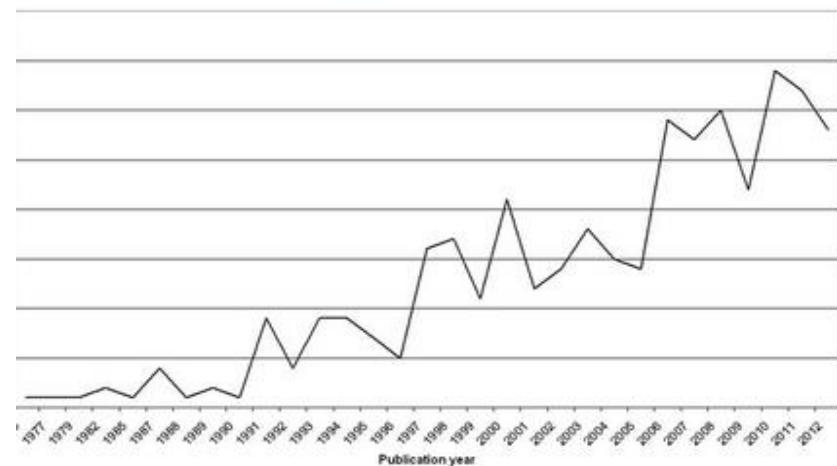
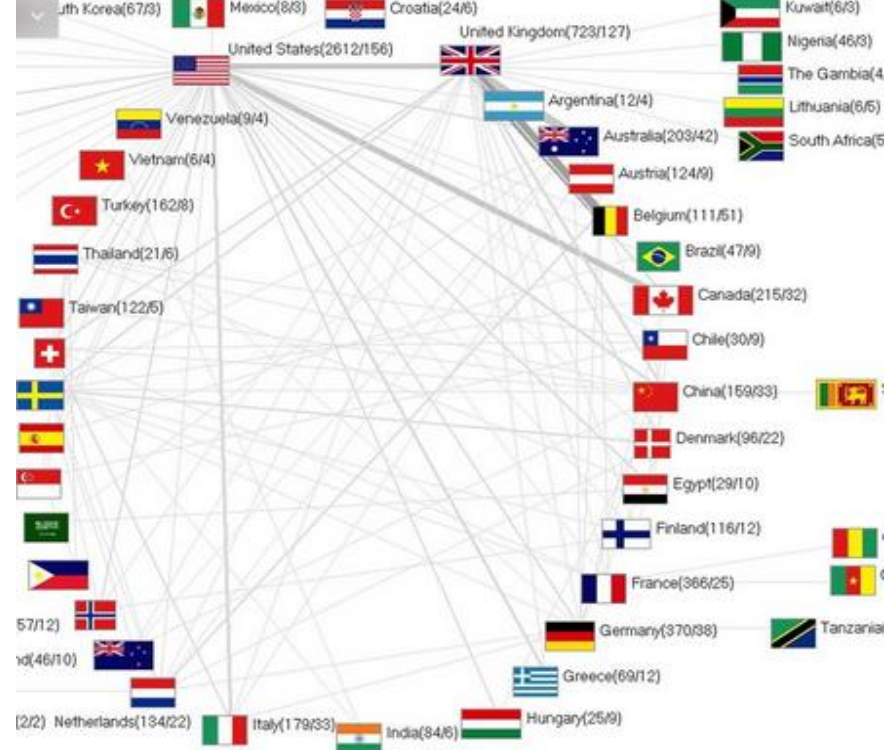


# International Opportunities: Support for Faculty & Staff



**MONTANA  
STATE UNIVERSITY**

International Programs

**Presenters:**

Janelle Rasmussen, Director, International Training Programs

Toby Blake, Coordinator, Faculty-Led Programs

# OIP MISSION

- The Office of International Programs (OIP) offers a broad range of programs and services and brings international education to the core of academic and cultural life at MSU.
- OIP strives to provide international education opportunities and global experiences to MSU students and faculty.
- OIP aims to make MSU academic experiences accessible to capable students from around the world.

# OIP CORE FUNCTIONS



## **INBOUND**

- \*Recruitment & International Admissions
- \*International Student & Scholar Services
- \*Student Experience: Support, Events, Programming.

## **OUTBOUND**

- \*Study Abroad & Exchange.
- \*International Travel Compliance with MSU International Travel Policy.

## **OTHER GLOBAL ACTIVITIES**

- \*International Training & Development Programs.
- \*Global Partnerships.

# Faculty Benefits to Working with OIP

- International Research Funding and Grant Support.
- Global Partnerships and Networking.
- Facilitating International Collaborations.
- Cultural and Language Support.
- Support for Internationalization efforts to strengthen MSU's global reputation.
- Travel Support and Advice.
- Visa Support for International Visitors.



# Example: Faculty Opportunities



- **Incoming Exchange Programs:** The MEPI Student Leaders Program is a 5-week intensive program focusing on leadership, human rights and social justice, civic engagement, critical thinking, collaboration, and project management.
  - MSU has hosted the program since 2005 and now boasts over 300 alumni across the region.
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- **Faculty-led Programs** are a way to get your students involved in research and important subject matter across the globe.



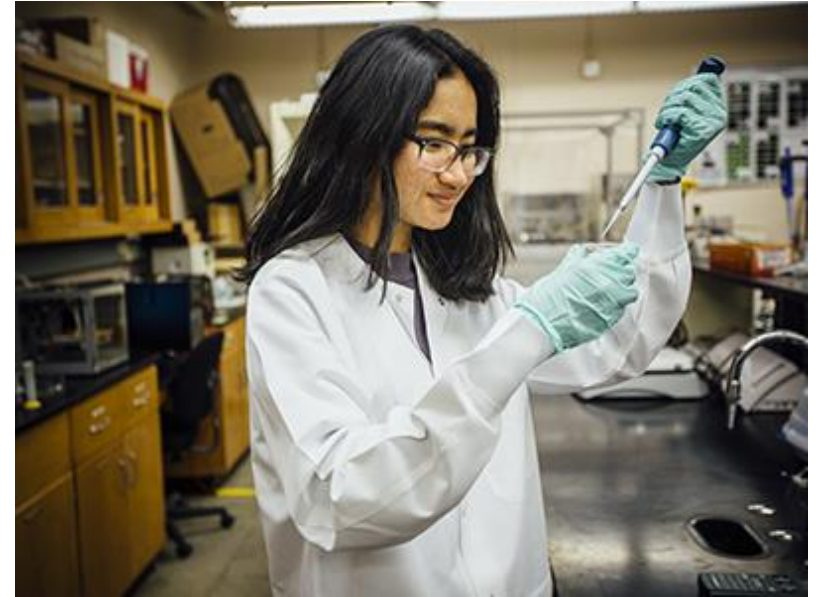
- ❖ Professor Michael Reidy, Department Head of History & Philosophy, and Dale Martin, professor of History and Philosophy have served as lead instructors for the program for the past 15 years. (Past Faculty Leads: Susan Kollin, Robert Bennett, Kirk Branch & Gretchen Minton)
- ❖ Michael also helped lead a group of MSU students to Nepal on a Great Expeditions trip through Honors this past year

# OIP Working with ORD

International Funding  
Grants/Programming/Research  
Opportunities (USAID,  
Embassies, U.S. Department of  
State, etc.)

International Travel  
Fulbright Scholar Award,  
Leading a Group of MSU  
Students Abroad, etc

Coming Soon  
MSU Faculty fund to support  
International Travel and  
Research (with support from  
OIP).



*"The collaboration between the OIP and ORD aims to increase MSU's international research capabilities and raise its global influence. This partnership is in alignment with the university's dedication to global engagement and academic excellence."*

-Kristof Zaba, MSU Dean for Global Engagement and International Programs

# Grants & International Exchange Programs

Opportunity Number	Opportunity Title	Agency
<a href="#">72011524RFI00001</a>	Request for Information (RFI) on USAID New Energy Activity in Central Asia	USAID-KAZ
<a href="#">24-506</a>	International Research Experiences for Students	NSF
<a href="#">24-507</a>	Incorporating Human Behavior in Epidemiological Models	NSF
<a href="#">FR-AMT-24-001</a>	FY24 Northeast Corridor Cooperative Agreement to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation	DOT-FRA
<a href="#">FR-AMT-24-002</a>	FY24 National Network Cooperative Agreement to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation	DOT-FRA
<a href="#">RFA-DA-24-036</a>	Rural Community-Centered Drug Misuse Prevention and Harm Reduction Research: Addressing Implementation, Dissemination, and Equity Challenges across the Continuum of Care (R61/R33 Clinical Trial Only)	HHS-NIH11
<a href="#">LBN-PDS-FY24-AFCP</a>	Ambassadors Fund for Cultural Preservation (AFCP) - Lebanon	DOS-LBN
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003164</a>	Innovative Development in Energy-Related Applied Sciences (IDEAS)	DOE-ARPAE
<a href="#">NOAA-NMFS-HCPO-2024-2008219</a>	Fiscal Year 2024 Chesapeake B-WET Program - School District Programming	DOC
<a href="#">NOAA-NMFS-HCPO-2024-2008241</a>	Fiscal Year 2024 Statewide K-12 Environmental Literacy Capacity Building	DOC
<a href="#">PDS-SWEDEN-2024-01</a>	U.S. Mission Sweden PDS Annual Program Statement	DOS-SWE
<a href="#">AF-HAR-FY24-01</a>	Academy for Women Entrepreneurs 2024	DOS-ZWE
<a href="#">PAS-002-FY2024</a>	U.S. Embassy Prague: Campaign to Mark the 25th Anniversary of the Czech Republic Joining NATO	DOS-CZE



Grants: [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov)

# Grants & International Exchange Programs

Exchange Programs: <https://exchanges.state.gov/us>

Examples:

U.S. Speaker Program

Fulbright Grants

- Scholar
- Specialist
- International Education Administrators Programs (IEA)
- Travel-Only (Germany, Hungary and Italy)

ProFellow: <https://www.profellow.com/>

Examples:

Nantes Institutes for Advanced Study Fellowship Program (France)

Humboldt Research Awards (Germany)

The U.S. Japan Leadership Program (Japan)

Research Innovation & Collaboration Exchange (RICE )Fellowships (Indo-Pacific Region)

Mid-Career Professional Development Award (Fulbright Finland)

Kleinhans Fellowship for Community Forestry Research (Latin America)

Greece-Iceland Joint Award for Arts & Design Fulbright (Greece/Iceland)

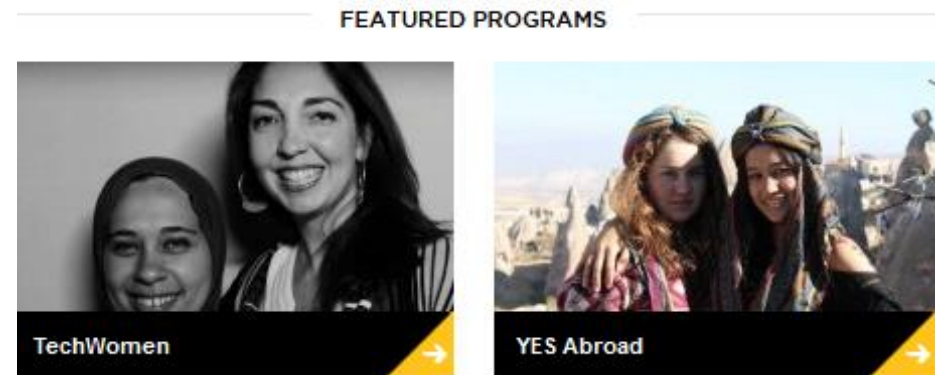
Ford Foundation Global Fellowships (Global)

**FIND EXCHANGE PROGRAMS**

The U.S. Department of State sponsors multiple programs for educational, cultural, and professional exchanges across the world.

Program Location:

Programs For:





# Fulbright Scholar Advising

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Visit ORD website to request support

[www.montana.edu/research/ord](http://www.montana.edu/research/ord)

Office of Research Development

Team Members | Proposal Development | Limited Submissions | Workshops & Events | Resources

JANUARY 11, 2024

**RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT DAY**

MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY  
Office of Research Development

Save the date!

The Office of Research Development aims to catalyze innovative and impactful scholarship by increasing competitiveness for sponsored research, enhancing research capacities, and facilitating cultures of collaboration, inclusivity, and creativity.

Montana State University has once again been identified as one of the top Research Universities in the country, achieving R1 distinction with [more than \\$200 million in research expenditures for FY22](#). Our office provides a comprehensive portfolio of services, leads strategic initiatives, hosts seminars and events, fosters community between campus units, and connects researchers across diverse disciplines, institutions, and industries to sustain and grow research excellence at MSU. We are sponsored by the [Office of Research and Economic Development](#).

[Request Support](#)

[ORD Office Hour: Every Tuesday!](#)  
Half-hour slots available every Tuesday from 11 a.m.-12 noon. Select an appointment for personnel document support.

[Research Funding](#)

[Frequently Asked Questions](#)

[Early Career Resources](#)

**NEW UPDATE**  
New ORD Updates

News

Events

# ORD: Advising Fulbright Scholars Program

- Generally, ORD helps to **identify funding** opportunities and **support proposal/fellowship development**
- With respect to Fulbright programs specifically,
  - **Info sessions** for faculty and staff
  - **1:1 consultations with MSU's Fulbright Scholar Liaison** for faculty and staff
    - Including full application review
  - **Seamless coordination between ORD and OIP** to maximize international resources, connections, and expertise
  - **Community-building events and peer networking**



# Faculty Led Study Abroad



## SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



- MSU courses led by MSU faculty to MSU students for MSU credit
- Share love of teaching, travel, exploration, and research in small class sizes in innovative, global environments around the world
- OIP helps to leverage institutional partnerships, contract with top educational providers, and support all administration

# Faculty Led Study Abroad provides access to:



- MSU Faculty
- International Research
- Experience and Competency
- Self-reflection
- Global Networks
- Sense of belonging, persistence, and graduation outcomes

# International Travel Compliance

## Steps for MSU International Travel

MSU faculty and staff should obtain financial approval from their department through [Chrome River](#).

### 1. Register travel in the [MSU International Travel Registry](#).

- Create an account with your MSU NetID and password.
- Review MSU-Bozeman's University Health Partners' [comprehensive travel-related health services and resources](#). If you have additional travel health questions, please contact [MSU Travel Clinic](#) at [travelclinic@montana.edu](mailto:travelclinic@montana.edu) or (406) 994-7287.
- Any University international travel proposed by a University Traveler to any country for which a [U.S. Department of State](#) Travel Advisory (Level 3 or 4) or a [Center for Disease Control and Prevention](#) Warning Level 3 is in effect must be reviewed and approved in advance of travel by the Campus International Travel Safety Review Committee.

### 2. Obtain [GeoBlue International Traveler's Insurance](#).

- Geo Blue insurance is mandatory for all MSU-sponsored travel and MSU-affiliated travel, and must be purchased prior to departure.
- Insurance purchases, including GeoBlue, are not allowed on the P-Card. If you plan to charge GeoBlue to your P-Card, you need to request a one-time purchase exemption by emailing [pcard@montana.edu](mailto:pcard@montana.edu) to enable a GeoBlue purchase. You may also choose to purchase GeoBlue on your own and reimburse it through Chrome River.
- Questions about GeoBlue? Please contact Jessie Hodgson, [jessie.hodgson@montana.edu](mailto:jessie.hodgson@montana.edu).

# HIVER Virtual Exchange Program

- HIVER partners teaching faculty at universities in Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, the Palestinian Territories, Morocco, Tunisia, and the United States to add a virtual exchange component to regularly offered courses.
- Cross-cultural exchange and mutual understanding.
- Enhance communication, intercultural, and leadership.
- Bolster resumes.
- HIVER alumni have access to networks, resources, and activities.
- Contact [toby.blake@montana.edu](mailto:toby.blake@montana.edu)

**HIVER** Harnessing Innovation  
through Virtual Exchange  
for Enhanced Results

# UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES, ITEMS TO HIGHLIGHT



International Programs Committee  
*Reconvening this week*



## INFO SESSIONS FOR COIL (Collaborative Online International Learning)

- COIL: How to Bring the World into your Classroom - Virtually! [Registration Link](#)
- Voices from COIL: Efforts to Provide Engagement in an Interdependent World. [Registration Link](#)

### COIL Resources

From ACE: Internationalization in Action Series, Special Edition, Connecting Classrooms: Using Online Technology to Deliver Global Learning <https://www.acenet.edu/Documents/Connecting-Classrooms-Using-Online-Technology-to-Deliver-Global-Learning.pdf>

# UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES, ITEMS TO HIGHLIGHT



OIP Faculty Fund | Mini-Grants  
More details to come Spring, 2024



## Faculty Advisor Position (UNA-USA)

Purpose: The United Nations Association of the United States (UNA-USA) is a movement of Americans dedicated to supporting the United Nations. With over 20,000 members (60% under the age of 26) and more than 200 chapters across the country, UNA-USA members are united in their commitment to global engagement and their belief that each of us can play a part in advancing the UN's mission and achieving the Sustainable Development Goals.

MSU is Montana's first UNA-USA chapter, founded in 2019

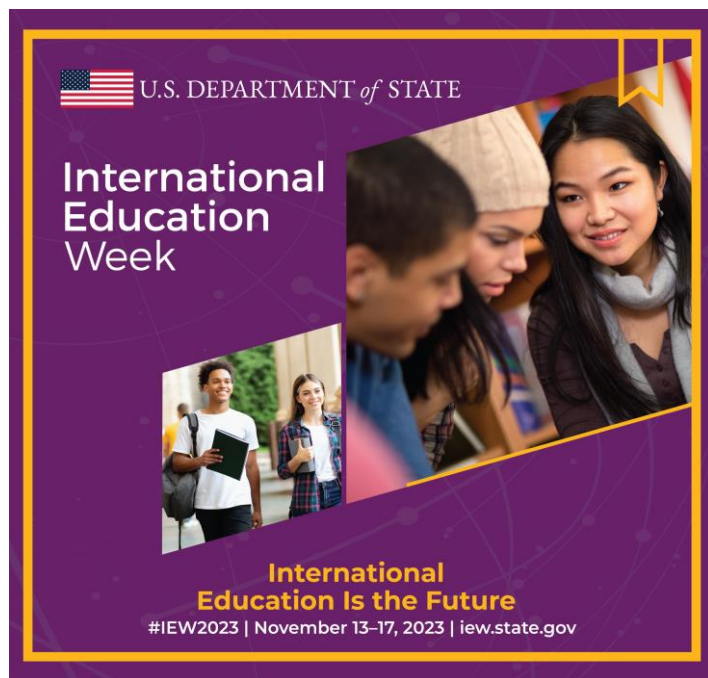
*For more information, see Janelle Rasmussen*



**UNA★USA**




# 2023 International Education Week



<https://www.montana.edu/international/2023intledweek/index.html>

## International Education Week

<b>NOVEMBER 13</b> <b>GOING GLOBAL</b> → 12:00 - 1:00 PM in SUB 233	<b>NOVEMBER 14</b> <b>GRAD RESEARCH POSTER SESSION</b> → 11:00 - 2:00 PM in SUB 233	
<b>INTERNATIONAL DANCE PARTY</b> → 6:00 - 8:00 PM in Inspiration Hall	<b>STUDY ABROAD PHOTO CONTEST</b> → 5:30 - 7:30 PM Ballroom C & D	
<b>EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS BY COMING TO OUR EVENTS!</b>  <b>MORE INFO AT THE LINK IN OUR BIO!</b>	<b>NOVEMBER 15</b> <b>WORKSHOP: FAC-LED PROGRAMS</b> → 12:00 - 1:30 PM in SUB 233	<b>NOVEMBER 16</b>
	<b>MOVIE NIGHT</b> → 6:00 - 8:00 PM in Procrastinator Theatre	<b>STUDY ABROAD PANEL</b> → 12:00 - 1:30 PM in Leigh Lounge

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