



FULBRIGHT

UI FULBRIGHT FACULTY MENTORS INFORMATION SHEET 2023

Fulbright Faculty Mentors are always available to help undergraduate and graduate students with their Fulbright applications – do not hesitate to speak with them several times over the coming months.

MENTORS ARE AVAILABLE TO:

- Discuss your preliminary ideas if you're thinking of applying for Fulbright
- Help you to decide on the type of grant, topic, and country for which you would be best suited
- Help you locate other resources at the UI, including a faculty member in your academic discipline who can also help you with your application process and essays
- Help you with the process of locating contacts abroad
- Read drafts of your essays

However: Mentors are not to be your only readers. It's very important to also work with a faculty member **in your own department or major**, and to work with Karen Wachsmuth and Ari Natarina.

WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO CONTACT MENTORS?

- Go to their office hours or make an appointment to discuss your interests and the grant application process
- Don't worry about whether or not the mentor is in your field. Fulbright applications are read by generalists, so having someone who's not in your field can be a bonus.

HOW SHOULD YOU FOLLOW UP?

- Check in with the mentor to see how they would prefer to work together in the future—in person or by email, for example. Do remember that faculty need time to read your drafts before giving feedback.

If you have questions about the process, please contact **Karen Wachsmuth** at karen-wachsmuth@uiowa.edu



FULBRIGHT

FULBRIGHT MENTORS 2022



KATHLEEN NEWMAN | 414 PHILLIPS HALL
Department: Spanish and Portuguese
Office phone: (319) 335-1823
Email: kathleen-newman@uiowa.edu



JEANINE ABRONS | S428 PHAR
Department: College of Pharmacy
Office phone: (319) 384-1114
Email: jeanine-abrons@uiowa.edu



CHRISTOPHER SQUIER | 1111 UCC
Department: Global Health Studies
Office phone: (319) 335-7388
Email: christopher-squier@uiowa.edu



WILLIAM REISINGER | 317 SCHAEFFER HALL
Department: Political Science
Office phone: (319) 335-2351
Email: william-reisinger@uiowa.edu



MELISSA TULLY | E332 AJB
Department: School of Journalism and
Mass Communication
Office phone: (319) 335-3356
Email: melissa-tully@uiowa.edu



BRENDA LONGFELLOW | 218 ART BUILDING WEST
Department: Art & Art History
Office phone: (319) 335-3795
Email: brennda-longfellow@uiowa.edu

FULBRIGHT STAFF



KAREN WACHSMUTH | 1111-D UCC
UI FULBRIGHT PROGRAM ADVISOR
Department: International Programs
Office phone: (319) 335-1436
Email: karen-wachsmuth@uiowa.edu



BRETT CLOYD |
UI FULBRIGHT LIBRARIAN
Department: Reference & Government
Information Library
Office phone: (319) 335-5743
Email: brett-cloyd@uiowa.edu



ARI NATARINA |
UI FULBRIGHT PROGRAM ASSISTANT
Department: International Programs
Email: ari-natarina@uiowa.edu