

2015 STUDY OF THE U.S. INSTITUTES

The American Institute in Taiwan Public Diplomacy Section is pleased to invite candidates to apply for one of the *Summer 2015 Study of the U.S. Institute* programs. The Study of the U.S. Institutes are designed for mid-career university-level educators. Each institute will typically last five - six weeks and take place during various dates between late May and early August of 2015.

Please see the following AIT website at <http://www.ait.org.tw/en/study-of-the-us-institutes.html> for detailed program summaries.

Interested applicants may also contact the American Center Office at (02) 2723-3959, ext. 224 for details. Applications may be sent by e-mail to application@mail.ait.org.tw.

Name of Institute	Date	Location	Application Deadline
A. Contemporary American Literature	Late June to early August, 2015**	Louisville University, Louisville, Kentucky	December 26, 2014
B. Journalism and Media	Late June to early August, 2015**	Ohio University	December 26, 2014
C. Religious Pluralism in the United States	Late June to early August, 2015**	University of California, Santa Barbara	December 26, 2014
D. U.S. Culture and Society	Late June to early August, 2015**	New York University	December 26, 2014
E. U.S. Foreign Policy	Late June to early August, 2015**	Bard College in New York	December 26, 2014
F. U.S. Political Thought	Late June to early August, 2015**	University of Massachusetts, Donahue Institute, Amherst, MA	December 26, 2014
G. Study of the U.S. Institutes for Secondary School Educators	Late May to early July, 2015**	A. University of Montana B. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign C. California State University, Chico	December 26, 2014

** Tentative

Application Form
Summer 2015 Study of the U.S. Institute
2015 年暑期美國研究研習會獎學金申請表格

Name of Institute:

Personal Information

A. Full Name, as it appears on your passport. Surname should be in quotation marks.

B. Date of Birth (Month, Date, Year)

C. City of Birth

D. Country of Birth

E. Country of Residence

F. Country(ies) of Citizenship

G. Home Address, Telephone and E-mail

H. Gender

I. a. Emergency Contact and Relationship

b. Emergency Contact Phone

c. Emergency Contact E-mail

J. Medical, Physical, Dietary or other Personal Considerations

Professional Information

J. Current Position and Title

K. Current Institutional Affiliation and Complete Address

L. Work Experience, Including Previous Positions and Titles, and date of employment

M. Education, Academic and Professional Training, including degrees earned, the dates and fields of specialization

N. Active Professional Memberships

O. Short List of Relevant Publications (no more than five-ten citations)

P. Previous experience in the United States: Please list all trips you have made to the United States and include approximate dates and the reason for travel.

Q. Family Residing in the United States: Please list any immediate family members who are currently residing in the United States, including city and state.

R. Evidence of Fluency in Written or Oral English (e.g. personal interview, test score, etc.)

S. Professional Responsibilities:

(1) Short description:

(2) Current courses taught -- should include the course title, level of student (Ph.D., M.A., undergraduate, high school), number of hours per semester, number of students, and the estimated percent of U.S. studies content.)

Course Title	Level of Students	Classroom Hours Per Semester	# Students	U.S. Studies Content (%)

(3) Current student advising -- should include the number of students advised who are studying U.S.

Number of Students Advised Studying U.S. Related Topics	Level of Students	Hours of Advising Per Student

T. Potential Outcomes:

Please select any likely potential professional outcomes of this program.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Update Existing Course | <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Course |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Degree Program | <input type="checkbox"/> University Curriculum Redesign |
| <input type="checkbox"/> National Curriculum Redesign | <input type="checkbox"/> New Research Project |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New Publication | <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Promotion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government or Ministry Policy | <input type="checkbox"/> New Professional Organization |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New Institutional Linkages | <input type="checkbox"/> Raise Institutional Profile |

Please submit a statement (no more than 2 pages) on:

1. Please describe your professional responsibilities and discuss how attending this Institute would help you achieve the "Other Potential Outcomes" you have checked above.
2. Please define any relevance of this Study of the U.S. Institute to your professional duties and the impact of this Institute on the teaching or curricula development at your institution or school.
3. Please discuss why you are interested in this Institute and how your participation would enhance this Institute, based either upon your personal and professional experience or upon the current state of U.S. studies in Taiwan.