

## 2011 FULBRIGHT SCHOLARSHIPS (Graduate Studies Commencing September 2012)

The Embassy of the United States of America is currently accepting applications from nationals of Trinidad and Tobago for the following Fulbright scholarships:

International Fulbright Science and Technology Program (For Ph. D Study): This award is among the most prestigious international scholarships in science and technology. Candidates who demonstrate unique aptitude and innovation in scientific fields will compete for approximately 40 awards worldwide. Applicants are required to submit an online application at <a href="https://apply.embark.com/student/fulbright/international/">https://apply.embark.com/student/fulbright/international/</a> along with all supporting documents. APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 30, 2011

**LASPAU Faculty Development Program:** For lecturers at tertiary institutions to undertake Master's level or doctoral study at U.S. universities. All fields of study are included, except medicine, nursing, and dentistry. The scholarship is for one year beginning August/September 2012 and is renewable for a second year. It does not cover expenses for the grantee's family. Interested persons are asked to e-mail <a href="mailto:gregoirej@state.gov">gregoirej@state.gov</a> to confirm their suitability for this program and to access the online application. **APPLICATION DEADLINE: JUNE 30, 2011** 

**Foreign Student Program:** For graduate study in the Social Sciences and Humanities. The online application form is located at: https://apply.embark.com/student/fulbright/international/ 20/ **APPLICATION DEADLINE: JUNE 30, 2011** 

**Hubert H. Humphrey Program** – A 10 month non-degree program for professional development in a variety of fields. Humphrey Fellows may be recruited from both the public and private sector. At least five years working experience and a first degree are required. The application can be accessed at: http://apply.embark.com/student/humphrey/fellowship/. **APPLICATION DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 1, 2011** 

Caribbean Visiting Researcher Program: Open to independent scholars, professionals and university professors who already have a Master's or Ph. D for research in the United States between May 1, 2012 and December 31, 2013. Details for 2012 will be announced in July.

Candidate Requirements: Candidates must be citizens and current residents of Trinidad and Tobago. They must hold an undergraduate degree with excellent academic performance (first class or upper second class honors) and have a strong commitment to returning and contributing to the development of Trinidad and Tobago. (Green Card/U.S. Alien Registration card holders and persons currently residing or studying in the U.S. are NOT eligible to apply. Preference is given to candidates without extensive recent experience in the U.S. or other countries.

All candidates must possess outstanding academic records meeting the requirements of the specific scholarship. Prospective applicants who need to take the GRE/GMAT exam should register as soon as possible.

Further information is available at the U.S. Embassy's Public Affairs Section, 7-9 Marli Street, Port of Spain, or by e-mailing: gregoirej@ state.gov

Prospective candidates are also encouraged to view the U.S. Embassy's website at: http://trinidad.usembassy.gov/ (Click on "Public Affairs/Education"/ "Fulbright")