

## FULBRIGHT FOREIGN STUDENT PROGRAM 2021-2022

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDG) focus area(s)



### APPLICATION DEADLINE

**31<sup>st</sup> March 2020**

### BACKGROUND

The Fulbright scholarship provides Grants for South African university graduates to pursue a Master's or Doctoral degree at a United States university in any subject (excludes studies that require contact with patients). Grants are awarded for two years towards one degree – Master's or Doctorate (renewable each year). Students are selected through a rigorous application and interview process and receive a high level of support ranging from visa processing and health insurance to a comprehensive pre-departure Orientation and re-entry session.

For More information please refer to the attached document.

Please note that if funding is awarded a 15% UP recovery is applicable and should be budgeted for by the applicant.

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Be a South African citizen OR a permanent resident with a minimum of 5 years of permanent residency status in South Africa
- Have one of the following academic degrees:
  - For non-degree PhD research (Visiting Student Researcher): Be registered for a PhD at a South African university to participate in an academic year in the U.S. to conduct research related to your studies
  - When applying for a Master's degree: a 4-year BTech degree OR a 3-year Bachelor's degree plus an Honors degree
  - When applying for a Doctorate degree: a Master's degree

### HOW TO APPLY

Applications are strictly online. Applicants can apply on the following link: <https://apply.iie.org/ffsp2021>

Kindly submit all application document that you have submitted online to the Faculty Research Office  
([natasha.jeftha@up.ac.za](mailto:natasha.jeftha@up.ac.za))

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