



**FULBRIGHT INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ALGERIAN STUDENTS
2012**

The International Fulbright Science and Technology Award for Outstanding Foreign Students provides talented students with an opportunity to pursue Ph.D. study at top U.S. universities. Sponsored by the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the U.S. Department of State, the Award is designed to be the most prestigious international scholarship in science and technology. This Award Program, an outcome of the 2006 U.S. University Presidents Summit co-sponsored by the U.S. Department of State and U.S. Department of Education, demonstrates the United States' commitment to welcoming top-notch future researchers and leaders to pursue serious scientific study and research at U.S. institutions.

International Fulbright Science and Technology Award recipients come from all regions of the world and engage in a wide-range of scientific inquiry. Recipients are chosen through a rigorous multi-tiered, merit-based selection process in their home countries followed by a field and discipline review by well-known U.S. academic leaders and researchers and final approval by the Fulbright Scholarship Board.

The Award recipients receive assistance in gaining admission to prestigious U.S. institutions and three years of fiscal support, which includes academic tuition and fee coverage, a monthly living stipend, book and supplies allowance, conference and research allowances, health and accident coverage, round trip airfare from home country to the United States, and specially tailored enrichment activities. Hosting U.S. institution are expected to provide support for the remaining expenses toward the completion of the Ph.D. J-1 visa sponsorship is granted for up to five years.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

To be eligible you must:

- Be a citizen of Algeria;
- Apply through the U.S. Embassy in Algiers; and
- Have completed study equivalent to a U.S. Bachelor's degree on or before August 2012. It is highly recommended that your prior degree study be in the same field of study, or a related field of study, for which you wish to pursue Ph.D. study.

You are ineligible if you:

- Are currently studying in the U.S.;
- Have received a previous Fulbright award; or
- Do not wish to pursue Ph.D. study in an eligible field.



APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Each applicant will be required to submit an online application at <https://apply.embark.com/student/fulbright/international/20/> along with all supporting documents. A complete application package, consisting of electronic and paper items, for each nominee should be forwarded to the Public Affairs Section, American Embassy Algiers no later than May 12, 2011. A complete application includes:

- A clearly written research objective
- A professional resume or curriculum vitae
- A Fulbright committee nomination advice form (completed by the Commission or Post)
- Three letters of reference (submitted electronically and attached to the online application or official paper copies sent by mail)
- Official (or scanned and attached to the online application; official paper transcripts should also be sent later) academic transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended
- Score reports (as soon as available; prior to U.S. screening committee review when possible).
- TOEFL or IELTS or other English language proficiency exam (for non-native speakers of English)
- General GRE exam (if tested prior to August 2011).

Note: For candidates in the following fields a GRE Subject Exam score report will also be needed: biology, biochemistry, cell and molecular biology, chemistry, computer science, mathematics, and physics.

Deadline to submit applications is May 12, 2011.

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