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# The Einstein Foundation Award for Promoting Quality in Research

The Einstein Foundation Award for Promoting Quality in Research aims to provide recognition and publicity for outstanding efforts that enhance the rigor, reliability, robustness, and transparency of research, and stimulate awareness and activities fostering research quality among scientists, institutions, funders, and politicians. To acknowledge the outstanding role early career researchers (ECRs) have in promoting research quality, ECRs will be invited to propose projects that foster research quality and value. Projects will be competitively selected for funding and internationally showcased.

[Find out more about the objectives.](#)

## Award Categories

**Individual Award:** Individual scientist or small teams of collaborating scientists can be nominated. The laureate will be awarded €200,000.

**Institutional Award:** Governmental and non-governmental organizations, institutions, or other entities can apply or be nominated. The award-winning organization or institution will receive €200,000. If governmental organizations or institutions are the recipients of the award, they will not receive any funds in addition to the award itself.

**Early Career Award:** Early career researcher can submit a project proposal for an award of €100,000.

[Find out more about the nomination and application requirements in the different categories.](#)

## Eligibility

This award is open to any researcher or group of researchers, organization, or institution. To be eligible for the Early Career Research Award, candidates must hold a doctorate or have equivalent research experience and should have been an independent researcher for no longer than five years.

**Deadline:** TBD

**More Information:** Prof. Dr. Ulrich Dirnagl, Secretary, Einstein Foundation Award  
[award@einsteinfoundation.de](mailto:award@einsteinfoundation.de) <https://www.einsteinfoundation.de/en/award/>

# International Research Experiences for Students (IRES), Office of International Science and Engineering (OISE), Directorate for Engineering, National Science Foundation (NSF)

Funding Opportunity Number: 20-598 (Re-issue of 19-585)

The International Research Experiences for Students (IRES) program supports international research and research-related activities for U.S. science and engineering students. The IRES program contributes to development of a diverse, globally engaged workforce with world-class skills. IRES focuses on active research participation by undergraduate and/or graduate students in high quality international research, education and professional development experiences in NSF-funded research areas.

The overarching, long-term goal of the IRES program is to enhance U.S. leadership in science and engineering research and education and to strengthen economic competitiveness through training the next generation of research leaders.

This solicitation features two mechanisms; proposers are required to select one of the following tracks to submit their proposal.

- **IRES - Track I: IRES Sites (IS)** projects engage a group of undergraduate and/or graduate students in active high-quality collaborative research, in principle at an international site with mentorship from researchers at a host lab. IRES Sites must be organized around a coherent intellectual theme that may involve a single discipline or multiple disciplines funded by NSF.
- **IRES - Track II: Advanced Studies Institutes (ASI)** are intensive short courses with related activities that engage advanced graduate students in active learning and research at the frontiers of knowledge. ASIs typically range in length from ten to twenty-one days and, in principle, must be held outside the United States. ASIs must have a compelling rationale for their international location and should involve distinguished active researchers in the target field from the U.S. and abroad. ASIs should enable students to develop skills and broaden professional networks, leveraging international participation and complementary resources (expertise, facilities, data, field site, etc.) for mutual benefit.

For all IRES proposals, PIs are strongly encouraged to outline virtual, hybrid or other alternative approaches to strengthen and maintain international collaboration in the event travel is not undertaken, and/or in addition to travel. It is expected that these approaches will extend collaboration beyond the actual international trip and strengthen IRES proposals overall.

Deadline: Annual each September

More Information: [https://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub\\_summ.jsp?ods\\_key=nsf20598](https://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub_summ.jsp?ods_key=nsf20598)

# U.S. Embassy Buenos Aires PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Argentina

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-AR200-FY22-0001

PAS invites proposals from Argentine academic, cultural, educational, and other non-profit organizations and/or individuals that fulfill U.S. Embassy goals and objectives: to strengthen the bilateral ties between the United States and Argentina, promote economic prosperity and security through academic and cultural initiatives seeking to increase understanding between U.S. and Argentine people and institutions.

The Grants Program assists organizations in carrying out programs, providing new opportunities for citizen engagement, sharing best practices, and promoting and advancing issues of public importance, focused on the following topics: Promote U.S. - Argentina shared values; strengthen prosperity; and reinforce democracy, freedom, and transparency.

Priority Program Areas:

- Improve STEM and English education in Argentina
- Reinforce journalistic standards to counter disinformation and support freedom of information
- Encourage inclusion and diversity through engagement with marginalized populations, women, at-risk youth, and minorities to reduce economic inequality.

Funding amount: \$10,000 to \$100,000

Deadline: December 31, 2021; May 31, 2022

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336004> or email: US-ArgentinaGrants@state.gov

# U.S. Embassy Australia FY22 Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Australia

Funding Opportunity Number: PASCNB-NOFO-FY22-01

U.S.-Australia Alliance: Activities that promote the values that underpin the U.S.-Australia partnership, including but not limited to democracy, human rights, rule of law, freedom of speech, LGBTQI+ rights, gender equality, and diversity. • Economic Partnership: Activities that support U.S.-Australia partnerships in areas including, but not limited to, space exploration, critical minerals, emerging technology, entrepreneurship, women's economic empowerment, and higher education exchange. Activities that build the capacity of the United States and

Australia to partner in these areas. • Free and Open Indo-Pacific: Activities that advance U.S. and Australian efforts to increase security, prosperity, good governance, and human capital and counter disinformation and malign activity in the Indo-Pacific region. • Climate Change: Activities that enhance efforts to fight climate change, promote environmental preservation, and support innovation to increase climate action and resilience.

Deadline: September 1, 2022, More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337058> or email: [PASGrantsAustralia@state.gov](mailto:PASGrantsAustralia@state.gov)

## U.S. Embassy Timor-Leste FY22 Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Australia

Funding Opportunity Number: PASDIL-NOFO-FY22-01

The U.S. Embassy in Timor-Leste through the public affairs section announces an open competition for organizations and individuals to submit applications to carry out programs that strengthen the U.S.-Timorese partnership, bolster democratic institutions, including through strengthened civic participation and media reporting, and expand economic prosperity and opportunity. Applications should include a U.S. element or connection with an American expert, organization, or institution.

### Priority Program Areas

- U.S.-Timorese partnership: Activities that advance the bilateral relationship between the United States and Timor-Leste, including but not limited to programs engaging emerging leaders in the 20th anniversary of U.S.-Timorese diplomatic relations through the Embassy's campaign entitled "Friends, Partners, Opportunities."
- Democratic Values: Activities that promote the democratic values that underpin the U.S.-Timorese partnership, including but not limited to civic participation of emerging leaders and marginalized groups, human rights, rule of law, freedom of expression, gender equality, and LGBTQI+ rights.
- Media Reporting: Activities that strengthen Timorese media reporting capacity, free and independent media development, media literacy, and efforts to counter misinformation, disinformation, and propaganda.
- Economic Prosperity and Opportunity: Activities that widen access to U.S. higher education, empower youth- and women-led efforts to strengthen competitiveness, promote English language education, and strengthen climate adaptation and resilience.

Funding amount: \$2,000 to \$20,000

Deadline: September 1, 2022

More Information: U.S. Mission Timor-Leste Grants Management Team [PADili@state.gov](mailto:PADili@state.gov)  
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337372>

## U.S. Embassy Bridgetown PAS Annual Program Statement (APS), Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Barbados**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-BGI-FY22-01

PAS Bridgetown invites proposals for programs that strengthen ties between the U.S. and Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean through cultural, educational, business, and scientific programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and priorities.

Examples of PAS Small Grants Program programs include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars, and speaker programs
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances and exhibitions
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation programs
- Professional and academic exchanges and programs

This NOFO is part of Mission Bridgetown's support for public diplomacy programming in Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean. Proposals should address PAS Bridgetown's stated goals, objectives, target audiences, and geographic locations. PAS Bridgetown focuses on economic diversification, education, human rights, intellectual property rights, professional and academic exchange, cultural connections through people-to-people, institutional, and economic ties, and leveraging alumni of U.S. government programs to achieve long-term objectives in Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean.

Funding amount: \$1,000 to \$24,000

Deadline: September 30, 2022

More Information: Nakita R Holder, Cultural Affairs Assistant, Tel: 1 246 227 4000 Email:

BridgetownGrants@state.gov

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=335983>

## U.S. Embassy Brussels PAS Annual Program Statement (APS), Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Belgium**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-BE200-FY21-02

Applications will be accepted from now until July 20, 2021, on a rolling basis. This call for proposals seeks applications for programs up to \$100,000. A grants review committee reviews

proposals on a quarterly basis to evaluate and prioritize proposals based on the availability of funds. We invite proposals for projects that strengthen ties between the United States and Belgium by highlighting shared values, promoting bilateral cooperation, and enhancing the understanding of the United States in Belgium. All grant proposals must convey an American cultural element, support a priority program area, and include a connection with American expert(s), organization(s), or institution(s) in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Our current priority program areas are:

- Programs that demonstrate active partnership between the United States and Belgium to address new and evolving security challenges.
- Programs that highlight U.S.-Belgian cooperation that counters/prevents terrorism, extremism, transnational crime, and polarization.
- Programs that strengthen the Transatlantic economic ties between Belgians and Americans and boost socio-economic well-being.
- Innovative educational, cultural, and professional development programs likely to constitute a sustainable, long-term investment in U.S.-Belgian ties.
- Programs that have a national reach and impact by linking likeminded organizations across linguistic and regional divides.

Grants may be requested for a range of activities, including (but not limited to):

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars, and speaker programs.
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances, and exhibitions.
- Entrepreneurship and innovation in technological or other fields.
- Grassroots programs that counter the influences of violent extremism.
- Media co-ops and press outreach.
- Professional and academic projects.
- Sports-related programming.
- Youth leadership programs, especially for underserved communities.

Deadline: July 20, 2021

More Information: [USGrantsBE@state.gov](mailto:USGrantsBE@state.gov)

# U.S. Embassy Cotonou PDS Request for Statements of Interest: Annual Program Statement

## Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Benin**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-SGP-FY22-01

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>1</sup>**

The U.S. Embassy Cotonou Public Diplomacy Section (PDS) of the U.S. Department of State announces a Request for Statements of Interest (RSOI) from organizations interested in applying for funding for program proposals that strengthen ties between the peoples of the United States and Benin through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation

PDS Cotonou invites SOIs for programs that strengthen ties between the people of the United States and the people of Benin through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or a connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives. Examples of PDS-funded programs include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars, and speaker programs.
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances, and exhibitions.
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation programs.
- Professional and academic exchanges and programs.
- Experiential learning activities (e.g., Model UN, Model Government).

Project proposals submitted through this APS should address one of the following Priority Program Objectives:

- Shared Democratic Values
- Investigative Journalism
- U.S.-Benin Partnership
- Skills for Success

Funding Amount: \$20,000

Deadline: June 5, 2022

More Information: Matinou B Mouftaou Program Support Specialist Phone 0022997974782  
email: [mouftaourm@state.gov](mailto:mouftaourm@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=336538> | <https://bj.usembassy.gov/education-culture/apply-grant-us-embassy-cotonou/>

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<sup>1</sup> This is a "Limited" funding submission, and the program will accept only one proposal from the University of Florida. Please contact [UFRsearch](mailto:UFRsearch) if you plan to submit a proposal. Contact Dr. Sobha Jaishankar, Assistant VP -- [sjaishan@ufl.edu](mailto:sjaishan@ufl.edu)

## POA Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Brazil**

Funding Opportunity Number: BRAZIL-PAS-FY21-01

The U.S. Consulate General in Porto Alegre invites proposals that strengthen ties between the United States and Brazil, through cultural, exchange, and education programs that highlight shared values and promote bilateral cooperation.

This Annual Program Statement focuses exclusively on the Porto Alegre Consular District, which includes the states of Rio Grande do Sul and Santa Catarina only. Programs focused on other areas of Brazil are not eligible under this Annual Program Statement.

The Consulate seeks project proposals in the following Priority Program Areas:

- Advancing social inclusion
- Press freedom and combating disinformation
- Economic growth, innovation, and entrepreneurship
- Education, English language learning and culture
- Citizen and regional security

Funding Amount: USD \$2,000 to \$20,000

Due: August 1, 2021

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=331365>

Email: PortoAlegreImprensa@state.gov

## U.S. Embassy Brasilia, Public Affairs Section Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Brazil**

Funding Opportunity Number: BRAZIL-PAS-FY21-02

U.S. Embassy in Brasilia invites proposals that promote understanding of U.S. foreign policy priorities, shared democratic values, the benefits of innovation and entrepreneurship, and the value of future job skills. All proposals must include an American element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

In light of the restrictive travel and public gathering environments caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, the U.S. Embassy in Brasília expects interested applicants to submit proposals that include a virtual programming option.

The Embassy seeks project proposals in the following Priority Program Areas:

- U.S. FOREIGN POLICY: Programs that help Brazilian audiences analyze, debate, and understand U.S. foreign policy.

- **DEMOCRATIC VALUES:** Programs that strengthen civil society and promote human rights, women's empowerment, diversity, racial equity, rule of law, freedom of the press, and other democratic values. Also, programs that counter misinformation or disinformation.
- **INNOVATION AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP:** Programs that aim to build capacity in both areas and focus on inclusion of under-represented groups.
- **STEAM LEARNING:** Programs that help underrepresented communities learn, adopt, and thrive from Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) education and activities, including programs that help young people learn future job skills, such as coding, IoT, creative thinking, as well as connecting it all to the importance of learning English.
- **EDUCATION:** Programs related to promoting study in the United States, the internationalization of Brazilian universities, and/or capacity the building of linkages between American and Brazilian institutions of higher learning. Also, programs that promote English-language teaching and/or learning.
- **THE AMAZON AND THE ENVIRONMENT:** Programs that promote forests and biodiversity while improving the prosperity and well-being of indigenous peoples and local communities in the Amazon. Also, programs that promote the sustainable use of biodiversity, through the development of the bioeconomy.

Funding Amount: USD \$5,000 to \$20,000

Expression of interest due: June 1, 2021

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=331723>

Email: [Brazilgrants@state.gov](mailto:Brazilgrants@state.gov)

## U.S. Embassy Sofia, PDS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Bulgaria

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-APS-FY22-01

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>2</sup>**

PDS Sofia invites proposals for programs that strengthen people-to-people ties between the United States and Bulgaria through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Priority Program Areas:

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<sup>2</sup> This is a "Limited" funding submission, and the program will accept only one proposal from the University of Florida. Please contact [UFResearch](mailto:sjaishan@ufl.edu) if you plan to submit a proposal. Contact Dr. Sobha Jaishankar, Assistant VP -- [sjaishan@ufl.edu](mailto:sjaishan@ufl.edu)

- Strengthen governance, transparency, and rule of law to foster democratic norms, economic development, and security stability.
- Build resilience among the Bulgarian public against disinformation.
- Promote activities that highlight the social and cultural connections between the United States and Bulgaria.
- Increase cultural understanding and connectivity between the people of Bulgaria and North Macedonia.
- Protect and preserve Bulgarian cultural heritage.
- Advance the socioeconomic inclusion of historically underserved and/or marginalized communities, including women, Roma and other minority groups, LGBTI individuals, migrant populations, and disadvantaged youth.
- Promote education and skills-building in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) and environmental / clean energy sectors.

Deadline: September 1, 2022

More Information: [SofiaGrants@state.gov](mailto:SofiaGrants@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336455>

## U.S. Embassy Yaoundé PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Cameroon

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-CMR-FY22-01

The PAS grants program supports projects proposed by U.S. and Cameroonian academic, cultural, educational, and other non-profit organizations and/or individuals that promote U.S. values, increase understanding between U.S. and Cameroonian people and institutions, and/or support U.S. Embassy goals of promoting good governance and transparency, economic prosperity, and peace and security. All programs must include an element of American culture or society, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Priority Program Areas:

- Governance: Projects promoting democratic principles, improved and inclusive governance, transparency, human rights, religious freedom, empowerment of marginalized groups, voter participation, civic education, civil society
- Prosperity: Projects promoting economic prosperity, entrepreneurship, bilateral trade and investment, countering corruption
- Security: Projects promoting peace and security, rule of law, alternatives to violence in resolving conflict, tolerance, preventing radicalization to violence, improving mutual understanding between groups, community policing
- Sustainability and Climate Change: Projects promoting environmental sustainability and addressing climate change

- Journalism: Projects promoting a professional and independent media, role of informed citizens in a democracy, media literacy, ethical journalism

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$25,000

Deadline: July 15, 2022

More Information: [TaborEK@state.gov](mailto:TaborEK@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336693>

## Advancing Diversity and Inclusion Grant Program Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Canada**

Funding Opportunity Number: SCA52522GR3000DI

The Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Embassy and Consulates in Canada, U.S. Department of State, announces an open competition for organizations to submit applications to carry out programs to strengthen bilateral ties between the United States and Canada on Advancing Diversity and Inclusion Grant Program.

PAS invites proposals from non-governmental organizations, think tanks, government institutions, and academic institutions for programs that strengthen the bilateral ties between the United States and Canada and support the Roadmap for a Roadmap for a Renewed U.S.-Canada Partnership Pillar Advancing Diversity and Inclusion, including, but not limited to:

- Programs that address common challenges and share best practices around creating more effective, equitable, and inclusive approaches to community safety, criminal justice, and law enforcement.
- Programs focused on combatting systemic racism and discrimination and sharing best practices for promoting diversity and inclusion in both the public and private sectors.
- Programs on Higher Education and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics).

All programs must engage Canadian audiences. All programs must include a U.S. element or connection with U.S. experts that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Funding Amount \$15,000 - \$100,000

Deadline: January 14, 2022, March 7, 2022, May 4, 2022, July 6, 2022

More Information: [ottawa-pa@state.gov](mailto:ottawa-pa@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336801>

## Bolstering Security and Defense Grant Program Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Canada**

Funding Opportunity Number: SCA52522GR3000SD

PAS invites proposals from non-governmental organizations, think tanks, government institutions, and academic institutions for programs that strengthen the bilateral ties between the United States and Canada and support the Roadmap for a Renewed U.S.-Canada Partnership Pillar Bolstering Security and Defense, including, but not limited to:

- Programs on the Defense Partnership between the U.S. and Canada.
- Programs on Law Enforcement Co-Operation and Countering Violent and Ideologically Motivated Extremism
- Programs on Countering Disinformation and Promoting Cybersecurity

All programs must engage Canadian audiences. All programs must include a U.S. element or connection with U.S. experts that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives. Any speakers paid with grant funding must hold U.S. citizenship.

Funding Amount \$15,000 - \$100,000

Deadline: January 14, 2022, March 7, 2022, May 4, 2022, July 6, 2022

More Information: [ottawa-pa@state.gov](mailto:ottawa-pa@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336802>

## U.S. Embassy Ottawa, Public Affairs Section, Annual Program Statement, U.S. Mission to **Canada**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-OTTAWA-FY22-APS01

PAS Canada invites proposals for programs that promote bilateral cooperation and highlight shared values. All programs must include an American perspective, societal or cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives. Grants available through this program are intended to serve as one-time opportunities that can help launch projects that should be sustainable after the project period is over. They CANNOT be used to support on-going operational costs, construction, scientific research, partisan political activity, trade activities, fund-raising campaigns, or commercial products.

Priority Program Areas:

- Security and Defense
- Prosperity, Trade, and Investment
- Technology and Innovation

- Shared Values and Interests
- Youth Engagement
- Student Mobility
- Educational Exchanges and Partnerships

Funding Amount \$15,000 - \$100,000

Deadline: January 14, 2022, March 7, 2022, May 4, 2022, July 6, 2022

More Information: <https://ca.usembassy.gov/embassy-consulates/ottawa/u-s-mission-to-canada-public-affairs-grants-program/>

## U.S. Embassy PRAIA PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Cape Verde**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-001-FY2021

The U.S. Embassy Praia Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State announces a Request for Statements of Interest (RSOI) from organizations interested in applying for funding for program proposals that strengthen cultural ties between the U.S. and Cabo Verde through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation.

All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Priority Program Areas:

- English Language Learning.
- Entrepreneurship and Economic Development, with priority given to projects that seek to increase U.S. Businesses' trade and investment with Cabo Verde.
- Partnerships between U.S. and Cabo Verde institutions committed to education, academic research, and cross-cultural academic exchanges.
- Strengthen democratic values, specifically social inclusion, transparency, freedom of express, and freedom of the press.

Deadline: Continuous

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=331750>

# Annual Program Statement – Public Diplomacy Programs with Chile, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Chile**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-STG-FY22B

The Embassy Public Affairs Section invites proposals for highly creative programs that highlight U.S.-Chile ties by celebrating 200 years of U.S.-Chile diplomatic relations in 2023. Programs should focus on shared values and bilateral cooperation, including the personal, professional, organizational, educational, cultural, and/or official connections between the two countries. Proposed programs should be particularly engaging for audiences ages 18-35, and they should strengthen popular support for United States-Chile relations. Preference will be given to:

- U.S. and Chilean individuals and institutions with a proven track record of executing outstanding cultural and educational events, exchanges, and programs;
- Proposals that demonstrate the long-term sustainability of the project and/or outcomes.
- Proposals that address gender parity among participants/audiences and include engagement with underserved communities (including, but not limited to, immigrants, women, LGBTI individuals, people with disabilities, indigenous communities, and racial minorities) and participants located in regions outside of Santiago.

Funding Amount: \$50,000 to \$100,000

Deadline: June 30, 2022

More Information: Resource Coordinating Unit [GrantsChile@state.gov](mailto:GrantsChile@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337329>

# U.S. Consulate General Hong Kong, PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **China**

Funding Opportunity Number: HKG-NOFO-FY22-01

## **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>3</sup>**

PAS awards a limited number of grants to individuals, non-governmental organizations, think tanks, academic institutions, and other organizations to enhance mutual understanding between the U.S. and Hong Kong and/or Macau. PAS will only consider grants that have a significant American component or aspect in their proposal.

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<sup>3</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

The PAS Small Grants Program projects may include, but are not limited to, the following types of programs:

- Programs that present American society, culture or history, or advance American values, such as diversity and inclusion, to local audiences.
- The participation of American experts, academics, artists, musicians, performers, and filmmakers in local events.
- Bilateral collaborative projects featuring participation of both local and American experts, artists, performers, scholars, and/or other civil society groups.
- Projects that foster shared interest in good governance, strengthening civil society, human rights, combatting human trafficking, media freedom, and media literacy.
- Collaborative projects on environmental sustainability, biodiversity conservation, climate change, sustainability, and conservation.

Funding Amount: \$10,000

Deadline: September 1, 2022

More Information: Tom Hwei, Cultural Affairs Officer Phone 852-2841-2380

[HongKongGrants@state.gov](mailto:HongKongGrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337229>

## U.S. Embassy Abidjan PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Cote d'Ivoire

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-SIV-100-FY22-APS

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>4</sup>**

PAS Abidjan invites proposals for programs that strengthen ties between the U.S. and Côte d'Ivoire through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$25,000

Deadline: September 1, 2021

More Information: Sheik O Kaba Phone 002252522494127 Email [kabaso@state.gov](mailto:kabaso@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337085>

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<sup>4</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

# U.S. Embassy Prague Annual Statement, **Czech Republic**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-001-FY2021

The U.S. Embassy Prague Public Affairs Section (PAS) is interested in funding projects that strengthen societal and cultural ties between the United States and Czech Republic and support our Priority Program Areas: Projects should specifically target Czech audiences living within the Czech Republic. All programs must:

- include an American cultural element, OR
- involve a connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field, or
- promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Priority Program Areas:

I. U.S.-Czech bilateral relationship

Programs that seek to explain U.S. policies, culture and values to Czech audiences, resulting in a positive impact on the bilateral relationship.

II. Economic prosperity, trade and entrepreneurship

Programs that promote and support entrepreneurship, innovation, and/or bilateral trade between the U.S and the Czech Republic.

III. Environmental protection and stem education

Programs related to climate change, environmental protection, scientific cooperation and STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) education, including programs that promote critical thinking skills.

IV. Human rights, democratic values and civil society

Programs that promote human rights, support marginalized groups, encourage gender equality and empowerment of women, and that foster a culture of integration. Programs that strengthen democratic values of transparency, government accountability, anti-corruption and the rule of law. Programs that encourage strong civic engagement and democratic participation by all sectors of society and that support the development of a thriving civil-society and non-governmental sector.

V. Independent media and combatting disinformation

Programs that strengthen an independent media, investigative journalism, or media literacy among the public, such as programs that counter disinformation or train audiences to recognize disinformation or misinformation online and in news.

VI. Regional security, cyber security and/or energy security

Programs that promote energy security, cyber security, and/or our NATO security alliance.

Deadline: May 6, 2022

More Information: Erik W Black Phone 420-257-022-002 [grantsprague@state.gov](mailto:grantsprague@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336402>

## U.S. Mission to the **Democratic Republic of Congo**, Curbing Misinformation and Disinformation through Information Literacy and Fact Checking, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: AF-DRC-01

The U.S. Mission Kinshasa supports a more stable, democratic nation through improved governance, greater respect for human rights, and credible local, provincial, and national elections. The goal of this project is to educate journalists (and through them, the public) so that they can identify and debunk dis/misinformation and make informed choices.

The selected partner is required to design a series of comprehensive media trainings for tech-savvy journalists from both state and private media throughout the country, up to 20 trainings in total. There should be at least 15-20 participants at each training with at least 50% female media practitioners in attendance. The training should cover techniques to detect misinformation and disinformation, identifying and fact-checking information. Based on feedback from and in close collaboration with the U.S. Embassy, the partner will implement these trainings nation-wide for hundreds of public and private media actors. The goal is to help journalists cultivate tools to identify and debunk misinformation and disinformation so they can better inform the Congolese public on issues related to health, democracy, economics, security, and climate change. In turn, this strengthens the democratic foundations of the DRC. The project should use a combination of in-person and/or virtual workshops, trainings, video messaging, a targeted social media strategy and radio programs to engage young citizens throughout the DRC.

Deadline: December 28, 2021

More Information: [KinshasaPDGrants@state.gov](mailto:KinshasaPDGrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336405>

## U.S. Embassy Santo Domingo – Public Diplomacy Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to the **Dominican Republic**

Funding Opportunity Number: S-DR860-APS-2021-01

U.S. Embassy Santo Domingo invites proposals for Public Diplomacy (PD) programs that strengthen cultural, educational, professional, and scientific ties between the U.S. and the Dominican Republic through programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All PD programs must include an American element, a nexus or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives. PD programs should promote communication,

engagement, and/or dialogue between the United States and the Dominican public, enhancing people-to-people connections to U.S. society and culture to build goodwill and lasting bonds.

Examples of Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program proposals include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars and speaker programs.
- Artistic, sports, and cultural workshops, joint performances and exhibitions.
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation programs.
- Professional and academic exchanges and programs.

Proposals should align with our Mission Goals from these priority areas:

- Protecting America's security at home and in the Dominican Republic.
- Encouraging a democratic Dominican Republic.
- A Dominican Republic that promotes our shared prosperity.
- Building support in the Dominican Republic for U.S. leadership and our shared values.

Deadline: April 30, 2021

More Information: AIDA G DE LA MOTA TORIBIO Grantor Phone 809-368-7279

SantoDomingoGrants@state.gov

## U.S. Embassy Cairo PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Egypt

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-EGY-FY21-01

The U.S. Embassy Cairo Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State announces that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program. This is an Annual Program Statement (APS), outlining our funding priorities, our strategic themes of focus, and the procedures for submitting requests for funding for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2021, which runs from October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021. Please note that the date for final submission of proposals is July 15, 2021. Awards will be made to successful applicants subject to the availability of appropriated funds.

PAS Cairo invites proposals from individuals, civil society organizations, think tanks, cultural and arts organizations, government institutions, and academic institutions for programs that strengthen the cultural ties between the U.S. and Egypt through cultural programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Examples of the kinds of activities that can be funded under the PAS Small Grants Program programs include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars, and speaker programs.

- Artistic and cultural workshops, performances, exhibitions, or activities to develop the creative economy in Egypt.
- Workshops, training, and competitions to strengthen the entrepreneurship ecosystem in Egypt.
- Sports workshops, joint athletic competitions, or sports management training.
- Training activities and programs that support science and technology education or STEAM skills.
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation programs.
- Professional and academic exchanges and programs.
- Professional development workshops and training.
- Civic engagement.

Priority Program Areas: Priority will be given to proposals that address one or more of the following program areas:

1. U.S.-EGYPT BILATERAL RELATIONSHIP -- Programs that seek to promote a greater understanding of U.S. policies, culture, and society to Egyptian audiences; activities that promote shared values and interests between the American and Egyptian people; and projects that build people-to-people ties.

2. REGIONAL SECURITY -- Programs that address issues of regional security and enhanced stability, strengthen community resilience to extremism, counter misinformation, or increase public understanding of the U.S.-Egypt security partnership.

3. ECONOMIC GROWTH -- Programs related to economic growth and prosperity, inclusive socio-economic development, promoting economic competitiveness, skills development, entrepreneurship, technology/innovation, intellectual property rights, the creative economy, science/technology/engineering/arts/mathematics (STEAM), and economic empowerment of women and youth, and underserved populations in Egypt.

4. SOCIAL ISSUES -- Programs that support an engaged civil society, promote a deepened understanding of diversity and inclusion, and encourage tolerance and peace through dialogue.

5. EDUCATION -- Programs that promote study in the United States, the building of linkages between American and Egyptian academic institutions, and training opportunities for Egyptian students or faculty in STEAM or other fields.

Deadline: June 30, 2021

More Information: <https://eg.usembassy.gov/education-culture/grant-programs/>

# U.S. Embassy Addis Ababa PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Ethiopia

Funding Opportunity Number: PASAPSFY21

## **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>5</sup>**

PAS Addis invites proposals for programs that strengthen cultural ties between the U.S. and Ethiopia through cultural, media and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies, values, and perspectives.

Examples of PAS small grants programs include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars and speaker programs.
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances and exhibitions.
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation programs.
- Programs developed by an alumnus/a of a U.S. sponsored or supported educational or professional exchange program.
- Programs that strengthen U.S. college and university relationships with local higher education institutions, businesses, and/or regional organizations.
- Media trainings.

Proposals must identify how it fulfills a broad U.S. Embassy priority:

- Strengthen Democratic Institutions and Expand Human Rights: improve internal stability and strengthen rule of law through active engagement with stakeholders; improve learning outcomes by increasing achievement in education; and improve workforce skills development.
- Spur Broad-based Economic Growth and Promote Development: strengthen role of women and youth in economic activity; improve trade and investment climate; increase development and growth of the domestic private sector; and increase livelihood transition opportunities.
- Advance Regional Peace and Security: promote regional peace and security.

Funding Amount: USD \$25,000 to \$100,000

Deadline: July 30, 2021

More Information: [teklemariamamba@state.gov](mailto:teklemariamamba@state.gov) and cc: [PASAddisGrants@state.gov](mailto:PASAddisGrants@state.gov)

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<sup>5</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

## Chateaubriand Fellowship in Humanities and Social Sciences -- **France**

Attention PhD Students

(US Citizenship is not required to apply for a Chateaubriand Fellowship. However, applicants must be enrolled in a PhD program in an American university.)

The Chateaubriand Fellowship is a grant offered by the Embassy of France in the United States. It supports outstanding Ph.D. students from American universities who wish to conduct research in France for a period ranging from 4 to 9 months.

The Chateaubriand Fellowship in Humanities and Social Sciences (HSS) targets students in any discipline of the Humanities and Social Sciences.

Funding Amount: EUR13,500 (Including a monthly stipend, airfare, and health insurance)

Deadline: January 6, 2022 -- Annual

More Information: <https://www.chateaubriand-fellowship.org/>

## Chateaubriand Fellowship in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics & Biology-Health -- **France**

Attention PhD Students

(US Citizenship is not required to apply for a Chateaubriand Fellowship. However, applicants must be enrolled in a PhD program in an American university.)

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The Chateaubriand Fellowship in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics & Biology-Health (STEM) for doctoral students aims to initiate or reinforce collaborations, partnerships or joint projects between French and American research teams. All STEM and Health research topics are eligible.

Research should be performed in a French laboratory (university, engineering school, public research laboratory).

Funding Amount: EUR12,600 (Including a monthly stipend, airfare and health insurance)

Deadline: January 6, 2022 -- Annual

More Information: <https://www.chateaubriand-fellowship.org/>

# U.S. Embassy Banjul PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Gambia**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-BJL-FY21-APS

The U.S. Embassy Banjul Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program. This is an Annual Program Statement, outlining our funding priorities, the strategic themes we focus on, and the procedures for submitting requests for funding. Please carefully follow all instructions below.

Purpose of Small Grants: PAS in Banjul, The Gambia invites proposals for programs that strengthen cultural ties between the United States and The Gambia through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Priority Program Areas:

- Strengthening Democratic Institutions
- Empowering Civil Society
- Bolstering Education
- Improving the capacity of Gambians to lead the country's development

Deadline: June 15, 2021

More Information: Kathryn Edwards +220-437-5270

# FY22 Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Germany**

Funding Opportunity Number: BER-APS-FY22-001

Public Diplomacy Berlin invites proposals for programs that promote bilateral cooperation and highlight shared values. All programs must include an American perspective, societal or cultural element, and/or connection with American experts, organizations, or institutions in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and viewpoints of American citizens. Additionally, programs must include public outreach components, such as livestreaming, traditional media, digital outreach, or events open to the general public.

General Priorities:

- Projects that enhance our resiliency when faced with disinformation and regional destabilization;

- Projects that support, promote, and defend democratic principles and institutions, and that draw attention to challenges from undemocratic actors;
- Projects that build climate awareness and mobilize climate action;
- Projects that promote climate smart innovations and energy transformation technologies, policies, and infrastructure to support green growth and transatlantic security;
- Projects that support entrepreneurship and economic prosperity transatlantic innovation, and the digital economy
- Projects that foster proactive approaches to countering racially and ethnically motivated discrimination and terrorism, anti-Semitism, anti-Muslim prejudice, homophobia, and forms of right-wing extremism that threaten both our shared values and political stability including, but not limited to:
  - Civic education programs, particularly those promoting democratic institutions and values or focusing on media literacy and disinformation
- Projects that promote educational, cultural and civic exchanges and enhance understanding of our shared values, traditions, and history, or promote transatlantic institutional and/or community linkages in particular
  - Providing support for exchanges opportunities for vocational students, first generation Germans, and underserved youth populations to promote the U.S German relationship.
  - Creating long term relationships with U.S. and German educational institutions in the fields of business, environment, economics, international relations, science, and technology.
  - engaging youth on the topics of democracy, diversity, and environmental protection, to facilitate new 21st century transatlantic connections shaped by future decision makers.
- Projects that develop STE(A)M, soft skills, and media literacy programs focusing on youth audiences, minority communities, underserved populations, and first-generation Germans
- Programming to support alumni of U.S. government exchange programs

Funding Amount: Up to \$15,000

Deadline: March 20, 2022

More Information: Stefan Koehler Strategic Content Coordination Assistant Phone 00493083052112koehlers [at] state [dot] gov | koehlers [at] state [dot] gov | <https://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336852>

# U.S. Embassy **Ghana** Public Affairs Section

## Request for Statements of Interest (RSOI): Annual Program Statement

Funding Opportunity Number: DOS-ACC-RSOI-2022-01

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>6</sup>**

The purpose of this small grants program is to strengthen ties and build relationships between the United States and Ghana through activities that highlight shared values, goals, and cooperation. All programs must include a strong, central American element, or connection with American expert(s), organization(s), or institution(s) (separate and beyond any involvement with the U.S. Embassy or its American Corners) and have as a primary goal the promotion of increased understanding of American values, perspectives, and policies and relationship building between Americans and Ghanaians.

#### Priority Program Areas:

- Improve Accountable Governance, Strengthen Democratic Institutions, and Promote Human Rights (this may include programs on press freedom/professionalism; media literacy and combatting disinformation; increasing transparency in the public sector; protecting human rights; and anti-corruption efforts.)
- Promote Opportunity in Underserved Communities (this may include programs on public health and educational opportunities.)
- Maintain and bolster peace and security (this may include programs on capacity building, community-driven programs on countering violent extremism and gender-based violence, strengthening the judicial sector, and cybersecurity trainings.)
- Spur Environmentally Sustainable, Inclusive Economic Growth, Trade, and Investment (this may include programs on entrepreneurship, capacity-building, business incubators, climate change, and opportunities to convene investors with businesses.)

Funding Amount: \$15,000 - \$25,000

Deadline: March 20, 2022

More Information: Virginia Elliott Public Affairs Officer [pasaccragrant@state.gov](mailto:pasaccragrant@state.gov);

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337154>

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<sup>6</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

# U.S. Embassy Budapest, PAS - FY21 Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Hungary

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-BUD-FY22-APS001

## **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>7</sup>**

The U.S. Embassy Budapest, Public Affairs Section (PAS Budapest) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program. This is an Annual Program Statement, outlining our funding priorities, the strategic themes we focus on, and the procedures for submitting requests for funding. Please carefully follow all instructions below.

**Purpose of Small Grants:** PAS Budapest invites proposals for programs that strengthen cultural ties between the U.S. and Hungary through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

### **Priority Program Areas:**

1. Reinforce U.S. – Hungary Shared Values
2. Advance Regional and Global Security
3. Promote Transatlantic Trade, Investment, and Energy Security
4. Promote Rule of Law, Democracy, and Respect for Individual Liberty

**Funding Amount:** \$1,000 to \$25,000

**Deadline:** February 28, 2022

**More Information:** Email: [BudapestGrants@state.gov](mailto:BudapestGrants@state.gov) U.S. Embassy Budapest, Public Affairs Section Grants Management <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337032>

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<sup>7</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

## U.S. Mission to **India**, U.S. Consulate General Chennai Public Affairs Section-PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: C-NOFO-21-103

The Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Consulate General Chennai of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce a funding opportunity through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program. This Annual Program Statement (APS) was developed to support projects proposed by U.S. and Indian not-for-profit organizations, think tanks, educational institutions, that fulfill U.S. Mission India goals and objectives including promoting greater understanding of the U.S. and fostering people-to-people ties, reinforcing shared values between U.S. and India, and ensuring mutual prosperity.

Examples of PAS Small Grants Program include, but are not limited to:

- U.S. experts conducting speaking tours and public talks, roundtable discussions, workshops, etc.
- Academic and professional lectures and seminars.
- Cultural and arts programs/workshops/ performances and exhibitions.
- Development of initiatives aimed at maintaining contacts with alumni of our exchange programs.

This funding opportunity seeks to invite project proposals on four areas: Transformative Technologies, Inclusive India, Indo Pacific Cooperation, and Higher Education. While proposals may address multiple project and objectives, each proposal should focus primarily on one of the following priority project areas.

Deadline: December 31, 2021 More Information: [ChennaiPASG@state.gov](mailto:ChennaiPASG@state.gov)  
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=332224>

## U.S. Mission to **India**, U.S. Consulate General Hyderabad, Public Affairs Section-PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: M-NOFO-21-103

The U.S. Consulate General in Hyderabad announces an open competition for organizations to submit applications to implement programs that foster stronger bilateral and regional ties through diverse public diplomacy programs on topics related to economic growth, climate change, and supporting and promoting democratic values and rights. Applications should include an American element or connection with an American expert, organization, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and

perspectives.

While proposals may address multiple project objectives, each proposal should focus primarily on one of the following priority project areas.

- Programs related to promoting study in the United States, the internationalization of Indian universities, and/or building of linkages between American and Indian institutions of higher education
- Programs related to U.S.-India bilateral trade, investment, economic integration, entrepreneurship, innovation, intellectual property rights.
- Programs on understanding U.S.-India relations in the Indo-Pacific, including security cooperation and military/defense relations.
- Programs that seek to promote a better understanding of diversity and inclusion; religious freedom; gender rights; LGBTQ rights; rights of persons with disabilities; rights of underrepresented or otherwise disadvantaged communities; and other aspects of human rights.
- Activities that address the social, political, and economic barriers preventing the full participation of India's female population in its growth.
- Creative programs that advance one or more of the priority areas to include but not limited to climate change; clean and renewable energy; space science and technology; and transformative technologies like artificial intelligence and virtual reality.

Deadline: December 31, 2021

More Information: [HYDGrantApplications@state.gov](mailto:HYDGrantApplications@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=332889>

## U.S. Mission to **India**, U.S. Consulate General Mumbai Public Affairs Section-PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: M-NOFO-21-101

The U.S. Consulate General in Mumbai announces an open competition for organizations to submit applications to implement programs that foster stronger bilateral and regional ties through diverse public diplomacy programs on topics related to economic growth, countering disinformation, disaster management, and active citizenship. Applications should include an American element or connection with an American expert, organization, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

While proposals may address multiple project objectives, each proposal should focus primarily on one of the following priority project areas.

- Ensuring mutual prosperity
- Safeguarding people
- Reinforcing democratic values
- Empowering women and girls

Deadline: February 1, 2022

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=332191>

## U.S. Mission to **India**, North India Office Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: NIO-NOFO-21-101

The North India Office of the U.S. Department of State oversees a range of policy-oriented, cultural, and educational initiatives throughout North India that are supported by the U.S. government, with the goal to foster stronger bilateral and regional ties through diverse public diplomacy programs. The North India Office-Public Affairs Section's geographic focus includes Haryana, Punjab, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, and Himachal Pradesh, along with the Chandigarh Union Territory. Our program priorities are broad and aim to highlight the strong U.S.-India relationship in all sectors. They include bilateral economic ties and economic growth, environmental health, education and innovation, science and health, bilateral diplomatic and Indo-Pacific cooperation, combatting shared challenges such as trafficking in persons, fostering shared values, and defense cooperation.

Deadline: December 31, 2021

More Information: [ND\\_GrantApplications@state.gov](mailto:ND_GrantApplications@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=334344>

## U.S. Mission to **Indonesia** Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-JAKARTA-FY22-02

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>8</sup>**

The U.S. Embassy's Public Affairs Section (PAS) in Jakarta invites proposals for projects that further and support the strategic partnership between Indonesia and the U.S. through educational, cultural, informational, and media programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural or media-related element, or a connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Program Themes may include, but are not limited to:

- Strategic Partnership

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<sup>8</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

- Security and Defense
- Prosperity, Trade, and Investment
- Technology and Innovation
- Education and Human Capacity
- Post-Pandemic Recovery
- Environmental Issues and Climate Crisis
- Combating Disinformation
- Diversity and Inclusivity

Funding Amount: \$30,000 to \$100,000

Deadline: February 17, 2022, and July 16, 2022

More Information: Jakarta PAS Grants Grantor Phone 622150831000 Email

[JakartaPASGrants@state.gov](mailto:JakartaPASGrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337149>

## Japan - United States Friendship Commission

The Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission is a grant-making agency that supports research, education, public affairs, and exchange with Japan. Its mission is to support reciprocal people-to-people understanding and promote partnerships that advance common interests between Japan and the United States. The Commission also serves to maintain expertise on Japan Studies throughout U.S. academic and professional institutions. It supports academic and non-profit organizations that conceptualize and execute U.S.-Japan training, research and exchange programs.

USFC operates its grant-making activities in four areas:

- Arts and Culture
- Education and Public Affairs
- Exchanges and Scholarship
- Global Challenges

Deadline: Annual every July 1

More Information: [jusfc@jusfc.gov](mailto:jusfc@jusfc.gov) 202-653-9800 [https://www.jusfc.gov/grant\\_program/](https://www.jusfc.gov/grant_program/)

## U.S. Embassy Tokyo Public Affairs Section Annual Program Statement, U.S. Mission to Japan

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-TOKYO-FY22-APS01

The U.S. Embassy in Tokyo's Public Affairs Section (PAS Tokyo) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that we are considering proposals for our Public Diplomacy Grants

Program. This announcement is an Annual Program Statement outlining our funding priorities, the strategic themes we focus on, and the procedures for submitting funding requests. Please read this document carefully and follow all instructions. This notice is subject to availability of funding.

PAS Japan invites proposals for projects that strengthen ties between Japan and the United States through programming that promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives in Japan.

Funding Amount: \$1,000 to \$100,000

Deadline: December 3, 2021

More Information: [tokyopasgrants@state.gov](mailto:tokyopasgrants@state.gov)

## U.S. Japan Foundation: U.S. Japan Policy Studies

The United States-Japan Foundation supports US-Japan policy-related studies, initiatives and exchanges that help address issues of significant mutual concern to the United States and Japan. The Foundation seeks to respond to policy-relevant needs as identified by experts and practitioners in US-Japan policy studies field and we are therefore open to innovative projects. Policy projects we fund: 1) Emphasize research over dialogue; 2) Have lasting impact and practical relevance to US-Japan policymakers; 3) Encourage growth, education and interaction of younger scholars and policymakers in both countries; and 4) Disseminate results widely.

Focus on the long term as opposed to addressing the “issue of the moment.” Areas of current interest are:

- National Interest / Foreign Policy – topics include the US and Japan vis-à-vis the Korean Peninsula and/or China; regional security issues; Confidence Building Measures; controlling weapons proliferation; bilateral security arrangements and policies (with a particular emphasis on US military bases in Japan / Okinawa); managing environment-related threats or crisis; regional peacekeeping; and other related issues that can either threaten or help enhance regional peace and stability.
- Nationalism(s)/National Identities – projects under this area aim to identify the ways in which national identity intersects with foreign policy making choices facing the United States and Japan as well as the ways in which issues surrounding national identities impact relations between the US and Japan with other countries in Asia.
- Energy and the Environment – the Foundation is interested in projects that support innovative research on the ways in which the US and Japan can work together to improve local and global environmental issues. In addition, we seek proposals that address long-term energy issues facing both nations.
- Managing Globalization – despite the potential benefits of growing economic integration in the Asia-Pacific region, adverse externalities are likely unless effectively planned for and mitigated. The issues are both technical (harmonization of rules and standards, developing efficient and impartial structures for oversight and management of finance

and trade, forums for conflict resolution, etc.) and more abstract (maintaining cultural and bio-diversity, just and fair agreements for such issues as resource extraction or regional pollution, and managing the clash of different value systems, etc.).

- Understanding Institutions –Studies can be comparative and descriptive: to help each country understand the other and improve communication, trust and institutional cooperation. The research can also be analytical with an eye toward institutional reform or institution building, but there must still be a clear link to the Foundations mission.
- US-Japan Trade and Economic Relations – emphasis is on Japanese and Americans working together to understand and seek common solutions to potentially contentious issues (e.g. trade imbalance, trade agreements, tax treaties, etc.) and develop policies for mutual and/or regional economic stability and improvement.

Deadline: Letter of Inquiry on January 15, 2022 or July 15, 2022; Full Proposal on March 1, 2022 or August 31, 2022

More Information: [programs@us-jf.org](mailto:programs@us-jf.org) (212) 481-8753

<https://us-jf.org/programs/grants/us-japan-policy-studies/>

## U.S. Embassy Amman Public Affairs Section Annual Program Statement, U.S. Mission to **Jordan**

The U.S. Embassy in Jordan Public Affairs Section (PAS) is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Grants Program. This is an Annual Program Statement (APS), outlining our funding priorities, the strategic themes we focus on, and the procedures for submitting requests for funding. Please carefully follow all instructions below. Awards will be made to successful applicants subject to the availability of appropriated funds. (Please note that although the maximum amount that can be awarded is \$500,000, cost effectiveness of programs is a key factor in determining which applicants are funded.)

**Purpose of Grants:** The Public Affairs Section at the U.S. Embassy in Jordan invites proposals for programs that strengthen ties between the U.S. and Jordan through public diplomacy programming that highlights shared values, promotes bilateral cooperation, and builds mutual understanding. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with an American expert(s), organization(s), or institution(s) in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Deadline: July 15, 2021

More Information: [AmmanGrants@state.gov](mailto:AmmanGrants@state.gov)

<https://jo.usembassy.gov/embassy/jordan/sections-offices/public-diplomacy/annualstatement/>

## Public Diplomacy Grants in **Kuwait**, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Kuwait

Funding Opportunity Number: KUWAIT-PAS-2020-01

The U.S. Embassy in Kuwait announces an open competition for organizations or individuals to submit a statement of interest (SOI) to carry out a program (or programs) to the Public Affairs section at the U.S. Embassy Kuwait.

Grant proposals must seek to achieve one or more of the following goals:

1. Prepare students in Kuwait to attend U.S. universities, whether through English or college readiness training, college advising, or other means.
2. Strengthen the ability of marginalized communities, youth, and women to participate fully in the political process and the economy.
3. Improve intellectual property rights awareness and enforcement.
4. Promote people-to-people ties between the United States and Kuwait through educational, cultural, or civic activities that engage youth and young professionals in Kuwait.
5. Foster innovative approaches to solving social, economic, or political issues.
6. Promote community resiliency during and after the COVID-19 pandemic.

Target audiences include youth and young professionals, educators, women, stateless residents, and other underserved populations in Kuwait.

Expression of interest due: July 31, 2021

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=327641>

## Annual Program Statement for Public Affairs Cultural and Educational Programs, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Kyrgyzstan**

Funding Opportunity Number: STATE-BISHKEK-PAS-22-0001

The U.S. Embassy Bishkek Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce funding is available through the Embassy's Public Diplomacy Grants Program. Based on funding availability, projects awarded under the Public Diplomacy Grants program will support U.S. foreign policy goals in the Kyrgyz Republic in the areas of combating transnational threats, promoting sustainable economic growth, and accountable governance and stability in the Kyrgyz Republic.

Key audiences may include youth (14-28 years old), women, other marginalized groups, entrepreneurs/innovators, journalists, government actors, social media influencers, civil society organizations, and/or non-profit organizations – especially in more remote and rural areas.

PAS invites proposals for programs that strengthen ties between the United States and Kyrgyz Republic and support a priority program area in order to highlight shared values and promote bilateral cooperation. All proposed programs must include an American element, either through a connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s, usage of American educational/informational resources, or any other activities that promote or contribute to increased mutual understanding between the people of the United States and people of the Kyrgyz Republic. Competitive proposals will promote continued/sustainable cooperation between the people of the United States and Kyrgyz Republic even after the project concludes.

Funding Amount: \$1,000 to \$120,000

Deadline: April 30, 2022

More Information: [BishkekProjectProposals@state.gov](mailto:BishkekProjectProposals@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337405>

<https://kg.usembassy.gov/education-culture/annual-public-affairs-grant-program/>

## U.S. Embassy Lebanon PAS Large Grants NOFO, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Lebanon**

Funding Opportunity Number: LBN-PAS-FY21-02

U.S. Embassy Beirut seeks proposals that address the following priority program areas:

- Promoting social cohesion among diverse populations and fostering civic engagement.
- Showcasing U.S. values through social and economic entrepreneurship.
- Informing local audiences about the United States.

Examples of subthemes include, but are not limited to, democracy and good governance; disability rights and awareness; protecting human rights; investing in arts and culture; preserving cultural heritage; developing cultural capital; and promoting media literacy.

Deadline: June 30, 2021

More Information: Embassy Beirut Public Affairs Section Grantor Phone 9614543600,

[PDBeirutGrants@state.gov](mailto:PDBeirutGrants@state.gov)

## U.S. Embassy Lilongwe, Public Diplomacy Grants, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Malawi**

Funding Opportunity Number: Re-issue of AFMWI-20-01

The Public Affairs Section (PAS) at the U.S. Embassy in Lilongwe, Malawi of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program.

PAS Lilongwe invites proposals for programs that strengthen cultural ties between the U.S. and Malawi through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation between the people of the two countries. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Examples of PAS Small Grants Program programs include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars, and speaker programs.
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances, and exhibitions.
- Professional and academic exchanges and programs

Deadline: February 1, 2022

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=331110>

## U.S. Embassy Lilongwe, Public Diplomacy Section Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Malawi**

Funding Opportunity Number: PDS-LILONGWE-FY22-APS01

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>9</sup>**

PDS Lilongwe invites proposals for projects that strengthen ties between the United States and Malawi through programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives in Malawi.

Priority Program Areas:

- Promote good governance and rule of law
- Facilitate and encourage growth of youth entrepreneurship
- Facilitate economic growth through increased private sector trade with U.S. private companies
- Promote gender equality to increase participation in education and improved health decision-making by adolescent girls and young women
- Promote stronger, more numerous university partnerships between U.S. and Malawian universities
- Increase transparency of government activities through a more capable media
- Support and improve conditions for vulnerable and marginalized citizens, such as the disabled, people living with albinism, and those subject to stigma or persecution

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<sup>9</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

- Preventing gender-based violence and trafficking in persons
- Educate and inform the public on COVID-19 prevention and vaccination

Deadline: June 30, 2022

More Information: Lilongwe Public Affairs Grants Team - [LilongwePAS@state.gov](mailto:LilongwePAS@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337192>

## U.S. Mission to **Malaysia**, U.S. Embassy KL PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: SMY300-FY2021-PAS

PAS Kuala Lumpur invites proposals for programs that further U.S. government objectives and promote bilateral cooperation and mutual understanding between the U.S. and Malaysia. All programs must include a substantive American element, such as connections with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will result in increased understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives.

Priority Program Areas:

- Promotion of regional security cooperation, including countering violent extremism, cybersecurity, and transnational threats.
- Fostering shared interests in good governance and rule of law, including strengthening civil society media freedom, human rights, and media literacy.
- Advancing U.S. and Malaysian prosperity through advancing and deepening our bilateral economic and commercial partnership. Program could focus on topics such as trade and investment issues, women/youth empowerment and technology/innovation.
- Programs that advance mutual understanding of policies, values, and perspectives.

Funding Amount: \$125, 000

Deadline: Open until September 20, 2021

More Information: Public Affairs Section U.S. Embassy Kuala Lumpur [PublicAffairsKL@state.gov](mailto:PublicAffairsKL@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/custom/viewOppDetails.jsp?oppld=329503#relatedDocumentsTab>

# U.S. Embassy Bamako Public Diplomacy Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Mali**

Funding Opportunity Number: AF-BAMAKO-FY22-01

PAS Bamako invites proposals for projects that strengthen ties between the United States and Mali by promoting bilateral cooperation and highlighting shared values and shared interests. All programs must advance one of the key priorities listed below and must promote an element of American culture or have a connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased ties between the United States and Mali and foster understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives.

The purpose of projects funded under the annual program statement is to strengthen ties between Americans and Malians as we work together to make progress toward the goals outlined below.

- Strengthening independent media and fighting disinformation through media literacy, training and other engagement;
- Reinforcing existing Sister City relationships or other relationships between U.S. and Malian institutions (e.g. universities or museums)
- Ensuring participation of citizens, especially women and youth, in the democratic process;
- Fostering economic growth and entrepreneurship;
- Advancing anti-corruption efforts and promoting transparency and good governance;
- Promoting inclusive social development, particularly by empowering women and girls;
- Engaging underserved populations, including persons with disabilities, through art, sports, culture and other creative programs;
- Promoting tolerance and peace;
- Strengthening community resilience to extremism; and
- Promoting English language study and acquisition.

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$500,000

Deadline: May 31, 2022

More Information: [Pasbamako@state.gov](mailto:Pasbamako@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336971>

## U.S. Embassy Public Diplomacy Grants Program, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Malta**

Funding Opportunity Number: 4216-22-001

The U.S. Embassy in Malta of the U.S. Department of State announces that it will accept proposals for funding under the Embassy's Public Diplomacy Grants program. Funding will support projects that:

- Encourage the fullest participation, especially of women and youth, in government, business and civil society.
- Promote bilateral cooperation in regional security.
- Promote empowerment of minorities by strengthening the bridge of mutual understanding and shared values between the United States and Malta, in particular diversity and the integration of refugees/migrants into Maltese society.
- Promote freedom of the press and strengthen the role of independent media.
- Enhance rule of law, and standards of good governance and ethics.
- Promote innovation in bilateral investment and commercial cooperation.

Funding Amount: \$500 to \$10,000

Deadline: Open until September 20, 2021

More Information: Joanna Zingariello, Tel: 0035625614147 Email: [zingarielloj@state.gov](mailto:zingarielloj@state.gov)  
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336006>

## U.S. Mission to **Mexico**, PAS US Consulate Juarez, Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: DOS-MEX-PD-CJ-2020-21

U.S. Consulate General in Ciudad Juarez Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program. PAS Juarez invites proposals for programs that strengthen cultural ties between the U.S. and the people in the State of Chihuahua, Mexico through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Priority Program Areas:

- 1) Culture of lawfulness, rule of law and non-partisan civics education and community-oriented policy creation and participation for the new generations.
- 2) Entrepreneurship and US Mexico trade partnerships, exchange, and joint ventures.

3) Promote educational exchanges and partnerships, particularly those related to Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM); that may improve the lives of at-risk youth, grassroots communities, and movements.

4) Activities, workshops, and speakers' programs that increase mutual understanding between the US and Mexico peoples such as: Sports, English Language Education, Environmental Protection, Public Health, Arts and any Cultural manifestation. With preference on sharing US best practices, American values, history, and culture.

5) Programs related to freedom of the press, protection of intellectual property, use of social media, communications, and promotion of human rights.

NOTE: This is a Limited funding opportunity, please contact UF Research if you intend to apply to this program -- <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

Funding Amount: \$250 to \$50,000

Deadline: December 31, 2021

More Information: [cdj\\_grants@state.gov](mailto:cdj_grants@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=328433>

## U.S. Embassy **Moldova** Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program

Funding Opportunity Number: PDS-CHISINAU-FY22-03

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>10</sup>**

The U.S. Embassy to Moldova invites proposals that strengthen ties between the U.S. and the Republic of Moldova through programming that highlights shared values and promotes greater cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert(s), organization(s), or institution(s) in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives. Priority will be given to projects that involve audiences from Gagauzia and Transnistrian regions as well as audiences outside major cities. Applicants are encouraged to look at ways of using cultural programs (music, arts, literature, education) to support one of the above priorities.

#### Program Objectives:

- Active community of leaders
- Better image of the U.S.
- Better understanding of the U.S.
- Better image of Americans

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<sup>10</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

The U.S. Embassy welcomes projects reaching audiences outside of Chisinau. Applicants are encouraged to design their projects to include marginalized groups, minorities

The application must include:

- A brief project description summarizing goals, objectives outcomes, performance indicators, beneficiaries, and proposed timeline.
- A clear statement of the applicant's organizational capacity to carry out the proposed activity and manage U.S. Government funds.
- The anticipated total budget amount (in U.S. dollars)

Funding Amount: \$500 to \$50,000

Deadline: December 16, 2021

More Information: [Moldovagrants@state.gov](mailto:Moldovagrants@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336539>

## U.S. Mission to **Moldova**, Media Development Program, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: PDS-CHISINAU-FY22-10

The U.S. Embassy announces an open competition for assistance awards through this Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for one or a series of programs to support the Moldovan media sector.

The objective of the project is to strengthen and develop the local production capacity of Moldovan media in the interests of providing a plurality of views, supporting editorial independence, and increasing the quality of domestically produced media in Moldova. It also aims to improve Moldovans's ability to critically assess mass media and social media, and to support qualified organizations that can increase the level of professionalism of Moldovan journalists and media outlets.

Proposals may cover all types of media tools and channels – social interaction and social media as well as mass media. Proposals are free to target any audience within Moldova but should not be targeted at the whole of Moldova. Successful proposals will identify and target a specific subset of the population and should clearly explain why targeting that demographic group is important.

Funding Amount: \$25,000 to \$500,000

Deadline: January 10, 2022

More Information: [moldovagrants@state.gov](mailto:moldovagrants@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336475>

## Public Diplomacy Grants in **Namibia**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-WINDHOEK-FY2022-04-0

The Public Affairs Office of the U.S. Embassy in Windhoek invites proposals for programs that strengthen ties between the U.S. and Namibia through cultural, academic, and exchange programming that promotes bilateral cooperation and shared values. All proposals should include an American element, such as a connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s.

This funding opportunity seeks to promote programs in the following thematic areas:

- Good governance and administration of justice.
- Health, including attaining and sustaining HIV epidemic control.
- Wildlife conservation, water management, and energy infrastructure.
- Increased U.S.-Namibia trade and investment.
- Entrepreneurship enablement, and development of an entrepreneurial ecosystem.
- Education and English language learning

Funding Amount: USD \$5,000 to \$25,000

Deadline: April 1, 2022

More Information: Geniene Veii Administrative Assistant Phone 264811249535 Email:

[PublicAffairsWindhoek@state.gov](mailto:PublicAffairsWindhoek@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=326093> | <https://na.usembassy.gov/education-culture/grant-programs/>

## U.S. Mission to **NATO**, Public Affairs Annual Program Statement

Funding Opportunity Number: DOS-USNATO-PAA-2022-001

PAA invites proposals for programs and initiatives that help promote an increased understanding of USNATO policy and perspectives. All activities should be targeted at NATO Member and Partner countries unless a strong justification is provided.

USNATO PAA invites proposals for programs and initiatives on the following priority program areas:

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| • Defense budgets and equitable burden sharing. | • The Chinese government's expanding use of economic, political, and military power. |
| • Modernizing defense capabilities.             | • Energy security.   |
| • Countering dis and misinformation.            | • Climate change.  |
| • Nuclear deterrence.                           | • Counterterrorism.  |
| • Arms control.                                 | • Women, Peace, and Security.  |
| • Clean networks.                               | • Space security.  |
| • Cyber security.                               | • Open Door.   |
| • NATO and the Middle East.                     | • Strategic Concept.   |
| • NATO and Russia.                              |  |

Successful proposals will emphasize the ability to deliver clear messages to selected audiences: Women, youth, and security and defense community, policy makers, and opinion shapers in NATO member or partner countries.

Funding Amount: \$15,000

Deadline: August 1, 2022

More Information: [USNATOPAAGrantsDL@state.gov](mailto:USNATOPAAGrantsDL@state.gov) Marie Blanchard, Grants Officer  
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=335257>

## U.S. Embassy **New Zealand** PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-NEWZEALAND-2022-01

The U.S. Embassy New Zealand Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Grants Program. This is an Annual Program Statement, outlining our funding priorities, the strategic themes we focus on, and the procedures for submitting requests for funding. Please carefully follow all instructions below. This notice is subject to availability of funding.

Purpose of Grants: PAS New Zealand invites Statements of Interest (SOI) for projects that seek to do at least one of the following:

- Strengthen U.S.-New Zealand cooperation and coordination on global issues of shared interest (e.g. combatting climate change, supporting Indo-Pacific security, promoting diversity and inclusion).
- Promote the mutual benefits of bilateral trade and investment.
- Promote stronger connections between the people of the United States and New Zealand
- Deepen the relationships with Pacific communities, in New Zealand, Niue and the Cook Islands, based on our shared values and heritage.

All programs must include an element that will promote increased understanding of the United States including, but not limited to U.S. policy, people, culture and/or perspectives.

Funding amount: up to \$100,000

Deadline: August 1, 2022

More Information: Tracey Zemanek Resource Management Specialist Phone 6444626122, [publicaffairsusnz@state.gov](mailto:publicaffairsusnz@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336219>

# U.S. Embassy Managua - Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Nicaragua

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-MANAGUA-FY22-01

## **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION<sup>11</sup>**

The Public Affairs Section (PAS) is interested in projects that promote U.S.-Nicaragua relations through proposals that will:

- Improve instruction and academic achievement in English language proficiency and/or science, technology, environment, architecture/art, and math (STEAM)
- Strengthen entrepreneurship and economic development, and expand access among minority communities, women, and disadvantaged communities
- Engage alumni of U.S. sponsored exchange programs
- Promote civic education

All projects should target youth, ages 15-35, and contain an element of interaction between Americans and Nicaraguans.

Deadline: March 31, 2022

More Information: [PASManagua@state.gov](mailto:PASManagua@state.gov); <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336797>

# U.S. Embassy Niamey – PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Niger**

Funding Opportunity Number: AFNIA-21-02

Purpose of Small Grants: PDS Niamey invites individuals or organizations interested in submitting a proposal to use the award as seed money to generate buy-in from other stakeholders. We will be looking for partnerships and cost-sharing with host country civil society organizations and the business community that can extend the impact of your proposals. Competitive proposals will also address the issue of sustainability – explaining how the project or program will continue beyond the initial support from the U.S. government. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert(s), organization(s), or institution(s) in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

All public diplomacy Small Grants Program must include one or more of the below themes:

- Countering Violent Extremism (Counterterrorism)

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<sup>11</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

- Muslim Engagement (including inter- and intra-religious dialogue)
- Women's Empowerment
- Youth Engagement
- Education (particularly English-language education)
- Economic development (Entrepreneurship, economic empowerment)
- Journalism development (including countering misinformation and disinformation)
- Natural resource management (including waste management)
- Participants and Audiences:
- The target audience must be Nigerien. Priority Audiences include the following:
- Women and youth
- Businesspeople/entrepreneurs
- Academia/universities/think tanks (including students)
- Journalists
- Civil society activists

Funding Amount: \$10,000

Deadline: August 31, 2021

More Information: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=331074>

## U.S. Mission to **Nigeria**, Ambassadors Fund for Cultural Preservation, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: AFABJ-22-01

The Ambassadors Fund for Cultural Preservation (AFCP) Grants Program was established in 2001 at the request of the Congress, reflected in the Conference Report on the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2001 (P. L. 106-553). AFCP was launched to preserve cultural heritage and to demonstrate U.S. respect for other cultures. The aim is to preserve of major ancient archaeological sites, historic buildings and monuments, and major museum collections that have an historical or cultural significance to the cultural heritage of Nigeria.

Appropriate project activities may include:

- Anastylosis (reassembling a site from its original parts);
- Conservation (addressing damage or deterioration to an object or site);
- Consolidation (connecting or reconnecting elements of an object or site);
- Documentation (recording in analog or digital format the condition and salient features of an object, site, or tradition);
- Inventory (listing of objects, sites, or traditions by location, feature, age, or other unifying characteristic or state);
- Preventive Conservation (addressing conditions that threaten or damage a site, object, collection, or tradition);
- Restoration (replacing missing elements to recreate the original appearance of an object or site, usually appropriate only with fine arts, decorative arts, and historic buildings);
- Stabilization (reducing the physical disturbance of an object or site).

Competition Format: Both AFCP small and large grants are now combined to a single program and projects will be selected in two rounds. During Round 1, embassies will submit concept notes for both small and large projects that focus on the public diplomacy objectives that may be accomplished through the proposed project. Applicants invited to participate in Round 2 will flesh out the technical aspects of the proposed project and submit a full application. Awards will range from \$10,000 to \$500,000.

Deadline: December 5, 2021

More Information: [PASAbujaGrants@state.gov](mailto:PASAbujaGrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336401>

## U.S. Embassy Skopje, Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **North Macedonia**

Funding Opportunity Number: SMK800-22-PAS-004

The U.S. Embassy Skopje Public Affairs Section of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through the Embassy's public diplomacy grants program for creative new ideas and projects that increase mutual understanding between the U.S. and North Macedonia and promote the bilateral relationship. Topic areas eligible for funding include:

- entrepreneurship and innovation
- programs that support culture and the arts, including mutual appreciation of artistic work from both countries
- diversity and empowerment of youth and underserved communities
- democratic processes and values
- strengthening resiliency against disinformation
- environment protection and
- programs that support North Macedonia's Euro-Atlantic integration process.

Funding Amount: \$1,000 to \$20,000

Deadline: August 31, 2022

More Information: Aleksandar Jovanovic, Phone 0038923102218, Email [SkopjeGrants@state.gov](mailto:SkopjeGrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337161>

## U.S. Embassy **Panama**, Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Panama

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-PAN-FY22-01

The Public Affairs Section invites proposals for programs that further U.S. foreign policy and public diplomacy interests in Panama in one of the five categories below. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

- Promote more open and sustainable economic growth in Panama through activities that encourage or strengthen local entrepreneurship
- Encourage the development of a strong civil society that upholds the values of transparency, accountability, and good governance
- Improve the quality of or access to English and STEAM education for young people in marginalized communities
- Promote sustainable development through responsible management of Panama's environmental resources
- Facilitate U.S. representation at major festivals and other widely attended arts or cultural events

Funding Amount: \$1,000 to \$50,000

Deadline: August 30, 2022

More Information: [panculturalgrants@state.gov](mailto:panculturalgrants@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336711>

## Pakistan Teaching Excellence and Achievement (TEA) U.S. Exchange, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Pakistan**

Funding Opportunity Number: SCAISB-22-AW-004-12212021

The Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Mission to Pakistan is pleased to announce an open competition for three (3) related grant proposals, contingent on funding availability, through the Public Diplomacy Grants Program. Under this Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO), PAS seeks proposals to establish partnerships between U.S. and Pakistani universities (for two of the proposals described below), and organizations (for one of the proposals described below) to build Pakistani capacity to adapt to and mitigate climate change. The partnerships will facilitate curriculum development, collaborative research, virtual exchanges, sharing of resources, professional development, and exchanges.

Project 1: Urban Planning for a Green Future  
Project 2: Developing the Next Generation of Female Environmentalists  
Project 3: Advancing Glaciology Research

Funding Amount: \$200,000 to \$500,000

Deadline: February 22, 2022

More Information: Grants Management Team - [PakistanGrants@state.gov](mailto:PakistanGrants@state.gov):

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337068>

## Pakistan Teaching Excellence and Achievement (TEA) U.S. Exchange, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Pakistan**

Funding Opportunity Number: SCAISB-22-AW-007-12222021

The Regional English Language Office (RELO) of the U.S. Embassy Islamabad is pleased to announce a funding opportunity for the Pakistan Teaching Excellence and Achievement (TEA) U.S. Exchange program. The successful grantee will be a U.S. university with proven excellence in developing English teaching skills, expert knowledge of current English language teaching (ELT) pedagogies, and proven leadership training for the participants. This partner will develop and implement a six-week blend of classroom and field experiences to increase the skills of a minimum of 100 Pakistani high school English language teachers from Government and Foundation schools. The program should include community engagement activities and opportunities to network with English language teaching peers in the United States. This project will occur from October 2022 through June 2024, with the exchanges occurring between June 2023 and February 2024. The awardee of this grant will work closely with both RELO Pakistan and the TEA Pakistan Support grant awardee (to be identified at a later date by the RELO Office) to achieve the successful completion of the project.

Funding Amount: \$1,500,000

Deadline: February 22, 2022

More Information: Grants Management Specialist - [PakistanGrants@state.gov](mailto:PakistanGrants@state.gov);

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337076>

## U.S. Embassy Asuncion, PD Annual Program Statement Fiscal Year 2022, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Paraguay**

Funding Opportunity Number: SPA10022GR001WHA11302021

The PD section seeks to inform and share with audiences in Paraguay about the United States, its culture, society, government, legal, economic, and political systems, and values through programs focusing on the priority areas outlined below. To further these goals, PD invites proposals for programs that strengthen educational, professional, commercial, and scientific ties between the U.S. and Paraguay. Proposals must include a clear and strong U.S. component. A U.S. component can include U.S. citizen speakers who are experts in U.S. policy, academia, culture, and economics; the use of U.S. training models or materials; exchanges with U.S. institutions; or promotion of U.S. culture, music, art, etc. through cultural or educational exchanges between the U.S. and Paraguay.

PD invites eligible organizations and individuals to submit proposals to support activities directly linked to one or more of the two following priority areas:

- Civil society's role in improving transparency and accountability in government, combating financial corruption and supporting transparency, including, but not limited to, through investigative journalism, social media, and or existing online "open government" platforms.
- Developing environmental literacy in youth to enhance community resilience to extreme weather & climate change. Empowering communities by increasing awareness on conservation and economic development within the framework of climate adaptation and resilience.

Funding Amount: \$10,000 to \$50,000

Deadline: April 2, 2022

More Information: Darren M Beltran PD Grants and Program Specialist Phone 595-21-213-715 | [educationparaguay@state.gov](mailto:educationparaguay@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336818>

## U.S. Embassy Lima PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Peru**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-LIMA-FY22-01

PAS Lima invites proposals for projects that strengthen people-to-people ties between the United States and Peru through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include a U.S. cultural element, or connection with U.S. expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

The PAS Small Grants Program projects may include, but is not limited to:

- Lectures, seminars and speaker programs;
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances and exhibitions;
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation projects;
- Professional or academic exchanges and projects (including virtual exchanges with U.S. experts or communities);
- Professional development workshops and training.

Category of Funding Activity:

- Expanding Economic Opportunity, Social Inclusion, and Democracy
- Sustainably Managing Natural Resources
- Improving Citizen Security
- Combatting Transnational Organized Crime
- Building People-to-People Ties Through Public Diplomacy Programs: Proposals that support people-to-people ties between the citizens of the United States and those of Peru, especially in regional hubs or outside major urban areas; provide opportunities for emerging leaders; promote innovative collaboration in STEM (science, engineering, technology, and math); and/or contribute to Peru's goals of achieving bilingualism (English-Spanish).

Funding amount \$15,000 to \$75,000

Deadline: January 31, 2022

More Information: [LimaPDGrants@state.gov](mailto:LimaPDGrants@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336727>

## U.S. Embassy to **Philippines** PAS Small Grants, Department of State, U.S. Mission to the Philippines

Funding Opportunity Number: 21-PHL-APS

The U.S. Embassy in the Philippines' Public Affairs Section (PAS Philippines) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that we are considering proposals for our Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program.

PAS Philippines invites proposals for projects that strengthen ties between the Philippines and the United States through programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives.

Priority will be given to project proposals that further one or more of the U.S. Embassy's goals, including:

- Programs that enhance U.S.-Philippines security cooperation, including deterring illegal maritime activities, reducing the threat of terrorism, encouraging peaceful resolution of disputes, and advancing peace and stability in conflict-affected areas.
- Programs that foster greater bilateral trade and investment between the U.S. and the Philippines.
- Programs that develop stronger linkages between the United States, Philippines, and the Indo-Pacific region.
- Programs that support increased transparency and good governance, as well as respect for the rule of law and human rights.

Funding Amount: USD \$10,000 to \$50,000

Deadline: December 31, 2021

More Information: [GrantsManila@state.gov](mailto:GrantsManila@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=323546>

## U.S. **Russia** Peer to Peer Dialogue Program (P2P), Eurasia Foundation

Through this Request for Applications (RFA) and with the support of the U.S. Embassy Moscow, EF invites project applications from nonprofit organizations and institutions seeking to expand U.S.-Russian communication and cooperation. EF will fund innovative projects promoting peer-to-peer collaboration and long-term engagement between Russians and Americans on topics of mutual interest.

While universities and other research institutions are eligible to apply to the P2P program, funded projects must expand beyond pure research. Specifically, all P2P projects should include or culminate in concrete deliverable or deliverables, including but not limited to offering newly-developed training sessions, lectures, conferences, video/music productions, art exhibits, performances, etc.

Projects should emphasize U.S.-Russian collaboration and knowledge exchange in their design. While conducting the funded project, implementers should have varied and plentiful opportunities to substantively engage with their international partners. Engagement can be achieved through co-hosted webinars, joint events in the U.S. and Russia, bilateral presentations, international volunteer engagement, collaborative performances, or through other creative activities. Priority will be given to projects that demonstrate adaptability in their project design amid the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

Projects should result in collaborative outcomes and deliverables that address one or more of the following areas: 1) American business values of innovation, entrepreneurship, and fair legal and labor practices, 2) public health, 3) U.S.-Russian collaboration in space exploration and science, 4) science and technology, 5) U.S.-Russian collaboration in the arts, 6) grassroots expression of ideas through writing, art, and new media, 7) addressing a social challenge brought about as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Deadline: January 15, 2022; Annual Program  
More Information: <https://www.usrussiap2p.org/request-for-applications>

## U.S. Embassy **Samoa** PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to New Zealand

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-SAMOA-2022-01

PAS Samoa invites Statement of Interest (SOI) for projects that seek to do at least one of the following: promote the U.S.-Samoa bilateral relationship, increase connections between the people of the United States and Samoa (particularly youth), promote democratic institutions and civic engagement, strengthen U.S.--Samoa cooperation and coordination on global issues of shared interest (e.g. combatting climate change, supporting Indo-Pacific security, promoting diversity and inclusion), advance STEM education and science and tech innovation and research links, support human rights, and promote the mutual benefits of bilateral trade and investment.

Funding Amount: \$15,000

Deadline: May 27, 2022; Annual Program  
More Information: Perelaaroi Siaosi Public Affairs Assistant Phone 68521631 ext. 2232  
[ApiaPD@state.gov](mailto:ApiaPD@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336228>

## U.S. Embassy in Saudi Arabia – PAS Small Grants Program FY2022, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Saudi Arabia**

Funding Opportunity Number: DOS-SAU-PD-2201

PAS invites proposals for projects, including virtual programs, that strengthen ties between Saudi Arabia and the United States, promote bilateral cooperation, and enhance mutual understanding. All programs must include an American cultural or educational element or the engagement of American experts, organizations, institutions, or communities in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives.

Examples of PAS Small Grants Programs include, but are not limited to:

- U.S. experts conducting speaking tours/public talks, roundtable discussions, workshops, etc.
- Academic and professional lectures and seminars
- Cultural and arts programs/workshops/performances and exhibitions

- Development of initiatives aimed at maintaining contacts with alumni of our exchange programs
- Environmental and Energy conservation
- Entrepreneurship initiatives, especially with underserved communities such as youth and women
- Youth and Women Sports Initiatives
- Programs that elevate and support moderate voices and tolerance

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$150,000

Deadline: August 1, 2022

More Information: [RiyadhGrants@state.gov](mailto:RiyadhGrants@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336933>

## U.S. Embassy Freetown PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Sierra Leone

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-FRE-FY22-01

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION**<sup>12</sup>

PAS Freetown invites proposals for programs that strengthen cultural ties between the U.S. and Sierra Leone through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Examples of PAS Small Grants Program programs include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars and speaker programs;
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances and exhibitions;
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation programs;
- Professional and academic exchanges and programs;

Both virtual and in-person programs will be considered.

Priority Program Areas:

- Journalism and media literacy: Activities that support increased professional capacity for journalists, particularly outside of Freetown, such as programs that develop investigative journalism capabilities, objective, and credible reporting, and improve media literacy through connecting local journalists with American experts, organizations or institutions

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<sup>12</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

- Civic education: Activities that support involvement of young people in the civic life of their country and building a sense of shared values and responsibilities of citizenship, especially across ethnic, religious, and socio-economic divisions.
- Green economy and Entrepreneurship: Activities that improve the connections between U.S. and Sierra Leonean businesses, and/or expand economic opportunities, entrepreneurship, and financial independence among women, youth, and underserved populations, particularly programs that promote innovation and economic opportunity related to climate change, and demonstrate how America and Sierra Leone can work together to achieve our climate goals.

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$24,999

Deadline: February 28, 2022

More Information: [PAStreettown@state.gov](mailto:PAStreettown@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336812>

## U.S. Embassy **Singapore** - Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-SINGAPORE-FY21-002

U.S. Embassy Singapore is pleased to announce funding opportunities through its public diplomacy grants program. Each year, the U.S. Embassy awards a limited number of grants to support activities and exchanges linking the United States and Singapore with the aim of strengthening the bilateral relationship and people-to-people connections.

Proposals are accepted on an ongoing basis and will be considered pending the availability of funds. A few times a year, U.S. Embassy Singapore convenes grant panels to make priority funding decisions, and the next submission deadline for priority review is January 31, 2021.

Proposals should be submitted a minimum of two months before the start of the activity for which funding is being sought, but applications can be submitted anytime. The Public Affairs Section may request revisions or additional materials related to the application. Funding of grants is subject to the availability of funds.

### Purpose of Small Grants

To support organizations or individuals that engage Singaporeans in activities that strengthen ties between the United States and Singapore or the region. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American experts, organizations, or institutions in fields that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies, perspectives, or values.

Given the current limitations related to in-person programming in Singapore due to COVID-19 public health guidelines, the U.S. Embassy is particularly interested in funding programs focused on small group, virtual, or hybrid in-person + online engagements, including but not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars, and speaker programs.
- Artistic and cultural workshops or performances.
- Professional and academic enrichment or development activities.
- Other programs that build people-to-people connections between Americans and Singaporeans.

U.S. Embassy Singapore welcomes proposals that utilize digital platforms or other technological innovations that eliminate in-person programs, or support in-person programs that abide by Singapore's current rules regarding events and gatherings. While applicants are invited to submit proposals with in-person components, we encourage applicants to consider digital delivery components in support of engaging broader audiences when appropriate.

#### Thematic Priorities

U.S. Embassy Singapore small grants fund programs that:

- Support entrepreneurship, innovation, and increased economic opportunities.
- Address transnational threats including disinformation and other cybercrime.
- Advance awareness of safety and security cooperation between the U.S. and Singapore and its importance to the region.
- Support open, inclusive, and diverse societies.
- Promote the U.S. higher education system.
- Create understanding about U.S. policies, culture, and shared values.

Deadline: September 30, 2021

More Information: Public Affairs Section [SingaporePAS Cultural@state.gov](mailto:SingaporePAS Cultural@state.gov)

<https://sg.usembassy.gov/education-culture/embassy-small-grant-programs/>

## U.S. Mission to **Slovakia**, U.S. Embassy Bratislava PAS Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-SVK-FY2022-001

The U.S. Embassy Bratislava Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program. This is an Annual Program Statement, outlining our funding priorities, the strategic themes we focus on, and the procedures for submitting requests for funding.

Purpose of our Small Grants Program: PAS Bratislava invites proposals for programs that strengthen societal and cultural ties between the U.S. and Slovakia through programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs should include a clear American component - a collaboration with American people, expert/s, organization/s, and or institution/s that will promote increased U.S.-Slovak ties and mutual understanding. Project proposals should have an intrinsic public diplomacy objective in support of the Priority Program Areas listed below.

- Supporting Slovakia's transatlantic orientation by addressing hybrid threats, including disinformation and cyber security.
- Supporting Slovakia's capacity to uphold rule of law anti-corruption efforts and increased transparency.
- Strengthening independent media and journalism and helping to foster critical thinking.
- Promoting economic prosperity, energy security, and entrepreneurship through partnership with the U.S., including innovative approaches to technology.
- Contributing to Slovakia's efforts to support human rights and foster a culture of tolerance and inclusion of minorities.
- Encouraging women's empowerment.
- Promoting cross-cultural understanding and supporting highly specialized English language learning in Slovakia.

Deadline: Annual January 31, 2022

More Information: [szabol2@state.gov](mailto:szabol2@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336433>

## Large Grants NOFO, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **South Africa**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-ZAF-FY22-02

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION** <sup>13</sup>

The Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Mission to South Africa of the U.S. Department of State announces an open competition for organizations to submit applications to carry out projects in one of six categories outlined in the Project Objectives below. All project proposals must strengthen ties and build relationships between the United States and South Africa and must have a strong, central, American element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s (separate and beyond any involvement with the U.S. Mission or its American Corners or USG exchange program alumni) and have as a primary goal the promotion of increased understanding of U.S. values, perspectives, and policies and relationship building between Americans and South Africans.

Successful proposals will include a clear description of how American content will be substantively and meaningfully incorporated in projects. American content may include the use of curricula from a U.S.-based institution, collaboration with an American subject matter expert, or incorporation of U.S. culture, history, or society. We encourage proposals that explain how that American content builds ties with South African audiences.

PAS is seeking proposals in the following six categories. An organization may only submit one application and must identify the specific category.

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<sup>13</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

1. Combatting Climate Change
2. Improving Journalism Training
3. Entrepreneurship and Intrapreneurship: Expanding Economic Opportunities for Youth
4. Promoting Equity, Social Justice, and Social Cohesion
5. A Global Crisis: Trafficking in Persons
6. Expanding the University Partnership Initiative

Funding Amount: \$100,000 to \$250,000

Deadline: April 30, 2022

More Information: [PretoriaGrants@state.gov](mailto:PretoriaGrants@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336676>

## U.S. Mission to **South Korea**, U.S. Embassy Seoul PD Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: PD-SEOUL-FY21-01

The U.S. Embassy Seoul of the U.S. Department of State announces an open competition for organizations or individuals to submit a statement of interest (SOI) to carry out - 1) Innovative programs to advance the U.S.-ROK Alliance with priority going to proposals outside of Seoul; 2) Exchanges between the U.S. and Korea, with a preference for programs sending Koreans to the United States; and 3) Programs connecting U.S. and Korean youth leaders on issues of mutual concern.

PD Seoul invites SOIs for programs that strengthen U.S.-ROK Alliance through various innovative programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American element and designed to promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives among important audiences in Korea.

Program Area 1) "Innovative programs" to advance the U.S.-ROK Alliance with priority going to proposals outside of Seoul.

Program Area 2) "Exchanges" between the United States and Korea, with a preference for programs sending Koreans to the United States.

Program Area 3) Programs connecting U.S. and Korean youth leaders on issues of mutual concern, including but not limited to climate change, combating infectious disease/public health, business, and trade, and promoting human rights / rule of law / the rules-based international order, etc.

Funding Amount: Up to \$100,000

Deadline: Notice of Intent June 30, 2022

More Information: [seoulpdgrants@state.gov](mailto:seoulpdgrants@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=332972>

# U.S. Embassy Juba PAS Annual Program, Statement (APS), Department of State, U.S. Mission to **South Sudan**

Funding Opportunity Number: PAS-JUBA-FY22

## **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION** <sup>14</sup>

PAS Juba invites proposals for programs that strengthen cultural ties between the United States and South Sudan through programming that advances core U.S. foreign policy goals, highlights shared values, and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives.

Examples of PAS Small Grants Program programs include, but are not limited to:

- Training and workshops that promote peacebuilding, democracy, and economic empowerment
- Academic and professional lectures, seminars, and speaker programs
- Artistic and cultural workshops, performances, and exhibitions

Priority Program Areas:

- Advance South Sudan's Revitalized Peace Process
- Promote Democracy
- Promote Transparency
- Strengthen the Media Community
- Support Economic Empowerment, including Entrepreneurship
- Support a Healthy South Sudan

Funding Amount: Up to \$100,000

Deadline: February 28, 2022

More Information: Moulik D. Berkana Phone: 211 912115901 | [Jubapas@state.gov](mailto:Jubapas@state.gov) |  
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336681>

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<sup>14</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

# U.S. Mission to **Spain**, Annual Program Statement, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: ESP22APS

The Public Diplomacy Section (PD Spain) of the U.S. Embassy Madrid and U.S. Consulate General Barcelona welcomes proposals for creative, engaging projects that line up with PD Spain's main objectives. That includes:

- Promote citizen participation in the fight against the climate crisis and facilitate better knowledge of the policies and actions of the United States in this area.
- Ensure that Spanish and /or Andorran students know the United States as a destination for their training, for summer work programs and for learning English.
- Promote security and defense alliances between the United States and Spain and the Atlantic Alliance (NATO).
- Communicate the importance of Spain being the venue for the 2022 NATO Summit, the role that Spain plays within NATO and the strategic concept of NATO in the near future.
- Explain the value of initiatives dedicated to women, peace and security.
- Support the areas of entrepreneurship, innovation and STEM to increase economic opportunities for young people in Spain and / or Andorra.
- Increase knowledge about how to do business in the US and highlight the role of Spain and Andorra in the global digital economy.
- Expand the reach of media literacy and support the media education programs of Spanish institutions with useful and accurate tools to increase understanding of false information and other tactics, to render misinformation campaigns targeting Spain ineffective.
- Communicate about the common values that the United States, Spain and the EU share and about the promotion of respect for human rights, democracy and the need for democratic changes in places like Venezuela, Cuba and Nicaragua, the power of the law against impunity, privacy, international order based on common rules, and a fair playing field.
- Encourage collaboration between Spanish and /or Andorran and American organizations that share the defense of human rights.
- Explore topics such as the rights of LGBTQI + community, racism, sexism, and the rights of people with disabilities.
- Promote the rights and equality of women, ethnic and religious minorities, the LGBTQI + community, refugees and migrants, people with disabilities and other marginalized populations in Spain and / or Andorra.

Funding Amount: \$25,000 to \$75,000

Deadline: December 2, 2021

More information: [SpainPDGrants@state.gov](mailto:SpainPDGrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=336244>

## Public Diplomacy Grants, U.S. Mission to **Tanzania**

Funding Opportunity Number: DOS-DAR-2021

The U.S. Embassy in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania announces an open competition for initiatives that promote educational and cultural engagement and foster mutual understanding between the United States and Tanzania. The Embassy seeks projects designed to further the development of Tanzania's future leaders, build the capacity of Tanzanian institutions, and promote awareness and understanding of shared U.S. and Tanzanian values.

Public Affairs will ONLY consider grants that have an American component or aspect in their proposal. Keep in mind that this funding opportunity is to further the following goals of U.S. Embassy Dar es Salaam:

- Strengthen and Promote Democracy and Human Rights
- Improve Health and Education of Tanzanians
- Inclusive, Broad-Based Economic Growth
- Advance Peace and Regional Security

Deadline: June 30, 2021

More information: Honory A Jerome, Grantor, Phone: 255222294174

Email: [DARPDProposals@state.gov](mailto:DARPDProposals@state.gov)

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=329595>

## U.S. Embassy Bangkok Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to **Thailand**

Funding Opportunity Number: 12-2021-1

The U.S. Embassy Bangkok Public Affairs Section of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce an open competition for organizations and individuals to submit applications to carry out programs that strengthen cultural, economic, and public health partnerships between the United States and Thailand, and promote democratic values, rule of law, human rights, and environment protection through cultural and exchange programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field in order to foster U.S.-Thai mutual understanding.

### **Priority Program Areas**

1. Rule of Law, Democratic Values, and Human Rights
2. Environment and Global Health
3. Economic Partnership
4. Special Areas of Interest

- Activities that promote U.S.-Thai partnership and build two-way exchanges between the U.S. and Thai public.
- Activities to promote the sharing of U.S. culture and values with Thai populations through educational opportunities, arts and culture, interactive learning, film, and arts and culture.
- Projects for Thai youth that focus on enhancing critical thinking skills and promoting civic engagement to counter disinformation and improve media/digital literacy.
- Programs that provide Thai students with increased access to education and understanding of science, technology, engineering, arts, and math (STEM/STEAM) to promote economic growth.

Funding Amount: \$2,500 to \$25,000

Deadline: July 31, 2022

More Information: [BangkokPD@state.gov](mailto:BangkokPD@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337150>

## U.S. Mission **Turkey** Grants Program, Department of State, Bureau of European and Eurasian Affairs

Funding Opportunity Number: ANK-NOFO-FY22-01

### **LIMITED APPLICATION SUBMISSION <sup>15</sup>**

U.S. Mission Turkey of the U.S. Department of State announces an open competition for non-profit organizations, higher education institutions and individuals to submit applications to carry out projects on one or more of the following key bilateral themes.

- Support Shared Security
- Strengthen Economic Prosperity, Promote Innovation, Foster Entrepreneurship, and Improve the Digital Economy
- Reinforce Democratic Values
- Foster Turkish and U.S. Ties

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$75,000

Deadline: February 4, 2022

More Information: [GrantsTurkey@state.gov](mailto:GrantsTurkey@state.gov) | <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336750> | <https://tr.usembassy.gov/education-culture/grant-opportunities/grants-program-december2021/>

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<sup>15</sup> This is a limited submission program. Please work with UF Research prior to submitting a proposal and see guidelines <https://research.ufl.edu/finding-funding/limited-submission.html>.

# U.S. Mission in **Uganda** Public Affairs Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to Uganda

Funding Opportunity Number: AFKAM-FY22-01

The U.S. Mission in Uganda's Public Affairs Office is pleased to announce that funding is available through the Public Diplomacy Grant Program for projects ranging in value from \$5,000 to \$40,000. Projects for greater values will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Grants are intended for committed and organized civil-society organizations, local representatives of civil society, think tanks, non-governmental organizations, cultural institutions, and academic institutions. Awards to individuals will also be considered on a case-by-case basis. All grantees must have a non-profit status.

## Objectives and Project Outcomes:

- The objectives of the Public Diplomacy Grant Program are to promote positive relations between the people of Uganda and the United States; reinforce shared values; and connect high potential Ugandan youth and young professionals (aged 16 to 35) as well as established professional leaders to the American people through projects that:
- Help Ugandan youth aged 16 - 35, especially young women, explore and discover their potential through innovative science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) programs, as well as entrepreneurship programs.
- Encourage Ugandan youth aged 16 - 35 to participate in civic life through social entrepreneurship, volunteerism, and community engagement.
- Strengthen understanding of U.S. values and institutions; highlight U.S. culture, including American Studies; and support diversity, inclusion, and equality.
- Utilize the power of the arts to promote positive self-expression, social change, and economic opportunity among Ugandan youth aged 16 - 35.
- Equip emerging community leaders (e.g., sports coaches, arts instructors, and cultural professionals) aged 22 - 35 with the skills and knowledge necessary to grow their organizations or to enhance their engagement with youth audiences.
- Promote the development and application of new technologies and innovative solutions to economic, environmental, and social challenges. Projects could connect U.S. technology or public policy experts with Ugandan peers or foster the application of American technology and innovations to address challenges in Ugandan communities.
- Support civil society organizations (CSOs) in developing a vibrant and prosperous democratic society through programs that strengthen (nongovernment) NGO management, enhance the skills of early to mid-career NGO/CSO professionals, strengthen networks between NGO/CSO professionals in the United States and Uganda, or demonstrate to the public the positive role CSOs play in advancing a prosperous, healthy, and informed society.

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$40,000

Deadline: May 30, 2022

More Information: [Kampalagrants@state.gov](mailto:Kampalagrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppld=336894>

## U.S. Embassy to the United Kingdom Annual Program Statement, Department of State, U.S. Mission to the **United Kingdom**

Funding Opportunity Number: DOS-LONDON-PD-2022-01

PAS manages the U.S. Embassy & Consulates in the United Kingdom's grants program. PAS invites proposals from individuals, non-governmental/not-for-profit/civil society organizations, think tanks, government institutions, and academic institutions for projects that strengthen the bilateral ties between the United States and the United Kingdom. All programs must promote at least one U.S. Embassy priority program area (listed below) and include a U.S. element or connection. Programs can include U.S. experts, organizations, or institutions in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policies and perspectives. Special consideration will be given to proposals that highlight the diversity of the United States and programs whose experts represent diverse backgrounds.

Priority Program Areas:

- 1) Shared Values and Interests: Activities that promote the U.S.-UK Special Relationship and build people-to-people ties.
- 2) Democracy, Open Societies, Equity, and Inclusion: Activities that build support for the U.S.-UK alliance and U.S. foreign policy priorities related to open societies and shared democratic values; and/or address transnational challenges such as radicalization, violent extremism, and mis and disinformation from non-state and hostile state actors.
- 3) Prosperity, Trade, and Investment: Activities that expand economic opportunities for youth and underserved populations and/or improve the connections between U.S. and UK businesses.
- 4) Climate Change, Science, and Technology: Activities that support cooperation in such areas as climate/environment, sustainability, cybersecurity, entrepreneurship, and STEAM.

Funding Amount: \$5,000 to \$50,000

Deadline: March 1, 2022 and June 15, 2022

More Information: London Public Affairs Section, grants team [londongrants@state.gov](mailto:londongrants@state.gov) <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=337243>

## U.S. Mission to the **United Nations** in Geneva

Funding Opportunity Number: Small Grants Program CFDA 19.040

The United States Mission in Geneva is accepting project proposals for its Small Grants Program. The Small Grants Program permits individuals, non-government organizations, think tanks, and academic institutions to seek funding for projects that promote U.S. policy priorities in the multilateral sphere. All programs must include a U.S. element or connection. Awards will be made to successful applicants subject to the availability of appropriated funds.

Though all submitted projects will be considered for funding, we are currently giving priority to projects that highlight:

- Human rights, including the protection of human rights defenders
- Promoting peace and security
- Public-private partnerships
- Promoting transparency, accountability, and efficiency in the UN system
- Mobilizing Action on Climate Change
- Sexual Reproductive Health
- Advancement of Global Public Health and Global Health Security

Deadline: Continuous

More Information: [GenevaGrants@state.gov](mailto:GenevaGrants@state.gov) <https://geneva.usmission.gov/annual-program-statement/>

## U.S. Mission to **Zimbabwe**, Annual Program Statement, Public Affairs, U.S. Embassy Harare, Department of State

Funding Opportunity Number: DOS-HRE-FY2021 [Related Opportunities]

The U.S. Embassy Zimbabwe is seeking proposals for projects throughout the fiscal year that; promote educational and cultural exchange, build the rule of law and fiscal transparency, encourage civic discourse and action against violence and corruption, support professionalization of the media, promote freedom of expression and information, encourage entrepreneurship, economic growth, innovation and sound business practices, empower women and youth with specific knowledge of women's rights and skills to enhance economic advancement, promote social inclusion and tolerance of underserved communities such as disabled persons, minority ethnic groups, LGBTQI, and those in remote rural areas, promote greater health awareness and livelihoods in HIV prevention and AIDS treatment, promote natural resource management and sustainable environmental practices including mitigation against climate change, combat the trafficking of animals, humans, and illicit materials and substances.

Deadline: September 15, 2021

More Information: U.S. Embassy Harare Public Affairs Office Grants Committee +263 (867) 7011000, [Zim@state.gov](mailto:Zim@state.gov)



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