



ANNOUNCEMENT

FULBRIGHT CHAIR IN MUSIC AND MUSICOLOGY AT INDIANA UNIVERSITY, BLOOMINGTON

The Fulbright Commission (Fulbright) and Indiana University (IU), Bloomington are pleased to announce that the submission period for the Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program in Music and Musicology at the institution opens on April 23, 2015. It recognizes senior faculty, researchers, musicians, composers and performers who influence music performance and education around the globe. And also exhibit the potential to make significant contributions to the body of research in one or more of the related areas to the IU Jacobs School of Music and College of Arts and Sciences. Fulbright and Indiana University will award a one semester scholarship in the spring or fall of the academic year to *one* senior faculty member, researcher, musician, composer or performer from institutions across Brazil. The grantee will receive full funding for one academic term to support teaching and research activities at the institution.

This program will strengthen cooperation between Brazilian institutions and Indiana University to promote the study of music with music educators, performers, scholars and teachers who are dedicated to inspiring and mentoring the next generation of music leaders.

The visiting scholar will be affiliated with the <u>IU Jacobs School of Music and College of Arts and Sciences</u>. The Jacobs School of Music graduates include some of the world's most successful performers, conductors, composers, music educators, scholars, and managers of arts organizations. The Department of Musicology is one of the top ranked musicology programs in the U.S.

The following pages provide a more complete description of the Fulbright Chair in Music and Musicology. Please forward this Call for Proposals to colleagues who would be interested in participating in the program.

The call for proposals may be found at www.fulbright.org.br. Applications must be submitted via the online application system by 5:00 p.m. Brasilia time on Wednesday, June 10, 2015.

Sincerely,

Luiz Valcov Loureiro Executive Director Fulbright Commission





CALL FOR PROPOSALS

FULBRIGHT CHAIR IN MUSIC AND MUSICOLOGY AT INDIANA UNIVERSITY, BLOOMINGTON

The Fulbright Chair in Music and Musicology at Indiana University, Bloomington will give ONE award for a Brazilian scholar to spend one academic semester researching and/ or lecturing to graduate students, as faculties and researchers. To musicians, composers and performers, it is possible to introduce advanced seminars and/ or other relevant activities related to their specialty in the Jacobs School of Music and College of Arts and Sciences at Indiana University.

The grant will be awarded for the *Spring term* (January-May 2016) or *Fall term* (September-December 2016), in accordance with the calendar of the institution.

1. ELIGIBILITY

The candidate must demonstrate outstanding academic qualification and a record of professional experience along with intellectual production in the fields of music and/ or musicology during the last ten years in the Brazilian arena. The candidate must hold a Brazilian passport. Dual Brazilian/U.S. citizens are not eligible. Moreover, the candidate must have an adequate command of the English language; compatible with the proposed activities.

Faculties and Researchers must have earned the doctoral degree before December 31, 2006. Its necessary to be affiliated to a higher education institution. Musicians, Composers and Performers must have over ten years of professional experience with relevant institutional affiliation in the area.

2. FUNDING

The Program will award funding for one visiting scholar for a four-month period, as follows:

- US\$ 20,000 (twenty thousand U.S. dollars), for maintenance and international round-trip air ticket;
- Housing or equivalent housing stipend, subject to relevant taxation, in Bloomington, as normally provided for international visiting scholars in the institution;

- Limited health coverage through (ASPE –Accident and Sickness Program for Exchanges); and
- Access to the facilities and services of Indiana University, such as office space and Internet connection; access to laboratories, practice/permance space, libraries and other courtesies and amenities normally provided to the academic community to ensure the success of the teaching, performing, and researching activities undertaken by the scholar.

3. SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

The candidate must submit the online application form, available at https://apply.embark.com/student/fulbright/scholars/, including the following documents, ALL in English:

- Plan of activities and *Syllabus* of the proposed course/ seminar and/ or relevant activity related to the candidate's specialty, with a maximum of four pages;
- Resume (CV), no more than three pages;
- Three letters of reference:
- Brazilian passport ID pages;
- If the candidate has already received a J-1 visa, copy of the DS-2019 form and of the visa page from the passport.
- Performers and composers may also submit relevant audio/ video materials and/ or manuscripts. If available in the Internet, the candidate may include in the resume (CV) one additional page with links for youtube or a similar webpage. For sending larger audio or video files, please, contact the Commission beforehand.

In the online application form, in the field *Special Award Name*, please indicate "Chair in Music and Musicology".

4. SELECTION PROCESS

The Fulbright Commission will screen and select all valid applications. A peer review panel, nominated by the Commission, will assess candidates' academic and professional qualifications and the relevance of their proposed courses and research projects. An interview may be required. The Fulbright Commission and the Indiana University will nominate the selected candidate for final approval by the *J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board*. Preference will be given to candidates with no significant previous academic experience in the U.S.

5. TIMETABLE

- June 10, 2015: deadline for online applications submission;
- September 2015: announcement of the result;
- *Spring Term* 2016 (January to May) or *Fall Term* 2016 (September to December): start of activities at Indiana University, Bloomington.

6. INFORMATION

Additional information about the "Fulbright Chair In Music and Musicology:

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