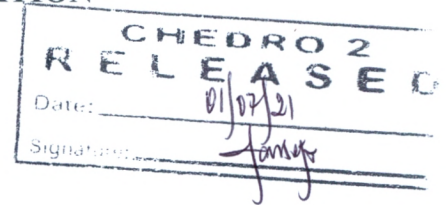




Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION
Region 02

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 003, Series of 2021



**FOR : ALL PRESIDENTS/HEADS OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE
HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS**

**SUBJECT : CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2022-2023 FULBRIGHT-
CHED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS**

DATE : January 7, 2020

Attached is a copy of the memorandum issued by **DR. J. PROSPERO E. DE VERA III**, Chairman, Commission on Higher Education, through the CEB Resolution No. 212-2020, approving the project entitled: " Fulbright-CHED Implementation of Scholarship and Capacity Building Programs for Higher Education of the Philippine American Educational Foundation" (PAEF), inviting interested faculty and staff from CHED-recognized higher education institutions to apply for the 2022-2023 Fulbright-CHED Scholarship Program.

Interested applicants may refer to the attached file for more details regarding the priority fields, eligibility criteria and timeline of application of the Fulbright-CHED Scholarship Program. The deadline for the applications will be on March 31, 2021.

For further clarifications, you may contact PAEF through fulbright@fulbright.org.ph .

For your information.

JULIETA M. PARAS, Ed.D., CESE
Director IV

Encl: as stated

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MEMORANDUM FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

TO : ALL HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS AND PERSONNEL
ALL CHED CENTRAL AND REGIONAL OFFICE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT : **CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2022-2023 FULBRIGHT-
CHED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

DATE : 02 December 2020

The Commission on Higher Education (CHED), through CEB Resolution No. 212-2020, approved the project entitled: *"Fulbright-CHED Implementation of Scholarship and Capacity Building Programs for Higher Education of the Philippine American Educational Foundation (PAEF). A Memorandum of Agreement between both parties was signed last 24 August 2020.*


One of the programs under the said collaboration is the *Fulbright-CHED Scholarship Program* which aims to: 1) provide opportunities for qualified faculty and staff from CHED-recognized higher education institutions (HEIs) in order to pursue doctoral studies in the United States, 2) fast-track the Higher Education Reform Agenda, and 3) develop leaders who can contribute to promoting better understanding between the Philippines and United States. *Aspiring candidates must be committed to render return service to their respective HEIs in the form of teaching and/or research upon completion of the program.*

The scholarship program will provide funding for a maximum of two (2) years, which includes *tuition and fees, settling-in allowance, monthly maintenance allowance, books and supplies allowance, in-transit allowance, health and accident insurance, roundtrip international airfare, and excess baggage allowance.*

For interested applicants, you may refer to the attached file for more details regarding the priority fields, eligibility criteria, and timeline of application of the Fulbright-CHED Scholarship Program. **Please take note that the deadline for the applications will be on 31 March 2021.**

We strongly encourage our faculty to take advantage of this rare opportunity to pursue further studies in the United States to help contribute to the success of this important reform. For further clarifications, you may contact PAEF through fulbright@fulbright.org.ph.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


J. PROSPERO E. DE VERA III, DPA
Chairman
Commission on Higher Education 

2022-2023 FULBRIGHT-CHED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

I. Priority Fields (*Doctoral Degree*)

Agricultural Education	Aquaculture, Biodiversity Conservation, Capture Fisheries, Food Security, Forest Restoration, Forest and Climate Change Studies, Plantation Development, Resource Management, Watershed Management, Agri-technology and Post-Harvest Processing
Architecture, Fine Arts, and Related Programs	Future Cities, Urban and Regional Planning, Public Works Planning and Development, Transportation Studies, Ecological Landscape - Architecture, Land Use Planning, Landscape Ecology, Tropical/Cultural Landscape Architecture, Urban and Countryside Landscape
Business Management	Business Analytics, Business Ethics, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Human Resource Management, Organizational Development, Tourism Management (Ph.D level)
Criminal Justice Education	Administration of Justice and Security, Cybersecurity, Forensic Science
Engineering	Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronic and Communications Engineering, Materials Engineering / Synthetic Products, Mechatronics and Robotics, Materials Science Engineering, Metallurgical Engineering, Mining Engineering, Petroleum Engineering, Sanitary Engineering, Transportation Engineering
Health Profession Education	Health and Life Sciences; Health/Medical Informatics; Health Communications; Epidemiology; Health Innovation and Translational Medicine; Health Regulatory Sciences (including Pharma & Medical Device Law, Regulatory Compliance); Health Financing; Medical Anthropology; Mental Health, Medical Technology; Occupational Health; Pharmacogenomics; Public Health; Radiology; Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), Sports Science
Information Technology	Interactive Media, Data Science, Digital Animation, Game Development, Digital Innovation and Creativity, Systems Analysis
Maritime Education	Maritime Affairs and Diplomacy; Maritime Evaluation and Assessment, Naval Architecture, Ship Design and Construction, Ship Superintendence
Science and Math	Biotechnology, Climate and Atmospheric Sciences, Computational Biology and Quantitative Genetics, Disaster Risk Reduction and Management, Energy Studies, Environmental Sciences, Geosciences, Geology, Marine Biology, Math and Applied Math, Meteorology, Molecular Biology, Nano Sciences, Renewable Energy Studies, Risk and Vulnerability Studies, Statistics and Applied Statistics
Social Sciences	Anthropology, Archaeology, Conflict and Development, Demography and Population Studies, Ethics and Human Rights, Economics and Applied Economics (<i>e.g. Behavioural Economics, Development Economics, International Economics, Environmental Economics,</i>

	<i>Health Economics, etc.</i>), Gender Studies, Studies of Ethnicity and Religions, Ethnology and Linguistics, Humanitarian Studies, Communication and Applied Studies in Communication (e.g. <i>Media Research, Broadcast Communication, etc.</i>), Convergence Media, Media and Information Literacy, Psychology, Social Welfare and Development
Education	Alternative Learning System/Distance Education, Adult Education, Early Childhood Education, Higher Education, Curriculum Studies, Education Policy, Educational Leadership, Lifelong Learning, Education Technology and Innovation, Special and Inclusive Education
Public Management and Governance	Government and Peace Building, International Relations and Transnational Issues, International Business, International Law, International Development, Public Policy

II. Eligibility Criteria for Master's and PhD Scholarships

The scholarships herein described are intended for Filipino faculty and staff relative to CHED K to 12 Transition Program. The scholarship is provided to the degree seeking candidates only, and no dependents will be supported.

Each applicant must:

1. Be a Filipino citizen;
2. Not be more than 42 years old for applicants to master's degree programs, not more than 40 years old for applicants to PhD degree programs;
3. Hold at least a bachelor's degree (for applicants to master's degree programs) or a master's degree (for applicants to PhD degree programs) relevant to the graduate degree being sought;
4. Have a record of academic excellence, and show evidence of outstanding potential for professional advancement in teaching and/or administration;
5. Be in good health and of good moral character;
6. Have no pending criminal charges, and must not have been convicted for violation of any Philippine Law;
7. Be conversant in English (TOEFL and/or IELTS results are required by Sciences Po); and
8. Be committed to return to their home institution after completion of the degree

III. Admission timeline for Doctoral Studies

DATE	ACTIVITY
December	Start of call for applications <i>Interested applicants should apply directly to the portal of PAEF (https://apply.iie.org/ffsp2022)</i>
31 March 2020	Application Deadline
August 2020	Start of Semester

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TANGGAPAN AT MGA KAUTUSANG PAMPANGASIWAAN**
[DEPARTMENT, BUREAU AND OFFICE ADMINISTRATIVE ORDERS AND
REGULATIONS]

Exchange Visitor Program of the Philippines

Exchange Visitor Program Committee of the Philippines

RESOLUTION NO. 02-2020

**PROVIDING FOR EXEMPTIONS FOR GOVERNMENT-FUNDED CATEGORIES OF
THE UNITED STATES EXCHANGE VISITOR PROGRAM (EVP) FROM THE
MORATORIUM ON PHILIPPINE PARTICIPATION IN THE US EVP,
AMENDING EVP 01-2020**

WHEREAS, the Philippines has been participating in the Exchange Visitor Program (EVP) of the United States of America (US) since 1946 to enhance the educational, cultural, scientific and technological capabilities of the country through an inter-country exchange of knowledge and expertise;

WHEREAS, the EVP Committee of the Philippines is mandated to promulgate policies, rules and regulations to implement Philippine participation in the Program under Administrative Order no. 242;

WHEREAS, due to the urgent nature and life threatening implications associated with the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic in early 2020 which affected citizens and economies worldwide at an unprecedented scale, the EVP Committee of the Philippines adopted Resolution no. 01-2020, which provided for a moratorium on the participation of Filipino nationals to the Exchange Visitor Program of the United States of America for a period of one (1) year; or until six (6) months after the travel restrictions as provided by the IATF-EID are lifted or accordingly revised; whichever is longer;

WHEREAS, the EVP Committee is cognizant that government-funded categories of the EVP, contribute significantly to the Philippines-United States relations and to the development of the Philippines.

WHEREAS, government-funded and sponsored programs of the EVP are conducted under close partnership, supervision and responsibility of the US and Philippine governments;

WHEREAS, participants in government-funded categories of the EVP, who account for 2 to 3% of the total number of Filipino exchange visitors in recent years, have not encountered the challenges related to the outbreak of COVID-19 that have been observed and reported in the private exchange programs including those previously encountered before the pandemic.

WHEREAS, the US Government has given its assurance to the EVP Committee that, in view of the ongoing pandemic, protective measures have been activated to ensure the wellbeing of participants in government-funded programs; and that said programs are currently on hold and will not be restarted unless it is already safe to do so.

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NOW THEREFORE, the EVP Committee, resolves to exempt government-funded programs from the moratorium imposed in EVP Resolution 01-2020, and published at the Official Gazette on May 25, 2020, and allow the participation of Filipino nationals in said programs, included in, but not limited to the list which is annexed to this Resolution;

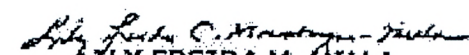
RESOLVED FURTHER, that the EVP Committee shall continue to monitor the participation of Filipinos in government funded-programs in the US, and shall coordinate closely with the US government to ensure the well-being and safety of Filipinos prior to, during and after completion of said categories;


RESOLVED FURTHER, that the EVP Committee, through the CFO shall continue to conduct registration and Pre-Departure Orientation Seminar for EVP participants leaving the Philippines to attend government-funded exchange programs in the US;


RESOLVED, FINALLY, that as the EVP Committee Secretariat, the CFO will issue and publish a public advisory on this Resolution.


ADOPTED THIS 17th of June 2020 in Manila, Philippines and shall take effect immediately after publication.

THE EXCHANGE VISITOR PROGRAM COMMITTEE OF THE PHILIPPINES


LILY FREIDA M. MILLA
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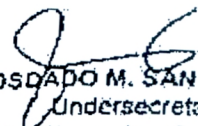

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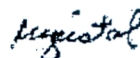


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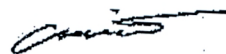


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ANNEX – EVP Resolution 02-2020

LIST OF GOVERNMENT-FUNDED PROGRAMS UNDER THE EXCHANGE VISITOR
PROGRAM OF THE UNITED STATES

1. A New Beginning
2. American English E-Teacher Program
3. Benjamin Franklin Summer Institutes
4. Center Stage
5. Community Solutions Program (CSP)
6. East-West Center (EWC)
7. Edward R. Murrow Program
8. Eisenhower Fellowship Program (EFP)
9. English Access Microscholarship Program
10. Fellowships on Indo-Pacific Security Studies (FIPSS)
11. Fulbright Advance Research and UL Program
12. Fulbright CHED Program
13. Fulbright Distinguished Awards in Teacher Program for International Teachers
(Fulbright DAI)
14. Fulbright Foreign Language Teaching Assistant (FLTA)
15. Fulbright Foreign Student Program
16. Fulbright Graduate Student Program
17. Fulbright-Philippine Agriculture Scholarship Program (FPASP)
18. Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence Program
19. Fulbright US-ASEAN Visiting Scholar Program
20. Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program
21. Future Leaders Exchange
22. Global Sports Mentoring Program
23. Global Undergraduate Exchange Program (Global UGRAD)

24. Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program
25. International Leaders in Education Program
26. International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP)
27. International Writing Program Between the Lines
28. International Writing Program Fall Residency
29. Junior Faculty Development Program
30. Kennedy-Lugar Youth Exchange and Study (YES)
31. OneBeat
32. Professional Fellows Program
33. Sports Visitor Program
34. Study of the United States Institutes for Scholars
35. Study of the United States Institutes for Student Leaders
36. Teachers of Critical Languages Program
37. Teaching Excellence and Achievement Program
38. Youth Ambassadors
39. Youth Leadership Programs
 - a. Young Southeast Asian Leaders Initiative (YSEALI)
 - b. Southeast Asia Youth Leadership Program
 - c. Philippine Youth Leadership Program