

## 2011 Funded Scholarship, Internship, Research and Visitor Programs in the U.S. for Slovaks.

Institution	Program name	Eligibility	Deadline	Program Type	Additional information
U.S. Embassy Public Affairs Cultural Section (DP)	Holocaust Teacher Training	high school social studies and history teachers	on-line application due March 31, 2011	One-week program on incorporating Holocaust Studies into high school curriculum. One or two teachers usually selected.	<a href="http://slovakia.usembassy.gov/ahovyvzvanapredkladanieziadosti.html">http://slovakia.usembassy.gov/ahovyvzvanapredkladanieziadosti.html</a>
American Fund for Czech and Slovak Leadership Studies	Young Leaders Program	young Slovaks and Czechs with at least five years of professional experience	deadline: March 31, 2011	Opportunity for young Czech and Slovak leaders in healthcare, education, and environmental protection.	<a href="http://www.afcsls.org/youngLeaders.html">http://www.afcsls.org/youngLeaders.html</a>
American Fund for Czech and Slovak Leadership Studies	Young Talents Program (Pilot Program)	high school students	deadline: March 31, 2011; decision: April 2011	<b>NEW PROGRAM</b> to motivate and support 10 gifted Czech and Slovak teenagers to apply and gain admission to the best American universities	<a href="http://www.afcsls.org/youngTalents.html">http://www.afcsls.org/youngTalents.html</a>
German Marshall Fund of the United States	Fellowship Programs	scholars, policymakers, journalists, and business leaders	selection process begins in spring 2011; consult German Marshall Fund about actual deadlines	The Marshall Memorial Fellowship for young American and European leaders is the flagship GMF fellowship program. Aim is to increase understanding and to build transatlantic networks among the political, media, business, and nonprofit communities.	<a href="http://www.gmfus.org/cs/grants_fellowships/fellowships/fellowship_programs">http://www.gmfus.org/cs/grants_fellowships/fellowships/fellowship_programs</a>
Slovak-American Foundation	Research Scholar Program	professors and academic researchers	deadline: April 1, 2011; decision: May 30, 2011	<b>NEW PROGRAM:</b> Fellowship for a professor or academic researcher to conduct an independent or collaborative research project in the U.S. for up to one year.	<a href="http://www.slovakamericanfoundation.org/">http://www.slovakamericanfoundation.org/</a>

Slovak-American Foundation	Professional Internship Program	university students and recent graduates	deadline: April 29, 2011; decision: May 30, 2011	<b>NEW PROGRAM:</b> All-inclusive; successful applicants receive scholarships for six-month or year-long internships in the U.S.	<a href="http://www.slovakamericanfoundation.org/">http://www.slovakamericanfoundation.org/</a>
U.S. Embassy Public Affairs Cultural Section (IF)	International Visitor Leadership Program	professionals 25-45 years old	April; by Embassy nomination only	Two- or three-week programs on specific themes in Washington, D.C., and two or three other cities. Participants meet counterparts and visit U.S. public and private sector organizations.	<a href="http://exchanges.state.gov/ivlp/ivlp.html">http://exchanges.state.gov/ivlp/ivlp.html</a>
Fulbright Commission	International Fulbright Science and Technology Award	outstanding students in the fields of science, technology or engineering	deadline: June 10, 2011	Three years of funding for students to pursue a Ph.D. at a U.S. university in the fields of science, technology or engineering. Extremely competitive. One Slovak chosen during past few years.	<a href="http://www.fulbright.sk">www.fulbright.sk</a>
Fulbright Commission	Fulbright Scholarship for Graduate Studies	graduates of Slovak higher education institutions with Master's degree	deadline: June 30, 2011	Ten months of non-degree study, Master's study or independent research at U.S. universities and institutions. All areas are eligible, except those in clinical medicine. Three or four students usually chosen.	<a href="http://www.fulbright.sk">www.fulbright.sk</a>
Fulbright Commission	Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship	individuals in the public, non-government and private sectors	deadline: September 8, 2011	Ten months of a non-degree study and related professional experience at U.S. institutions. The candidates must have at least 5 years of substantial and progressive professional experience in the respective field.	<a href="http://www.fulbright.sk">www.fulbright.sk</a>

Fulbright Commission	American Studies Summer Institutes	professionals from institutions of higher education; between 30 and 50 years old.	deadline: fall 2011	6-week multidisciplinary seminars on various aspects of U.S. society and institutions; seminars take place July – August. Extremely competitive.	<a href="http://www.fulbright.sk">www.fulbright.sk</a>
Fulbright Commission	Fulbright Awards for Research and Lecturing	candidates with PhD. or its equivalent	deadline: October 13, 2011	From three to six months for independent research and/or lecturing. Invitation letter from a host institution <u>must</u> be included in the application. All areas of research or lecturing are eligible except clinical medicine. Extremely competitive.	<a href="http://www.fulbright.sk">www.fulbright.sk</a>
Fulbright Commission	Ronald and Eileen Weiser Professional Development Award	professors and artists teaching at institutions of higher education	deadline: October 29, 2011	University of Michigan Weiser Center for Europe & Eurasia offers research/lecture opportunities. Applicants can propose projects in any field to cooperate with a faculty partner at the University of Michigan for a period of 3 to 4 weeks. One grant annually.	<a href="http://www.fulbright.sk">www.fulbright.sk</a>
Open Society Foundation	Secondary School Scholarship program	10th-grade students	deadline: November 2011	One-year scholarships to study at prestigious private secondary schools in the U.S. (1) American Secondary Schools for International Students and Teachers ( <a href="http://www.assist-inc.org">http://www.assist-inc.org</a> ), (2) Davis International Scholars Program.	<a href="http://www.osf.sk/en/Default.aspx?CatID=82&amp;GrantyId=18">http://www.osf.sk/en/Default.aspx?CatID=82&amp;GrantyId=18</a>