



U.S. Embassy in Barbados,
the Eastern Caribbean, and the OECS

Fulbright Foreign Student Program for Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean

Applicants should possess either a first or second class honor's Bachelor's degree, and wish to pursue Master's or Ph.D. studies at accredited universities in the United States.

ELIGIBILITY:

- First-class honors or upper-second class honors Bachelor's degree.
- Must be a citizen and resident of any of the Eastern Caribbean islands comprised of: Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Dominica, Grenada, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia and St. Vincent and the Grenadines.
- Must not be a "green card" (alien registration cards) holder or residing in the U.S.A.
- Must not be currently enrolled at, or pursuing studies at a U.S. university.
- Recipients must return to the Eastern Caribbean on completion of studies in the United States.
- Applicants are required to take the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT), based on their intended field of study and they must submit their GRE or GMAT scores along with their applications to be considered for interview.

Fulbright Scholars are subject to the two-year home-country foreign residency requirement. This rule mandates that upon completion of their studies all Fulbright Scholars must return to their home country for two years. Scholars within the two-year period are not prohibited from traveling to the United States but may be ineligible for certain employment-based or family-based visas until the foreign residency requirement is satisfied.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Qualified applicants must submit their applications online at <https://apply.iie.org/ffsp2021> no later than June 30, 2020 (see "Application Documents" within sidebar of this page).

Three (3) letters of recommendation are also required (electronically or hardcopy). At least two (2) of the letters should be from academics who can attest to the quality of the candidate's university study and academic potential. The recommendation letter should be confidential and if submitted as a hardcopy,

contact the Public Affairs Section of the U.S. Embassy Bridgetown via email at bridgetownexchanges@state.gov.

Transcripts of university studies showing grades, certified copies of all university diplomas, and hardcopy letters of recommendation must be addressed to:

Fulbright Foreign Student Program
Public Affairs Section
U.S. Embassy Bridgetown
Willey Business Park
Willey
St. Michael
Barbados

All completed applications must be electronically submitted. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applications will be reviewed and all applicants notified after June 30, 2020 by the Public Affairs Section.

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The Fulbright LASPAU Faculty Development Program

2022 academic year of study

Applications open: Monday, February 1, 2021

The Fulbright Latin American Scholarship Program of American Universities (LASPAU) also known as the Fulbright Faculty Development Program provides grants to individuals from Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean to enable them to pursue graduate studies in the United States. Grants are awarded for Master's and PhD programs in a variety of fields of study.

Fields of Study

Applications are accepted in a variety of fields of study with the exception of Medicine, Nursing and Dentistry.

Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants must be citizens and residents of one of the following countries:
- Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Dominica, Grenada, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and Grenadines
- Applicants for master's degree programs must have a first degree at the Bachelors level.
- Applicants for PhD programs must have a master's degree.
- All applicants must take the GRE and submit their scores with their applications.
- Applicants must not currently be enrolled in graduate studies.
- Applicants must be faculty or staff of higher educational institutions in the Eastern Caribbean.

Application Process

The application will be accessible through the Fulbright page on LASPAU's website:

<https://www.laspau.harvard.edu/fulbright>

The direct link is: <https://laspau.tfaforms.net/183>.

Applicants should go to the "How to Apply" tab and click on the Apply Now button.

Please see Application Guidance [here](#).

Visit the following link for the required supplemental Fulbright application forms (required forms for candidates and nominees, the letter of recommendation form, the nominating institution verification form, and an instruction document on submitting an application) <https://laspau.force.com/placementresources/s/article/Supplemental-Application-Forms-for-Fulbright>

View checklists of required documents here – [CHECKLISTS OF REQUIRED DOCUMENTS](#)

Application deadline: Saturday, May 1, 2021.

Standardized Testing

- Most American graduate programs require Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores from applicants. For information regarding examination content and testing dates please visit the [GRE website](#).
- Prospective Fulbright scholars who wish to pursue a Master of Business Administration must take the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT). For further information please visit the [GMAT website](#).

Accreditation

- Fulbright Scholars must attend accredited institutions. Please consult the [Database of Accredited Post Secondary American Institutions and Programs](#).

Foreign Residency Requirement

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For further information please contact Embassy Bridgetown via email, or call staff assistant Lisa Howell at 246-227-4354.

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