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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

Alanen, Harry Ancient Philosophy Desire for the Good in Aristotle's Philosophy of Action Independent Scholar University of Pittsburgh, PA 8,5 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

Haaja, Eini

International Business Green Transition in Cruise Shipbuilding University of Turku Florida International University, FL 4 weeks, beginning May 2024

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: 6

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 Munkkiniemi 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 Secondary School Educators

short-term programs for secondary school educators

Altunbay, Seda

Study of the U.S. Institute for Secondary School Educators English Latokartano Comprehensive School, Helsinki University of Montana, MT 5 weeks, beginning June 2024

Total grantees for Study of the U.S. Institutes for Secondary School Educators: 1

Study of the U.S. Institutes for Student Leaders from Europe

summer programs for youth leaders

Koymatli, Nihal

Study of the U.S. Institute for Student Leaders from Europe on Environmental Issues International Business Haaga-Helia University of Applied Sciences, Helsinki Shippensburg University, PA 5 weeks, beginning June 2024

Sarwar, Rose

Study of the U.S. Institute for Student Leaders from Europe on Environmental Issues Environmental Engineering Tampere University of Applied Sciences Shippensburg University, PA 5 weeks, beginning June 2024

Total grantees for Study of the U.S. Institutes for Student Leaders: 2

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-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad

For U.S. doctoral candidates who conduct dissertation research outside the United States for 6-12 months on non-Western foreign languages and area studies.

Mandelkorn, Michael

History Disorder in the Hills -- Mapping Mobilities Capital and Ecologies Across a Zomian System Princeton University, NJ National Library of Finland, Helsinki 4 weeks, beginning June 2024 Total grant term 9 months in Thailand, Singapore, and Finland

Total grantees for Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Program: 1

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 Turku

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

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 Howell High School, MI January 2024

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

Fulbright-Hays Seminars Abroad

for U.S. educators and administrators to improve their understanding and knowledge of the peoples and cultures of other countries. The seminar with a theme Demystifying the Infrastructure of Happiness in Finnish Society took place over four weeks in June-July 2024.

Adams, Holly Arts Education St. Edmund's Academy, PA

Brandt, Casey Education Walt Disney Magnet School, IL

Chodakewitz, David Humanities The Berkeley Carroll School, NY

Craig, Ellen Visual Arts Pleasant Valley Junior High School, IA

Fernandez, Pualeilani

Social Studies Hilo Intermediate School, HI

Grodek, Susan Education Brooklyn City School District, OH

Hammod, Sarah Education George Peabody Elementary School, CA

Jacobsen, Jens Education Administration Haines Elementary School, AK; Haines High School, AK

Kobler, Emily Education Pine Crest Elementary School, FL **Leuzzi, Nina** Education Morris Jeff Community School, LA

Medalen, Sara Education Sunnyside Elementary School, ND

Pirello, Eden English Language Arts, Science, and History Bellview Elementary School, FL

Richardson, Kaila Education Administration Vista College Park, AZ

Robbins, Amy Humanities Watershed School, CO

Siegfried, Jennifer Special Education Kennedy Middle School, MA

Steider Brady, Lorian Bilingual Education Lafayette Elementary School, CA

Total grantees for the Fulbright-Hays Seminars Abroad: 16

Friends of Fulbright Finland Alumni Enrichment Award

Ungar, Peter

2021-22 Fulbright Specialist Program Arctic Ecology Mapping the Nutritional Landscape for Reindeer in Lapland University of Arkansas, AR University of Lapland, Arctic Centre, Rovaniemi July 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

Griffith, Graham

Communications and Journalism Lead a Workshop and Collaborate With Scholars Current Fulbright host and program: Center for the Study of Democracy, Sofia, Bulgaria; Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program IC hosts in Finland: Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki; John Morton Center, University of Turku May 2024

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

Vela, Javier

Chemistry Network and Collaborate With Researchers at the Department of Chemistry Current Fulbright host and program: Italian Institute of Technology (IIT) Genoa, Genova, Italy; Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program IC host in Finland: University of Helsinki May 2024

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

Total grantees for the Inter-Country Travel Grant Program: 4

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

Frodeman, 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

Total grantees for Fulbright Specialist Program: 5

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRANTEES

As of April 30, 2024

Finnish grantees: 37 U.S. grantees: 77 Total: 114

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