

THE J. WILLIAM FULBRIGHT FOREIGN SCHOLARSHIP BOARD



Dear Loraine Jensen:

On behalf of the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board, I am pleased to congratulate you on your selection for a Fulbright award to Sweden. Our Presidentially appointed 12-member is responsible for supervising the Fulbright Program worldwide and approving the selection of all Fulbright recipients. Your grant is a reflection of your leadership and contributions to society, and is made possible through funds appropriated annually by the U.S. Congress and, in many cases, by contributions from partner countries and private parties.

Your selection for a Fulbright award is an achievement for which you can be justly proud. The Fulbright Program is devoted to increasing mutual understanding between the people of the United States and the people of other countries. Fulbright is the world's largest and most diverse international educational exchange program. As a grantee, you will join the ranks of many distinguished program participants. Fulbright alumni have become heads of state, judges, ambassadors, cabinet ministers, CEOs, and university presidents, as well as leading journalists, artists, scientists, and teachers. They include 60 Nobel Laureates, 86 Pulitzer Prize winners, 72 MacArthur Fellows, 16 Presidential Medal of Freedom recipients, and thousands of leaders across the private, public and non-profit sectors. Since its inception in 1946, more than 390,000 "Fulbrighters" have participated in the Program.

Your Fulbright award remains conditional until you have completed the remaining steps necessary to receive your Fulbright grant, including receipt of a visa (where applicable). You will receive additional information on your award from World Learning. After you receive your grant documents, you must sign and return them as instructed. If you have any questions, please contact your program representative at World Learning.

The Fulbright Program's goal of developing international understanding depends on you, and your commitment to establishing open communication and long-term cooperative relationships. As a Fulbright participant and a representative of your country, you will have the opportunity to work collaboratively with international partners in educational, political, cultural, economic, and scientific fields. We also hope you will engage in your local community while on your Fulbright exchange. In so doing, you will exemplify the qualities of service, leadership, and excellence that have been hallmarks of this Program for more than 72 years.

The United States Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, which oversees Fulbright Program operations throughout the world, joins the Board in congratulating you. We hope your Fulbright experience will be deeply rewarding professionally and personally, and that you will share the knowledge and experience you gain with many others throughout your life.

Sincerely,

Ambassador Jeffrey L. Bleich (ret.)
Chair