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ASSISTANTSHIP  
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## THE FULBRIGHT FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP PROGRAM

# SPEND AN ACADEMIC YEAR ON A US CAMPUS AS A FULBRIGHT FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHING ASSISTANT (FLTA)



Fulbright Austria identifies host institutions for FLTAs, who work with experienced professors of German for up to 20 hours per week for a full academic year. As an FLTA, you enhance the instruction of German as a native speaker and linguistic model and serve as an Austrian cultural ambassador in and outside of the classroom. You also have an opportunity to pursue your own academic and extracurricular interests on campus and can take two courses per semester.

To apply, you must be at least 21 years old and capable of succeeding in the dual role of a teaching assistant and student. We are looking for early-career participants who have completed their undergraduate education at an accredited institution (*Fachhochschule*, *Pädagogische Hochschule* or university) or are in the second half of the old *Diplomstudium*, have strong English skills, and are Austrian citizens. Applicants for Fulbright FLTA positions are evaluated on the basis of the strength of their academic records as well as their personal communication skills and social engagement.

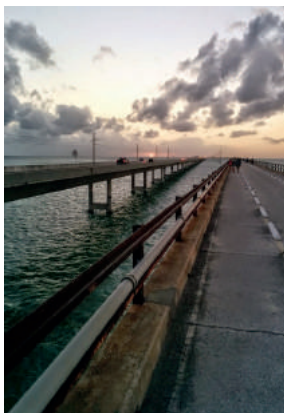


## AS AN FLTA

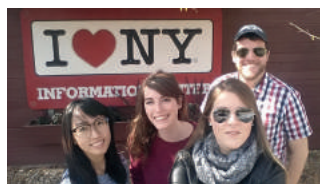
- You experience campus life in the US, get valuable classroom teaching experience, and gain insight into US higher education.
- You have the chance to take courses at your host institution and experience American culture first hand.
- You receive room, board, tuition remission for two courses per semester, and a stipend for living costs from your host institution.
- You enjoy ongoing support from Fulbright Austria and the Institute of International Education (IIE) in New York City before your departure and throughout your stay, including orientations and enrichment seminars in Austria and the US.
- You get an €1500 travel grant, program-related health benefits, and visa sponsorship.
- You become part of a national and global network of Fulbright alumni.

**APPLY  
BY  
NOVEMBER  
15.**

For further information on the program and how to apply, visit our website at [www.fulbright.at](http://www.fulbright.at).



## STORY-TELLING



I can hardly put into words just how awe-inspiring and life-altering my year at Hartwick College in Oneonta was. It was very enriching for me to get to know different cultures, to try to understand them and to reflect on my own norms and values. I'd like to thank Fulbright from the bottom of my heart for this unique, life-changing experience.

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TEACHING ASSISTANT 2016-17  
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HARTWICK COLLEGE, NY



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