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**FULBRIGHT CHAIR IN ITALIAN STUDIES
THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
Academic Year 2018-2019**

General Grant Information

Grant Length: one quarter (April 1- June 15) - Spring quarter 2019

Requested Discipline: Italian modern culture, Italian cinema, Renaissance studies, Italian literary theory

Number of courses: 2

Preferred Terms: Spring quarter 2019

Dates: April 1 - June 15, 2019

Reporting date: March 25, 2019

Language

English language required, excellent level.

Courses will be taught in English - faculty must be able to lecture and interact with graduate and undergraduate students in English and Italian. Classes with a comparative component are preferred.

Grant Activity

Course 1

Focus: see possible areas mentioned above

Type: seminar

Level: undergrad/grad students

Teaching load: 3 hours per week

Average class size: 7-10

Syllabus required

Course 2

Focus: see possible areas above

Type: discussion class

Level: undergrad students only

Teaching load: 3 hours per week

Average class size: 5-10

Syllabus required

No additional grant activities and duties

Opportunities offered to the scholar

The University of Chicago has numerous workshops where colleagues share ideas and projects.

Fulbright scholar will be invited to give a lecture during the quarter at other departments and other institutions. Chicago has many universities.

Introduction and interaction with the local and university community.

University Resources and Facilities

Access to all libraries on campus

Office space

Access to computer network and other IT resources

Access to university canteen

The University of Chicago has numerous resources (gym, theater, movie theater, museums). No additional funding is provided for facilities such as gym, movie theater, and theater. Museums are free.

Housing

Housing is not provided, but assistance in finding suitable accommodation near campus is available. Up to \$3000 is allotted for housing and the reimbursement of research expenses with adequate receipt documentation. Housing costs vary.

Stipend Payment

The stipend will be paid in installments over the course of the scholar's appointment. The scholar must submit receipt documentation for the available \$3000 in reimbursement funds for housing and/or research. All research purchases must adhere to applicable University research

fund policies. The scholar will need to communicate and meet with the Office of Financial and Grant Services in the Humanities Division to complete any necessary paperwork.

The Fulbright Commission will pay its financial contribution of \$9,000 to the Visiting Scholar in one lump sum upon his/her arrival in the United States.

Tax Matters

Additional taxation information will be available once a candidate has been selected and communicates with the Office of Financial and Grant Services

Host Institution

Academic calendar

Autumn 2018

Date	Event/Deadline
Monday, October 1	Autumn Quarter Begins
Thursday–Friday, November 22–23	Thanksgiving Break
Thursday–Friday, December 6–7	College Reading Period
Saturday, December 15	Autumn Quarter Ends

Winter 2019

Date	Event/Deadline
Monday, January 7	Winter Quarter Begins
Monday, January 21	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Friday, February 15	College Break
Thursday–Friday, March 14–15	College Reading Period
Saturday, March 23	Winter Quarter Ends

Spring 2019

Date	Event/Deadline
Monday, April 1	Spring Quarter Begins
Monday, May 27	Memorial Day
Thursday–Friday, June 6–7	College Reading Period
Saturday, June 15	Convocation
Saturday, June 15	Spring Quarter Ends

Host School/Department/Center: University of Chicago, Dept. of Romance Languages & Literatures

Web address of host institution:

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