

## **Application for 2020 Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad To Ghana**

**American Institute for Resource and Human Development, Inc. (AIRHD)  
Center for International and African Studies Outreach Office (CIASO)**

### **Discovering History, Culture and Tradition of Africa to Enhance Teachers' Intercultural and Global Competence: A Short-Term Curriculum Development Seminar in Ghana for American Educators**

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AIRHD has received a Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad Grant Award from the United States Department of Education, to conduct a five-week program of instruction, field study, cultural activities and curriculum development in Ghana for a group of 17 K-12 Social Studies, Humanities, Language, Math and Science teachers/faculty

#### **Eligibility and Criteria for Selection of Participants:**

A participant must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident and either

- (i) a full-time school teacher or college/university faculty,
- (ii) a graduate student, or
- (iii) an undergraduate junior or senior student who intends to teach in modern foreign languages or area studies.

#### **Applicants must submit a completed application package which includes:**

- (1) a fully completed application form with a non-refundable \$75.00 application fee (cashier check only);
- (2) two-three page double-spaced typed essay describing reasons for applying including how you plan to use the experience acquired in Ghana to improve African area studies curriculum in your classroom and your willingness in making presentations in your school, district, regional, state and national conferences, as well as qualifications for participation in the program;
- (3) two professional letters of recommendation from the school principal and supervisor;
- (4) a resume or curriculum vitae; and
- (5) unofficial transcripts of undergraduate and graduate work (only for students).

Upon notification of selection to participate in the program, selected candidates will have **5 working days** to submit their payment of **\$1100.00 made payable to AIRHD (via cashier check or personal check)**. This is the participant fee to defray costs not covered by the US Department of Education or AIRHD (including cost of the round-trip airline ticket, room & board, local transportation in Ghana, fees for museums and tour guides, pre-departure orientation, books and reading materials, etc.). Selected participants will be required to complete all project-related activities: 1) a 3-day Pre-Departure Orientation scheduled on **June 4-6, 2020** at AIRHD office at 1726 Montreal Circle, Suite 210 Tucker, GA 30084; 2) a five-week study tour seminar in Ghana for curriculum development and post seminar follow-up activities at AIRHD two months upon return to the US.

**Deadline to submit all application materials is Friday January 17, 2020.** Notification for Selection of candidates is **February 21, 2020**. Upon selection, candidates are required to make Payment of **\$1100** on **Friday February 28, 2020**. Final selection will be subject to approval by the U.S. Department of Education in Washington, DC. (**March 2020 TBA**). Preference will be given to those who have not travelled to Ghana/Africa. **Tentative date for travel to Ghana is June 19, 2020-July 24, 2020**. All application materials should be mailed to **American Institute for Resource and Human Development (AIRHD) P.O. Box 1421, Conyers, GA 30012**. Interested applicants should contact **Professor Fredoline Anunobi** at 678-313-3090 or email [ameriresource1@gmail.com](mailto:ameriresource1@gmail.com) Candidates can download 2020 Fulbright Hays Group Projects Abroad Application at Website [www.american-resource.org](http://www.american-resource.org).

**Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

**Applicant Information**

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First MI*

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Address Apartment/Unit#*

\_\_\_\_\_ *City State ZIP Code*

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Education**

Institution	Location	From	To	Degree/Date	Major/Minor

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a citizen of the United States \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO

If not a citizen, copy of permanent residence card is required

If not a citizen, Country of Origin \_\_\_\_\_

Nearest Relative \_\_\_\_\_  
*Name Relationship Phone Number*

**Employment**

**History**

*Please describe your professional experience in descending order (most recent employment first), including grade level and subjects taught, and number or years teaching and/or administrative experience*

Institution	Location	From	To	Position	Grade/Subject

Where did you hear about **Thinking Globally About Local Issues to Develop Teachers' Cultural Competence and International Awareness in Africa: A Short-Term Seminar in Tanzania for American Educators** Group Projects Abroad? **Check One**

\_\_\_ Newspaper \_\_\_ Friend \_\_\_ AIRHD Quarterly Newsletter \_\_\_ Radio \_\_\_ University Bulletin \_\_\_ AIRHD Website \_\_\_ Other

Describe your overseas travel experiences and/or activities if any and how this trip will enhance your previous experience:

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What is your objective in going to Africa, and how do you anticipate benefiting from this experience? Also describe how you plan to implement what you have learned in Africa upon return to U.S.A

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What special skills do you possess (computer, photography, sports, music, communication, foreign language, etc.)

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List any special medical needs and/or conditions that AIRHD should be aware of:

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What is the closest Airport to your permanent residence? \_\_\_\_\_

**Disclaimer and Signature**

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

If this application leads acceptance, I understand that false or misleading information in my application or interview may result in my dismissal.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_