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Announcing the Fulbright Foreign Student Program for 2025-2026

The U.S. Office of Palestinian Affairs is pleased to announce the opening of the Fulbright Foreign Student Program competition for 2025-2026. For over 75 years, the Fulbright Program has given hundreds of thousands of passionate and accomplished students, scholars, teachers, artists, and professionals of all backgrounds and fields the opportunity to study, teach and conduct research, exchange ideas, and contribute to finding solutions to important international problems. Fulbrighters live and learn together with people of different cultures and become part of a global network that fosters mutual understanding between nations, advances knowledge across communities, and improves lives around the world. After they return home, they join thousands of alumni serving as leaders in their communities, across the globe and in every field imaginable.

The Fulbright Foreign Student Program brings Palestinian graduate students, early-career professionals, and artists to conduct research and study in the United States. The award includes funding for tuition and required fees; a book, equipment, and travel allowance; a monthly stipend for room and board; and a limited health benefits plan. Please note that applicants may apply in most fields of study, including the humanities, social sciences, science, technology, and engineering. However, graduate programs with a clinical studies component, such as medicine and nursing, are not permitted.

The Fulbright Program also provides transformative cultural exchange experiences. As Fulbright participants, Palestinian students will have the unique opportunity to experience life in the United States and share their community's unique culture and traditions with Americans. Fulbrighters also have opportunities for personal and professional development, as well as the ability to conduct research and collaborate with colleagues at U.S. higher education institutions.

Participants will be selected through an open, merit-based competition in which leadership potential, academic excellence, and ability to adjust to life in the United States are all considered. Individuals may apply by following the online application instructions at:

<https://tinyurl.com/fulbrightwbgz>

Applicants must:

- Be a Palestinian resident of Gaza, Jerusalem, or West Bank.
- U.S. citizens or green card holders are not eligible to apply.
- Reside in West Bank, Jerusalem, or Gaza throughout the application, selection, and placement process.
- Hold a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution.
- Possess a strong academic background.
- Be proficient in English and/or able to attend a Long-Term English (LTE) program prior to the start of the study program.
- Have at least one year of professional work experience (after graduation).

Preference will be given to individuals who have little or no previous experience studying or living in the United States. Applicants of all backgrounds, including those with disabilities, are encouraged to apply.

The Fulbright Foreign Student Application deadline is May 5, 2024

For more information, call Amideast at 02-2408023 ext. 111