



קרן חינוך ארצות הברית - ישראל

صندوق التعليم الولايات المتحدة - إسرائيل

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Fulbright Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Israel for US Citizens

Academic years 2019/2020 – 2020/2021

We are looking for the brightest and most innovative scholars who aspire to research in Israel and join the Fulbright family.

Researchers who seeks to pursue research at Israeli institutions of higher education in **All Fields**. The grant, which will commence during the 2019-20 academic year

Up to two years - \$35,000 per academic year

Grantees are encouraged to seek additional funding from the host institution
Host institution must provide grantees with Post-doctoral status

Evaluation criteria:

Academic Excellence - Innovation - Leadership

Visit: <http://www.fulbright.org.il/program/2/23>

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"From day one being a Fulbright post-doctoral fellow in Israel has been a dream come true in so many ways! Professionally, this has been an opportunity to learn about my own passions and clarify my career goals while carrying out a research proposal that I developed and believe will make the world a better place. It is a pleasure to be in Israel surrounded by the extraordinary hospitality embedded in middle-eastern culture and in a society that embraces people of all religions, cultures, ethnicities, and nationalities. On a personal level I have made new friends and professional relationships that will endure for many years. Being abroad with my spouse and toddler has added a priceless dimension to the experience in a culture that treasures children and often feels like one big family."

Dr. Michel Wine, Post-doctoral Fellow 2018-19, Ben Gurion University



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Academic Excellence - Innovation - Leadership - the Fulbright Standards

Academic excellence is the primary criterion for the evaluation of candidates

Leadership qualities are an important evaluation criterion. Preference will be given to candidates who have not had substantial, recent professional experience in Israel.

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Possession of skills required to promote **mutual understanding** between the United States and Israel is an important evaluation criterion. Thus, in addition to describing the research planned, a post-doctoral project proposal should also provide a concise description of the broader cultural goals of a post-doctoral experience in Israel.

The Foundation reserves the exclusive right to determine, within the framework of applicable law and regulations, the qualitative standards for the evaluation of applications forwarded to it by the responsible agency in the United States. The Foundation is not under any obligation to provide the reasons for its decisions regarding the allocation of Fellowships.

The application deadline for Fellowships beginning in 2019-20 is August 1, 2018. The Fulbright Post-Doctoral Scholar Program is administered for the Department of State by the Council for International Exchange of Scholars (CIES). Details on the program and on submission of applications may be found on the [CIES website](#).

Those interested may also contact the CIES staff member responsible for the Middle East region for further information: Jessica O'Higgins Zanikos, MENA Regional Program Manager; telephone: +1.202.326.7821;
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Please contact Noa Turgeman at USIEF at NoaT@fulbrightl.org.il with any questions related to the financial contribution required by host institutions, or for assistance with identifying suitable host institutions or contacts. If you anticipate delays in obtaining the letter of invitation by the August 1 deadline, NoaT@fulbrightl.org.il

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