

## Lectureship in American Studies at the University of Bari

Award # 8230

Grant Category: Teaching - Teaching/Research

- ▶ **Number of Awards:** One grant
- ▶ **Discipline and specialization:** *Legal Studies*  
Public International Law, Private International Law
- ▶ **Grant period and activity:** Four months. Grants must begin in September 2018.

The Fulbright scholar will be requested to teach undergraduate students on topics of Public international Law and/or Private International Law as well as of International Organizations. Undergraduate students will attend this course as integration of their degree program. The Fulbright scholar could also provide support for students' participation in International Law Moot Court competition, like Philip C. Jessup. The lecturer will teach seminars to doctoral students too.

He/she will also be doing lectures, seminars, workshop, legal laboratory to, graduate master's and PhD students

Teaching load: Lectures for PhD students: 10 hours for 4 months to 15 students; Undergraduate Courses: 40 hours (4 months) to 70 students (20 magistrale /70 studenti + 20 triennale 50 studenti)

The content of the course will be held on the topics of Public international Law, International Organizations and/or Private International Law.

The visiting US scholar will have a pivotal role in advising and tutoring undergraduate, graduate and PhD students in order to complete their legal education also on the basis of the US educational system used in US Law Schools. The scholar will be granted involvement in the papers published by the department, and in national research projects in which professors of the Law Department are involved. He/she will be actively involved in faculty training.

The Department offers the visiting US scholar the opportunity to develop research and cooperation with its professors within national and international research projects. The Fulbright scholar can also get in touch with Italian and European scholars of International Law and of European Union Law through the Italian Society of International and European Union Law. The President of the Society and a Member of the Board teach in Bari.

He/she may also give lectures in other University departments in Bari, such as Political Sciences Department, Foreign Languages Department, Communication Sciences Department, Economic Department and in the class of International Law and International Law of the Sea at the Italian Military Naval School in Taranto.

The University will organize conferences for the local community, in cooperation with lawyers, journalists and judges.

He/she may lecture for the university Master degree in Journalism in Bari (recognized by the Italian Order of Journalists) and the university Master degree on Sea Safety and Security organized by the Law Department in Taranto and the Financial Police (Guardia di Finanza).

The Department may also provide the opportunity for the visiting US scholar to lecture and held conferences, meetings and other activities in other Italian Universities, also with the ones which are part of the Fulbright Program and host other Fulbright scholars. He/she may have the opportunity to get in touch with the United Nations Global Service Center in Brindisi.

During the Fulbright grant, the scholar may be also invited to take part in academic meetings, conferences, seminars and other program-related

activities organized by Italian or European universities, under the Fulbright Inter-Country Program <http://www.fulbright.it/fulbright-intercountry/> .

- Qualifications:** The preferred qualifications of the visiting US scholar are about his/her fields of specialization or interests: Public International Law, International Organization and Private International Law. He/she should have at least 2 years of teaching experience at academic level and a good academic research toll.  
His/her academic rank should be working in an academic center or University, with preference for professors (assistant professor, senior lecturer).
- Language:** All teaching will be in English. Italian language fluency sufficient to complete the research project is required. Knowledge of English is not to be necessarily expected from administrative staff and colleagues from other fields, making some knowledge of survival Italian advisable for daily life.
- Letter of Invitation and project proposal:** Letter of invitation should not be requested. Applicants should submit a detailed project proposal in the Fulbright US Scholar application.
- Award benefits:** The grant amounts to € 14.283. This sum includes a maintenance allowance of € 13.183 and a travel allowance of € 1.100. The grantee will be covered by Health and Accident Insurance for the whole grant period, provided to participants in the Fulbright cultural exchange Program by the *United States Department of State*.

The visiting US scholar will be provided a personal web page in the web site of the Department and web assistance, personal computer and access to computer network, library facilities (including access to database as Lexis-Nexis, Heineonline, etc. ) and his/her own office with secretarial assistance, access to university cafeteria and to all campus facilities such as sport center (sailing, swimming pool indoor and outdoor in summer, canoe, kayak) and cultural facilities at theater, cinema, concerts.

The University can provide a modern accommodation in a new student residence with facilities, food and coffee, laundry, free wi-fi, transportation and relax time (Casa dello Studente "Angelo Fraccacreta").

The Department shall assist the visiting scholar for every need as well as for different accomodation.
- How to apply:** Fulbright Scholar Awards to Italy are assigned through an annual competition administered at the national level in the US by the *Council for International Exchange of Scholars* - CIES in Washington DC, in collaboration with the Fulbright Commission in Italy. Potential candidates can apply online through CIES ([www.cies.org](http://www.cies.org)). Information on the Fulbright US Scholar Program, catalogue of awards, eligibility requirements, tips, guidelines and resources for applying, review criteria, selection and competition timeline is available on CIES website at [www.cies.org/us\\_scholars](http://www.cies.org/us_scholars).
- Application Deadline:** August 1, 2017



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<http://www.uniba.it/english-version/living-in-bari>

### Host Institution

- Academic Calendar and terms	First semester: Half September- Half December Second semester: Half February- End of May
- Host Faculty	Department of Law
- Host Department/Institution	Department of Law
- Web address of Host Department/Institution	<a href="http://www.uniba.it/ricerca/dipartimenti/lex">http://www.uniba.it/ricerca/dipartimenti/lex</a>
- Helpful Links	<a href="http://www.uniba.it">http://www.uniba.it</a> <a href="http://www.uniba.it/english-version/living-in-bari">http://www.uniba.it/english-version/living-in-bari</a>

### For information about the grant, please contact Fulbright Commission staff:

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### Resources on the Italian university system and research:

- ❖ MIUR - Ministry of Education, Universities and Research - [www.istruzione.it](http://www.istruzione.it)  
Italian Government - Ministry of Education, Universities and Research
- ❖ CRUI - Conference of Italian University Rectors - [www.crui.it](http://www.crui.it)  
National Conference of Italian state and private universities
- ❖ ENIC-NARIC network - [www.enic-naric.net/index.aspx?c=Italy](http://www.enic-naric.net/index.aspx?c=Italy)  
Italy Country page on the ENIC-NARIC network of European Information Centers on academic recognition and mobility
- ❖ Ricerca Italiana - [www.ricercaitaliana.it](http://www.ricercaitaliana.it)  
National portal on the world of Italian Research
- ❖ ICCU - [www.iccu.sbn.it](http://www.iccu.sbn.it)  
National Institute for the Italian Library Catalogue

### Travelling to Italy

- ❖ ITALIA - [www.italia.it](http://www.italia.it)  
Discover Italy - info, ideas and resources for the travel to Italy
- ❖ CULTURA ITALIA, Un patrimonio da esplorare - [www.culturaitalia.it](http://www.culturaitalia.it)  
Italian Ministry of Cultural Heritage and Activities - Cultural paths and resources from the world of Italian culture