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2017 Hubert H. Humphrey

Fellowship Program for mid-career professionals

U.S. Mission Uganda is now accepting applications for the 2017-2018 Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program. This ten month fellowship program is offered to mid-career professionals working at the policy level who have a record of leadership and a commitment to public service. Fellows are based at leading American universities for ten-months to pursue self-designed programs to include independent study, coursework, and an internship with an organization in their field of expertise.

The Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program brings accomplished professionals from developing countries to the United States at a midpoint in their careers for a ten month program of non-degree study and related professional experiences. The program seeks to foster an exchange of knowledge and mutual understanding between American citizens and their professional counterparts from Uganda. Successful applicants will be placed at participating universities in the United States for the August 2017-June 2018 period.

Eligible Fields

Fellowships are available in the following fields:

- Agricultural and Rural Development;
- Economic Development/Finance and Banking
- Natural Resources/Environmental Policy/Climate Change;
- Urban and Regional Planning;
- Communications/Journalism; Law and Human Rights;
- Public Policy Analysis and Public Administration; Human Resource Management;
- Trafficking in Persons, Prevention and Policy;
- Technology Policy & Management;
- Educational Administration, Planning and Policy;
- Higher Education Administration, Teaching English as a Foreign Language;
- Public Health Policy and Management;
- HIV/AIDS Policy and Prevention and
- Substance Abuse, Education, Prevention and Treatment

Eligibility Requirements

Applicants for the Humphrey Fellowship must meet all of the following criteria:

- Have a Bachelor's Degree,
- Have five (5) years of substantial professional experience in their field,
- Have demonstrated leadership qualities and a record of public service, and
- Be fluent in English.

Application/Selection Process

The application form is available on **http://apply.embark.com/student/humphrey/fellowship**. Completed applications should be submitted online no later than June 23, 2016. Applications must detail the specific coursework, independent research, and internship intentions of the applicant and how they fit in his/her professional goals. Copies of certificates, transcripts and letters of recommendation should be uploaded onto each applicant's online application. If not, they can be delivered directly to the Public Affairs Section at the U.S. Embassy reception on Nsambya road (behind the embassy), through our mail box. Only final nominees will be required to take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL).

All applications are reviewed by a local selection panel; final selection of Fellows is made by the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board. Awards are announced by March each year for Fellowships beginning in August/September.

Grant Provisions

The Humphrey Fellowship provides:

- Round-trip economy international travel for the grantee.
- A monthly maintenance allowance and funding for books and professional activities.
- Tuition and university fees.
- Limited accident and sickness insurance for the grantee only

Note: Because this a popular program, we will only notify shortlisted candidates.

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