



ANNOUNCEMENT

THE FULBRIGHT CHAIRS IN U.S. UNIVERSITIES

The Fulbright Commission in Brazil is pleased to announce the submission period for the Fulbright Chairs in the U.S. opens on August 1st, 2017. These professorships recognize Brazilian faculty members and researchers who have established a record of teaching and exhibit the potential to make significant contributions to the body of research critical to a wide range of disciplines strengthening cooperation between Brazilian and the following U.S. institutions.

U.S. University	Discipline	Submission Deadline
University of Nebraska, Lincoln	Agricultural Dev.	October 1 st , 2017
Emory University	Brazilian Studies	October 1 st , 2017
George Washington U.	Brazilian Studies	October 1 st , 2017
University of Massachusetts	Brazilian Studies	October 17 th , 2017
University of Texas at Austin	Brazilian Studies	October 1 st , 2017
University of Notre Dame	Democracy and Human Dev.	October 1 st , 2017
City University of New York	Global Cities	October 1 st , 2017
Rutgers, State U. of New Jersey	Global Health	October 1 st , 2017
Indiana University	Musicology	October 1 st , 2017

Fulbright together with the U.S. partner will award a one-semester grant in the fall term (September, 2018 to December, 2018) or in the spring term (January, 2019 to May, 2019) of the academic year to a researcher from a higher education institution in Brazil. The grantee will receive a maintenance stipend and funds to cover airfare and housing for one academic term to support research and/or teaching activities.

A general instruction package for each Chair is available at www.fulbright.org.br. Applications must be submitted in the online system until the respective deadline.

It is a unique opportunity to participate in the U.S. flagship educational exchange program and become a *Fulbrighter* for life.

Sincerely,

Luiz Valcov Loureiro, PhD
Executive Director
Fulbright Commission



CALL FOR PROPOSALS

FULBRIGHT VISITING SCHOLAR PROGRAM ON GLOBAL HEALTH AT RUTGERS, THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW JERSEY

The Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program on Global Health at Rutgers will give **one** award for a Brazilian scholar to spend one academic semester lecturing and researching at Rutgers. The grant will be awarded for the fall term (September to December 2018) or spring term (January to May 2019) in accordance with Rutgers calendar.

The Program is intended to foster teaching and/or research in the area of global health, broadly conceived. Candidates for the Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program shall submit a detailed proposal for teaching and/or research related to global health to be carried out during the fall 2018 term or the spring 2019 term. All proposals should also include the titles and brief outlines of two public lectures, which the candidate will deliver while in residence at Rutgers.

Teaching proposals should include a detailed syllabus for a 3h/week graduate or advanced undergraduate course on global health as conceived within one of the disciplines taught at the Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences (RBHS) division, the Rutgers School of Biological and Environmental Sciences (SEBS), or the Rutgers School of Arts and Sciences (SAS). **Research proposals** should include a detailed research plan, including timeline, expected resource needs, proposed research site or laboratory, and proposed Rutgers affiliation.

1. ELIGIBILITY

The candidate must demonstrate outstanding academic qualification and a record of professional experience along with intellectual production in the health professions, the sciences and/or the social sciences during the last ten years in the Brazilian arena. English language proficiency compatible with the proposed activities is a requirement. The candidate must hold a Brazilian passport and must have earned the doctoral degree before December 31, 2009. Dual Brazilian/U.S. citizens are not eligible.

Note: The candidate must stay in Brazil during the selection, affiliation and depart to U.S. This grant cannot be cumulated with any other similar grant with the same purpose.

2. FUNDING

The Program will award funding for one visiting scholar for a four-month period, as follows:

- US\$22,000 (twenty-two thousand U.S. dollars), for maintenance and international round-trip air ticket;



- Housing on Rutgers or near campus, as normally provided for international visiting fellows at the institution (up to US\$1200 per month);
- Limited health coverage through (ASPE – Accident and Sickness Program for Exchanges);
- Visa J-1 fee; and
- Access to the facilities and services of Rutgers, such as office space, and internet connection, laboratories, libraries and any other courtesies and amenities regularly provided to the academic community to ensure the success of the teaching and research activities undertaken by the scholar.

3. SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

The candidate must submit the online application form, available at <https://apply.embark.com/student/fulbright/scholars/>, **including the following documents, all in English:**

- Brazilian passport ID pages, and if the candidate has already received a J-1 visa, copy of the DS-2019 form and of the visa page from the passport;
- Resume (CV), no more than three pages;
- PhD certificate or diploma (can be in Portuguese);
- *Syllabus* of the proposed course and/or a research proposal;
- Bibliography;
- Title and brief abstract of one or more public lectures to be delivered at Rutgers
- Three letters of reference.

NOTE: In the online application form, in the field Special Award Name, please indicate “**Chair on Global Health**”.

4. SELECTION PROCESS

The Fulbright Commission will screen and select all valid applications. A peer review panel, nominated by the Commission, will assess candidates’ academic and professional qualifications and the relevance of their proposed courses and research projects. An interview may be required. The Fulbright Commission and the State University of New Jersey will nominate the selected candidate for final approval by the *J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board*. Preference will be given to candidates with no significant previous academic experience in the U.S.

5. TIMELINE

- **October 1st, 2017:** deadline for online applications submission;
- **December, 2017:** results of the selection process;
- **Fall term 2018 or spring term 2019:** activities at Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey.



6. INFORMATION

Additional information about the “**Fulbright Chair on Global Health**”:

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