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ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an Irish Citizen, or E.U. citizen living in the Republic of Ireland for the last 3+ years
- Must be a current postgraduate student, current postdoctoral scholar, active researcher or a professional with 5 years relevant experience
- Must have a clear course of study in Geoscience or a relevant field
- Leadership qualities and potential are essential
- Must have a clear understanding of what it means to be a Fulbrighter
- Must not be a dual U.S.-Irish citizen, green card holder, or currently living in the U.S., or have extensive experience of studying or living in the U.S.

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If you meet the above criteria, please visit www.fulbright.ie to review further information and FAQs. Then fill out this Fulbright Inquiry Form.

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