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FULBRIGHT FLTA AWARD

The Fulbright Foreign Language Teaching Assistantship (FLTA) Awards are grants for Irish citizens, or E.U. citizens resident in Ireland for 3+ years, to teach Irish and take classes at a U.S. college ~~in~~ over the course of ten months.

For all grants, the Fulbright Commission is seeking excellent applicants with strong leadership potential and a commitment to the ethos of being a Fulbrighter.

AWARD APPLICATIONS OPEN: 31.08.2016

AWARDS DEADLINE: 28.10.2016



**TEACHING IRISH
LANGUAGE**

**POSTGRADUATE
STUDENT or
PROFESSIONAL**

Ireland → U.S.

10 Month Period

For Irish/E.U. Citizens

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FULBRIGHT OPPORTUNITY TO TEACH IRISH

ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an Irish citizen or, alternatively, an E.U. citizen living in the Republic of Ireland for the last 3+ years.
- U.S.-Irish dual citizens, green card holders, or current U.S. residents are ineligible. Preference will be given to candidates who do *not* have extensive experience of the U.S.
- Must have a primary degree prior to departure
- Must have teaching experience or qualification
- Competency in the Irish language is essential
- Leadership qualities and potential are essential
- Must have a clear understanding of what it means to be a Fulbrighter

HOW TO APPLY?

If you meet the above criteria, please email awards@fulbright.ie to indicate your interest in applying. In your email please state:

- Your full name
- Qualifications and teaching experience
- Level of competence in the Irish language

We will then issue you the link to the online application system (known as Embark) and the Irish instructions for application.

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

FUNDING DETAILS

- Monetary grant to cover the ten-month grant period, plus accident and emergency insurance, cultural and professional programming, and J-1 visa administration.
- Successful applicants must be willing to accept placement at the U.S. institution offered. If the successful applicant turns down the offered placement, there will not be a second offer.
- This grant is sponsored by the Department of Arts, Heritage, Regional, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs and the Irish National Lottery.

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.