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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. *264* s. 2025

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2026-2027 FULBRIGHT
FOREIGN STUDENT PROGRAM (FOR FILIPINOS)**

To : OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. In accordance with Regional Memorandum No. 325, s. 2025, titled *Call for Applications for the 2026-2027 Fulbright Foreign Student Program (For Filipinos)*, this office announces the acceptance of applications for the said scholarship.

2. As per DepEd Order No. 68, s. 2009, interested applicants for the scholarship must submit their documents to the School Governance and Operations Division-Human Resource Development Section for evaluation of the Division Personnel Development Committee on or before the March 31, 2025. The required documents are as follows:

- a. Position Description Form
- b. Service Record
- c. Certificate of No Pending Case
- d. Certificate of Good Moral Character
- e. Certificate of Grades/Years and subjects taught for the last 3 years
- f. Trainings or scholarships attended for the last 3 years
- g. Medical Certificate
- h. Duly authenticated Transcript of Records

3. For more details about the program visit www.fulbright.org.ph.

4. Attached are the Regional Memo No. 325, s. 2025 and the program invitation.

5. For information, guidance, and compliance.

[Signature]
CECILE C. FERRO CESO VI

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Officer-In-Charge

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent





Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION V - BICOL



06 March 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 00325, s. 2025

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2026-2027 FULBRIGHT FOREIGN
STUDENT PROGRAM (FOR FILIPINOS)**

To : Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Superintendents
Chiefs of the Functional Divisions
All Others Concerned

1. The Philippine-American Educational Foundation (PAEF), announces its **Call for Applications** for the **2026-2027 Fulbright Foreign Student Program**. This is a scholarship opportunity for Filipinos to study at the graduate level (master's or doctoral studies) or pursue non-degree doctoral dissertation research in the United States.
2. All interested applicants must complete the online application at <https://apply.iie.org/ffsp2026> or visit www.fulbright.org.ph to apply and learn more about the grant.
3. Attached is the letter of invitation and flyers of scholarship grants for Filipinos for reference.
4. Immediate dissemination with this Memorandum is desired.


GILBERT T. SADSAD
Regional Director

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FOREIGN SCHOLARSHIP
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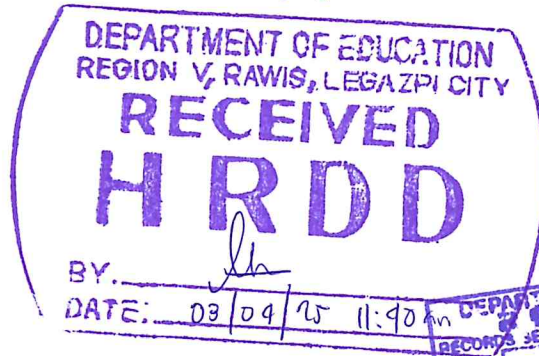


Address: Regional Center Site, Rawis, Legazpi City, 4500
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February 10, 2025

Mr. Gilbert Sadsad
Regional Director
Department of Education
Rawis, Legazpi City



Dear Mr. Sadsad:

The Philippine-American Educational Foundation, also known as Fulbright Philippines, is the bi-national commission which administers the Fulbright Program, a student exchange program which awards scholarship grants for Filipinos to the United States. The Fulbright Program aims to strengthen the relationship and increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and the Philippines by awarding graduate study, lecturing, research grants, and research fellowships.

We are pleased to inform you that the **Fulbright Foreign Student Program (for Filipinos)** for academic year 2026-2027 is now open for applications.

The **Fulbright Foreign Student Program** is a scholarship opportunity for Filipinos to study at the graduate level (master's or doctoral studies) or pursue non-degree doctoral dissertation research in the United States. The grant provides for tuition and fees, settling-in-allowance, monthly maintenance allowance, books and supplies allowance, in-transit allowance, health and accident insurance, roundtrip international airfare, and excess baggage allowance.

Applications for the **2026-2027 Fulbright Foreign Student Program** is strictly **online**. All interested applicants must complete the online application at <https://apply.iie.org/ffsp2026>, or visit www.fulbright.org.ph to apply and learn more about the grant.

We would like to request your kind assistance in disseminating this call for applicants to your faculty and staff. For any inquiries on the **Fulbright Foreign Student Program (for Filipinos)**, please get in touch with Ms. Milagros Tan, Program Officer, via email at mtan@fulbright.org.ph.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,



Julio S. Amador III
Executive Director



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brings Filipino academics and professionals to lecture and/or conduct research in the United States.

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GLOBAL UNDERGRADUATE EXCHANGE PROGRAM (GLOBAL UGRAD)

provides a diverse group of emerging student leaders with a scholarship of one semester of non-degree academic study at a U.S. college or university. The Global UGRAD program aims to recruit participants from underrepresented, non-elite backgrounds, who have not had other opportunities to study in the United States.

APPLICATION TIMELINE*

*Dates are subject to change.

DECEMBER TO MARCH	FULBRIGHT FOREIGN STUDENT PROGRAM
NOVEMBER TO JANUARY	GLOBAL UNDERGRADUATE EXCHANGE PROGRAM (GLOBAL UGRAD)
JANUARY TO APRIL	FULBRIGHT DAI
AUGUST TO NOVEMBER	FULBRIGHT VISITING SCHOLAR PROGRAM
APRIL TO JULY	HUBERT H. HUMPHREY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM
APRIL TO AUGUST	FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHING ASSISTANT PROGRAM (FLTA)

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About the Program

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This program award, in partnership with the Philippine Space Agency (PhilSA), is a scholarship opportunity for Filipinos to conduct advanced research or pursue graduate studies (master's or doctoral) in the United States for fields related to space science and technology applications.



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SCHOLARSHIPS FOR FILIPINOS

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- Grants support travel, tuition, fees, and health insurance

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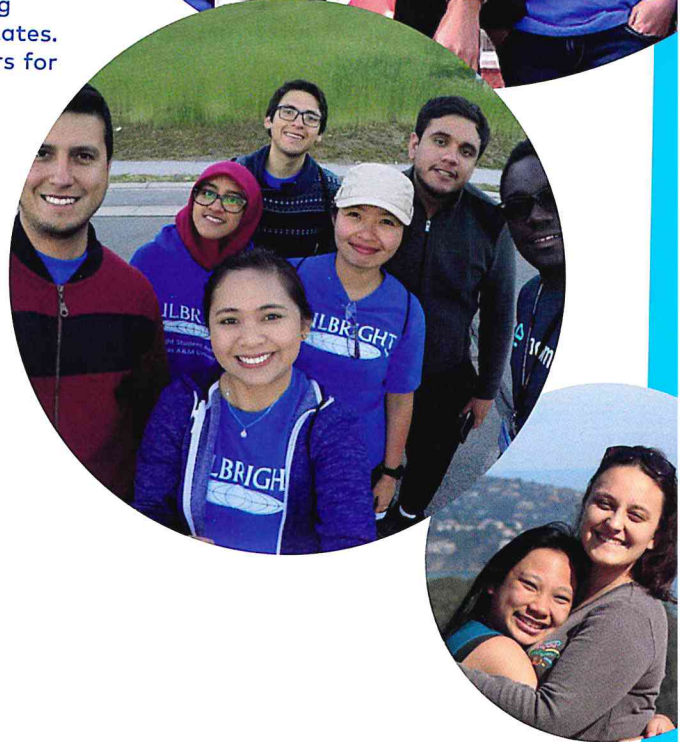
- Support 10-month non-academic / degree fellowships
- Offer valuable opportunities for leadership development and professional engagement in the United States
- Grants support travel, tuition, fees, and health insurance

✓ PROGRAMS FOR TEACHERS

- Provide opportunities for refining teaching skills, English proficiency and extending cultural knowledge
- Provide up to one academic year of professional development

✓ PROGRAM FOR UNDERGRADUATES

- Offers one semester of non-degree academic study at a U.S. college or university



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