# FULBRIGHT STUDY, RESEARCH, TEACH IN THE USA



# **FULBRIGHT-GSI AWARD**

The <u>Geological Survey of Ireland</u> (GSI), a division of the Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources, are supporting the Fulbright Commission in offering a unique opportunity for an Irish / E.U. postgraduate student or scholar to travel to the U.S. to study or research in all fields of Geoscience - this includes, but is not limited to, geological and marine mapping, geological processes, Earth observation, geohazards, groundwater, raw materials and minerals, public perception of Earth resources.

**AWARD APPLICATIONS OPEN: 31.08.2016** 

**AWARDS DEADLINE: 28.10.2016** 







**GEOSCIENCE** 

**STUDENT OF SCHOLAR** 

**IRELAND**→ **U.S.** 

**3-12 Month Period** 

For Irish/E.U. Citizens

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## **FULBRIGHT OPPORTUNITY IN GEOSCIENCE**

### **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, or active researcher
- 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.

### **HOW TO APPLY?**

If you meet the above criteria, please email awards@fulbright.ie stating:

- Your full name
- Area of study
- Where you intend to research or study
- How long you intend to research or study in the US. The allowable period for students is 4 months / 1 semester up to 1 year, and for scholars 3 months up to 1 year
- Home institution

We will then issue you the link to the online application system (Embark) and the guidelines.

#### All applications are due by 4pm Friday, October 28th, 2016

## **FUNDING DETAILS**

- Monetary grant, plus accident and emergency insurance, cultural and professional programming, and J-1 visa administration
- Student applicants can do a full PhD or Masters in the U.S. or portion of an ongoing Irish postgraduate degree, but will need to seek additional funding for subsequent years

#### ANYTHING ELSE YOU SHOULD KNOW?

All successful applicants must comply with the two-year home rule, which means that awardees will not be eligible for U.S. residency or a visa until the two-year home rule in Ireland is complete. Preference will be given to visiting researchers.