Situation as of February 15, 2024

2023-24 Fulbright Finland Foundation Grantees to the U.S.

ASLA-Fulbright Research Grants for Senior Scholars
for research

Hatavara, Mari
Finnish Literature
Narrating Serious Harm: A Narratological/Victimological Inquiry
Tampere University
University of Tennessee, TN
The grant is cost-shared with Tampere University
5 months, beginning January 2024

Parhi, Katariina
History of Psychiatry
Antisocial Personality in History
Tampere University
Harvard University, MA
The grant is cost-shared with Tampere University
3 months, beginning September 2023

Total grantees for ASLA-Fulbright Research Grants for Senior Scholars Program: 2

ASLA-Fulbright Research Grants for Junior Scholars
for post-doctoral research

Alakanen, Harry
Ancient Philosophy
Desire for the Good in Aristotle’s Philosophy of Action
Independent Scholar
University of Pittsburgh, PA
12 months, beginning August 2023
Huotari, Léa
Translation Studies
Translation as a Journalistic Tool
University of Turku
University of California, Berkeley, CA
*The grant is cost-shared with the University of Turku*
5 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for ASLA-Fulbright Research Grants for Junior Scholars Program: 2

**Fulbright Finland Travel Grants for Research Collaboration**
for a short research visit in the U.S.

Back, Philipp
Management Science
Geospatial Data and Artificial Intelligence for Sustainable Business Transformation
Aalto University, Espoo
University of Redlands, CA
4 weeks, beginning November 2023

Enroos, Rosi
Sociology and Social Work
Prisoners’ Families and Children
Tampere University
University of Oregon, OR
4 weeks, beginning September 2023

Hirvonen, Heidi
Economic and Social History
Education, Equality and Human Capital in Early 20th Century Finland
University of Helsinki
Massachusetts Institute of Technology MIT, MA
3 weeks, beginning November 2023

Mattola, Salla
Virology
Nuclear Reorganization During Infection
University of Jyväskylä
University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI; Cornell University, NY
7 weeks, fall 2023
Silvola, Kari  
Literature and Creative Writing  
In the Footsteps of Tom of Finland; From a Sad Young Man to a Gay Superhero  
University of Jyväskylä  
University of California, Los Angeles, CA; Tom of Finland Foundation, CA  
2 months, beginning October 2023

Total grantees for Fulbright Finland Travel Grants for Research Collaboration Program: 5

ASLA-Fulbright Pre-Doctoral Research Fellows  
for pre-doctoral research

Henttonen, Ulla  
International Security  
The Soothing Villain? Perception and Purpose of North Korea as a Threat to the United States  
Tampere University  
George Washington University, DC  
The grant is cost-shared with Tampere University  
6 months, beginning January 2024

Pietilä, Kaisa  
Political Science  
Negotiating Nature: Civil Servants and Experts as Makers of Politics  
Tampere University  
University of Washington, WA  
The grant is cost-shared with Tampere University  
12 months, beginning September 2023

Virtanen, Joosua  
Economics  
Visit to UC Berkeley: Research on Entrepreneurship and Innovation  
Hanken School of Economics, Helsinki  
University of California, Berkeley, CA  
The grant is cost-shared with Hanken School of Economics  
8 months, beginning September 2023

Total grantees for ASLA-Fulbright Pre-Doctoral Research Fellows Program: 3
Fulbright-KAUTE Foundation Award
for doctoral students, post-doctoral scholars and professionals in the fields of Business, Economics, and Technology. Program in cooperation with KAUTE Foundation

Mäkimattila, Mikael
Microeconomics
Microeconomics for Environmental Policy
Aalto University, Espoo
Massachusetts Institute of Technology MIT, MA
10 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for the Fulbright-KAUTE Foundation Award: 1

ASLA-Fulbright Graduate Grants
for graduate studies and doctoral research

Hakala, Olivia
Sociology
Completing a doctoral degree in Sociology in the U.S.
Graduate of University of Helsinki
Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, NJ
9 months, beginning August 2023

Kirjonen, Aino
Cultural History
Crossing Boundaries and Cultivating Citizens? Race and Gender in U.S. Colleges, 1890–1914
University of Helsinki
Yale University, CT
9 months, beginning September 2023

Puranen, Pauliina
Applied Linguistics
Language Ideologies in the National Core Curriculum of the Finnish Vocational Education and Training
University of Jyväskylä
University of Pennsylvania, PA
9 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for ASLA-Fulbright Graduate Grant Program: 3
Fulbright Finnish Language and Culture Teaching Assistants
for teaching Finnish and graduate studies

Salo, Ronja
Elementary Education
Finnish Language Teaching Assistant
Graduate of Tampere University
University of Washington, WA
9 months, beginning September 2023

Total grantees for Fulbright Finnish Language and Culture Teaching Assistant Program: 1

Fulbright Finland Undergraduate Grant
funded by the Finland-America Educational Trust Fund

Aaltonen, Miina
Political Science
Exchange studies in the U.S.
Tampere University
Adelphi University, NY
4 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for Fulbright Finland Undergraduate Grant Program: 1

Fulbright Distinguished Awards in Teaching
semester-long program for primary and secondary level educators

Kolehmainen, Maarit
English and French as a Foreign Language
Student Centered Approach in Language Learning and Teaching
The School of Jupperi, Espoo
Vanderbilt University, TN
5 months, beginning August 2023

Niskanen, Heidi
English and Swedish
Re-Centering Teaching: Motivating Students With Effective Teaching Methods
Juhani Aho School, Iisalmi
University of Rochester, NY
5 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for Fulbright Distinguished Awards in Teaching Program: 2
**Fulbright Finland Travel Grants for Institutional Partnership Building**
*for a short visit in the U.S.*

**Klemola, Liisa**  
Social and Health Care Informatics  
Savonia University of Applied Sciences, Kuopio  
Western Washington University, WA  
2-3 weeks, beginning November 2023

**Sjöblom, Tia-Maria**  
International Relations  
Institutional Partnership Building in the Field of Music, Design and Fashion  
Metropolia University of Applied Sciences, Helsinki  
Belmont University, TN  
Fall 2023

Total grantees for Fulbright Finland Travel Grants for Institutional Partnership Building: 2

**ASLA-Fulbright Mid-Career Professional Development Grants**  
*for professional development projects*

**Hietala, Heikki**  
Public Policy  
Digital Foreign Policy  
Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland, Helsinki  
Stanford University, CA  
Seeking Solutions for Global Challenges Award  
11 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for ASLA-Fulbright Mid-Career Professional Development Grants: 1

**Fulbright Finland Renewal Grants**  
*for continuing studies after the initial grant year*

**Asikainen, Antti**  
*Fulbright Finland Undergraduate Grant 2021-22*  
Physics  
Completing a bachelor's degree in the U.S.  
Graduate of Mikkeli Upper Secondary School  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology MIT, MA  
9 months, beginning September 2023
Haverinen, Patrik
*Fulbright Finland Undergraduate Grant 2021-22*
Political Science
Completing a bachelor's degree in Political Science in the U.S.
Graduate of Helsingin Suomalainen Yhteiskoulu
Yale College, CT
9 months, beginning August 2023

Kataja, Meeri
*ASLA-Fulbright Graduate Grant 2021-22*
Environmental History
Completing a doctoral degree in Environmental History in the U.S.
Graduate of the University of Helsinki
Montana State University, MT
9 months, beginning September 2023

Kataja, Rosanna
*Fulbright Finland Undergraduate Grant 2021-22*
Liberal Arts and Sciences
Completing a bachelor's degree in the U.S.
Graduate of Munkkiniem School, Helsinki
Harvard College, MA
9 months, beginning September 2023

Kosonen, Malin
*Fulbright Finland Undergraduate Grant 2022-23*
Business, Economics and Public Policy
Completing a bachelor’s degree in Business, Economics and Public Policy in the U.S.
Gymnasiet Grankulla Samskola, Kauniainen
University of Pennsylvania, PA
9 months, beginning September 2023

Peltomäki, Maria
*Fulbright Finland Partnership Award with Vanderbilt University*
Psychology
Completing a bachelor's degree in Psychology in the U.S.
Graduate of Kauhajoki Upper Secondary School, Kauhajoki
Vanderbilt University, TN
*Hilppa A.K. Roby Scholarship*
9 months, beginning August 2023
Stolt, Vivian  
*ASLA-Fulbright Graduate Grant 2022-23*  
Arts Administration  
Completing a master’s degree in Arts Administration in the U.S.  
Tilburg University, The Netherlands; Graduate of the University of the Arts Helsinki, Sibelius Academy  
Columbia University, NY  
9 months, beginning September 2023  

Total grantees for Fulbright Finland Renewal Grants: 7

**Fulbright Leaders for Global Schools Travel Grants Program**  
*travel grant program for Finnish school administrators*

**Niemi, Tuija**  
Education Administration  
Reimaging Schools and Support for Immigrant and Refugee Students  
Teacher Training School of Turku University  
University of Minnesota, MN  
October 2023

**Peräjärvi, Kirsi**  
Education Administration  
Reimaging Schools and Support for Immigrant and Refugee Students  
Lahti Rudolf Steiner School  
University of Minnesota, MN  
October 2023

**Rangell, Pasi**  
Education Administration  
Reimaging Schools and Support for Immigrant and Refugee Students  
Seminaari School, Hämeenlinna  
University of Minnesota, MN  
October 2023

Total grantees for the Fulbright Leaders for Global Schools Travel Grants Program: 3

**Study of the U.S. Institutes for Scholars and Professionals**  
*short-term programs for scholars and professionals*

Information on awarded grants will be updated after selections have been made.

Total grantees for Study of the U.S. Institutes for Scholars and Professionals:
Study of the U.S. Institutes for Student Leaders from Europe
summer programs for youth leaders

Information on awarded grants will be updated after selections have been made.

Total grantees for Study of the U.S. Institutes for Student Leaders:

2023-24 Fulbright Finland Foundation Grantees to Finland

Fulbright Distinguished Chairs Program
for lecturing and research in higher education institutions in Finland

Bi, Zhuming
Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair in Information and Communications Technologies
Mechanical Engineering
Digital Triad and Internet of Digital Triad Things for Lifecycle Information Integration
Purdue University Fort Wayne, IN
LUT University, Lappeenranta
4 months, beginning September 2023

Crossley, Craig
Fulbright-Hanken Distinguished Chair in Business and Economics
Business Management
Improving Rigor and Relevance in Academic Research and Reducing the Research-Practice Gap Through Collaborative Workforce Analytics
University of Central Florida, FL
Hanken School of Economics, Helsinki
2 months, Flex grant for academic years 2022-24

Esper, Terry
Fulbright-Hanken Distinguished Chair in Business and Economics
Logistics and Supply Chain Management
Supply Chain Management and Social Responsibility
The Ohio State University, OH
Hanken School of Economics, Helsinki
4 months, beginning January 2024
Goodwin, Julie
Fulbright-Saastamoinen Foundation Distinguished Chair in Health Sciences
Pediatric Nephrology
Allostatic Load and Pediatric Origins of Adult Hypertension
Yale University, CT
University of Eastern Finland, Kuopio
2 months, Flex grant for academic years 2023-25

Hackney, Anthony
Fulbright-Saastamoinen Foundation Distinguished Chair in Health Sciences
Psychology and Nutrition
Exercise Endocrinology: Hormonal Based Changes Associated With Health
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
University of Eastern Finland, Kuopio
2 months, Flex grant for academic years 2023-25

Hughes, Justin
Fulbright-Hanken Distinguished Chair in Business and Economics
Intellectual Property Law
Understanding the Development of the Copyright Economy in Finland and Nordic Countries
Loyola Marymount University, CA
Hanken School of Economics, Helsinki
3,5 months, beginning March 2024

Matthews, Peter
Fulbright-Aalto University Distinguished Chair
Political Economy
From Economic Distress to Democratic Regress?
Middlebury College, VT
Aalto University, Espoo
10,5 months, beginning August 2023

Trimbur, Lucia
Fulbright Bicentennial Chair in American Studies
Sociology and American Studies
The Politics of Protest and Injury in Contemporary Sport
CUNY - City University of New York, NY
University of Helsinki
9 months, beginning August 2023
Veeravalli, Venugopal
Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair in Information and Communications Technologies
Electrical and Computer Engineering
Sequential Inference and Learning for Flexible Spectrum Sharing and Dynamic Event Detection
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, IL
Aalto University, Espoo
4 months, beginning September 2023
Inter-Country Travel Grant to the KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden

Total grantees for Fulbright Distinguished Chairs Program: 9

Core Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program

Crawford, Stewart
Fulbright-Turku UAS Scholar Award
Computer Software Engineering
Virtual Reality Modelling Within the Safety and Health Sciences Domains
Hawaii Pacific University, HI
Turku University of Applied Sciences
6 months, beginning January 2024

Deater-Deckard, Kirby
Fulbright-University of Turku Scholar Award
Psychology and Cognitive Neuroscience
Individual Differences in Child and Family Development in Turku, Finland
University of Massachusetts Amherst, MA
University of Turku
6 months, beginning January 2024

DeVides, Zhanel
Fulbright-University of Vaasa Scholar Award
Accounting
The Role of Executive Gender in Earnings Expectations Management
Pennsylvania State University - Penn State Abington, PA
University of Vaasa
4 months, beginning August 2023

Hawdon, James
Fulbright-University of Turku Scholar Award
Sociology
Understanding Online Extremism From a Cross-National Perspective: A Research and Teaching Proposal
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, VA
University of Turku
3.5 months, beginning September 2023
Kjellstrand, Jean  
Social Work  
Parental Incarceration: Finding Solutions to Support Incarcerated Parents and Their Children  
University of Oregon, OR  
Tampere University  
University of Helsinki  
5 months, Flex grant for academic years 2022-24

McGowan, Bethany  
Seeking Solutions for Global Challenges Award  
Infodemic Management  
Understanding How Regulatory and Ethical Principles Mitigate the Spread of Health Dis/Misinformation  
Purdue University, IN  
Tampere University  
5 months, beginning August 2023  
Inter-Country Travel Grant to the University of Gothenburg, Sweden

O’Donnell, Casey  
Fulbright-Tampere University Scholar Award  
Information Technology and Communication Sciences  
Making Games Differently  
Michigan State University, MI  
Tampere University  
10 months, beginning August 2023

Silova, Iveta  
Fulbright-Tampere University Scholar Award  
Comparative Education  
Facing the Anthropocene: Education for Planetary Survival  
Arizona State University, AZ  
Tampere University  
4 months, beginning September 2023  
Inter-Country Travel Grant to the University of Iceland, Iceland

Trujillo, Gloriana  
Education Development  
How Might Finnish Peruskoulu Pedagogical Best Practices Be Adapted for College and University Teaching?  
Stanford University, CA  
University of Jyväskylä  
5 months, beginning January 2024
Yuksel, Mujde
*Fulbright-University of Vaasa Scholar Award*
Marketing
Consumer-To-Consumer Accountability in Practices
Suffolk University, MA
University of Vaasa
4 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for Core Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program: 10

**Fulbright U.S. Student Program**
*Those in the U.S. Student Program will be in Finland at least for 1 academic year.*

**Barton, John**  
*Fulbright-University of Jyväskylä Graduate Award*  
Development Studies  
Completing a master’s degree in Development, Education and International Cooperation  
Graduate of University of Virginia, VA  
University of Jyväskylä

**Boyle, Anezka**  
*Fulbright-Tampere University Graduate Award*  
Peace Mediation and Conflict Research  
Completing a master’s degree in Peace, Mediation and Conflict Research  
Graduate of Scripps College, CA  
Tampere University

**Erlikh, Sydney**  
Disability Studies  
Delving Into the Culture and Artistic Process of Dancers With Intellectual Disability  
University of Illinois at Chicago, IL  
University of the Arts Helsinki, Theatre Academy; Kaaos Dance Company, Helsinki  
*Lois Roth Endowment Awardee*

**Filardi, Mia**  
*Fulbright-Tampere University Graduate Award*  
Peace, Mediation, and Conflict Research  
Completing a master’s degree in Peace, Mediation and Conflict Research  
Graduate of University of Washington, WA  
Tampere University

**Friel, Chase**  
*Fulbright-University of Turku Graduate Award*  
Social Policy  
Completing a master’s degree in Inequalities, Interventions, and New Welfare State
Graduate of North Park University, IL
University of Helsinki

**Lazaro, Xenabeth**
*Fulbright-University of Helsinki Graduate Award*
Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
Completing a master’s degree in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
Graduate of University of Florida, FL
University of Helsinki

**Partridge, Claudia**
*Fulbright-LUT University Graduate Award*
Circular Economics
Completing a master’s degree in Circular Economy
Graduate of the College of Wooster, OH
LUT University, Lappeenranta

**Pham, Skye**
*Fulbright-Aalto University Graduate Award*
Chemical Engineering and Bioproducts
Completing a master’s degree in Creative Sustainability
Graduate of North Carolina State University, NC
Aalto University, Espoo

Total grantees for Fulbright U.S. Student Program: 8

**Fulbright U.S. Student Program Renewals**
*for continuing master’s degree studies after the initial grant year*

**Amicucci, Peter**
*Fulbright-LUT University Graduate Award 2022-23*
Supply Management
Completing a master’s degree in Supply Management
Graduate of the University of Scranton, PA
LUT University, Lappeenranta
9 months, beginning August 2023

**Paulson, Casey**
*Fulbright-LUT University Graduate Award 2022-23*
Sustainability Science and Solutions
Completing a master’s degree in Sustainability Science and Solutions
Graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Parkside, WI
LUT University, Lappeenranta
9 months, beginning August 2023
West, Erica  
*Fulbright-LUT University Graduate Award 2022-23*  
Mathematics  
Completing a master’s degree in Data-Centric Engineering  
Graduate of Hanover College, IN  
LUT University, Lappeenranta  
9 months, beginning August 2023

Total grantees for Fulbright U.S. Student Program Renewals: 3

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**Fulbright Distinguished Awards in Teaching Research Program**  
*A semester-long program for primary and secondary level educators*

**Bue, Jill**  
Mathematics  
A Focus on Mathematical Understanding and Shrinking the Gap: Best Teaching Practices 6-12  
Roseville Area Middle School, MN  
University of Jyväskylä  
3 months, beginning January 2024

**Butler-Doran, Teresa**  
Sixth and Seventh Grade Science  
Global Citizens, Global Action: Students Taking Climate Action Across Borders  
Stone Valley Middle School, CA  
University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu  
5 months, beginning January 2024

**Oler, Dawn**  
CTE  
What the U.S. Can Learn From Finland About How Teaching Is Promoted as a Profession  
Hinsdale Central High School, IL  
University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu  
5 months, beginning January 2024

**Pankratz, Ashley**  
English, Journalism, and Creative Writing  
Fostering Professional Learning Networks for Educators to Reduce Rural Student Achievement Gaps  
Dodson Public Schools, MT  
University of Jyväskylä  
5 months, beginning January 2024

Total grantees for Fulbright Distinguished Awards in Teaching Research Program: 4
Fulbright Leaders for Global Schools Program
for U.S. K-12 school and district administrators to develop innovative approaches to important issues in their communities, share best practices, and build global networks to drive change that benefits all students. The program is sponsored by the U.S. Department of State with funding provided by the U.S. Government.

Anderton, Amy
Education Administration
Dallas Independent School District, TX
January 2024

Bacon, Rebecca
Education Administration
Springdale Elementary School, Tulsa Public Schools, OK
January 2024

Baker, Matthew
Education Administration
Sabin Dual Language Magnet School, IL
January 2024

Cummins, Sarah
Education Administration
Redwood Cooperative School, KY
January 2024

Guyon, Andrew
Education Administration
Horace H. Furness High School, PA
January 2024

King, Christopher
Education Administration
West Bronx Academy for the Future, NY
January 2024

Knisley, Emilie
Education Administration
Blue Mountain Union School, VT
January 2024

McCarthy, Brian
Education Administration
Outlaw, Susan
Deaf Education
Metro Deaf School, MN
January 2024

Rodriguez, Jose
Education Administration
Los Angeles Unified School District, CA
January 2024

Rucker, Donald
Education Administration
KIPP Vision Academy, GA
January 2024

Smith, Tanya
Education Administration
Duplin Early College High School, NC
January 2024

Thompson, Kelly
Education Administration
D.C. Everest Area School District, WI
January 2024

Waters, Jessica
Education Administration
Nowell Academy, RI
January 2024

Williams, Moses
Education Administration
Mt. Herman Exceptional Student Center, FL
January 2024

Williams-Rodriguez, Khaliyah
Education Administration
North Clackamas School District, OR
January 2024

Total grantees for Fulbright Leaders for Global Schools Program: 16
Friends of Fulbright Finland Alumni Enrichment Award

**Ungar, Peter**

*2021-22 Fulbright Specialist Program*
Environmental Sciences
Mapping the Nutritional Landscape for Reindeer in Lapland
University of Arkansas, AR
University of Lapland, Arctic Centre, Rovaniemi
2 weeks, beginning June 2024

Total grantees for the Friends of Fulbright Finland Alumni Enrichment Award: 1

**Inter-Country Travel Grants**

For *one-week lecturing visits by U.S. Fulbright scholars, teachers, and other professionals based in another country to Finnish universities and universities of applied sciences*

**Schofield, Stephanie**
Human Genetics and Genomics
Collaborate with Students, Lecturers, and Researchers at Tampere University of Applied Sciences
Current Fulbright host and program: Universität Heidelberg - Institute for Human Genetics, Germany; U.S. Student Program
IC host in Finland: Tampere University of Applied Sciences
February 2024

**Talay, M. Berk**
International Marketing and Innovation
Research Collaboration with a Marketing and Consumption Research Group
Current Fulbright host and program: ESSEC Business School, Cergy-Pontoise, France; Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program
IC host in Finland: University of Vaasa
November 2023

*Information on awarded grants will be updated after selections have been made.*

Total grantees for the Inter-Country Travel Grant Program: 2
**Fulbright Specialist Program**

_for short-term lecturing and professional collaboration visits by U.S. faculty and professionals to Finnish universities and universities of applied sciences_

**Brandt, Nicole**  
Community Health and Preventive Medicine  
Improving Medication Safety and Outcomes for Elderly Finns  
University of Maryland, MD  
University of Helsinki  
3 weeks, beginning January 2024

**Frodeeman, Robert**  
Public Policy Analysis  
Revitalising Intersectoral and Interdisciplinary Research  
Independent Scholar  
University of Turku  
5 weeks, beginning September 2023

**Goldman, David**  
Food and Nutrition  
Digital Diet Intervention for Metabolic and Cognitive Health and Performance in Military Conscripts  
Metabite, NY  
University of Helsinki  
3 weeks, beginning August 2023

**Jagannathan, Radha**  
Public Administration  
Public Administration and Education Policy  
Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, NJ  
Tampere University  
4 weeks, beginning August 2023

**O’Connell, Thomas**  
Chemistry Education  
Improving Bioinformatics Skills in Sport and Health Sciences  
Indiana University, IN  
University of Jyväskylä  
4 weeks, beginning September 2023

**Williams, Holly**  
Criminal Justice and Public Policy  
Multinational Approach to Criminological Theory – US/Finland  
Clemson University, SC  
Tampere University  
2 weeks, beginning May 2024
Information on awarded grants will be updated after selections have been made.

Total grantees for Fulbright Specialist Program: 6

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRANTEES

As of February 15, 2024

Finnish grantees: 33
U.S. grantees: 59
Total: 92

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