monthly maintenance allowance
• One round trip international travel
• Medical Insurance
Length of Study

- One to two academic years for the Fulbright Student Program
- Three to six months for the Fulbright Scholar Program
- Ten months for the Hubert H. Humphrey Program
Program Requirement

• 2-year home residency
Application process

• Announcement
• Submitting Applications
• Screening Applications
• Interviews
• Official Tests
• Final selection by FSB
Important Parts of the Application

- Study objectives
- Personal statement
- Test Scores
Required Documents

- On-line application (courtesy printed copy)
- Confidential Letters of Reference (use the format provided for each application)
- Curriculum vitae
- Medical forms (for finalists only)
- Copy of your passport
Required Documents (continued)

• Translated and xeroxed copy of university/ MA/ Doctorate diploma and transcripts
  – Duplicate copy of transcripts for the Student Program is required

• Translated and xeroxed copy of certificates received

• Copies of official TOEFL/GRE/ GMAT scores

• Letter from employer confirming employment and placement upon return
Apply on line:

Student Program
http://foreign.fulbrightonline.org/fulbrightpage.html

Scholar Program
https://apply.embark.com/student/fulbright/scholars

Humphrey Program
http://embark.com/student/humphrey/fellowship
Application Deadline

May 25, 2013, 17:00

Mail full application package to:
Fulbright Program
U.S. Embassy
Rruga Elbasanit, 103
Tirana
Test Centers

• **TOEFL** test (internet based) is administered at:
  – Lincoln Center
  – ETS Center (near Petro Nini Luarasi School)
  – Inkus School
  – Harry T. Fultz School

• **GRE** test is offered, paper based,
  – ETS Center (near Petro Nini Luarasi School)
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