

Dates: June 15–July 14, 2014

Eligibility Criteria:

- ◆ University / College faculty in the areas of social sciences, humanities, education and business;
- ◆ K-12 educators in the areas of Social Studies, Literature, Music, Science, Special Education, Library Sciences;
- ◆ U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- ◆ Not eligible—those who have participated in a Fulbright program during the past three years or in two or more projects in the last ten years. Other conditions may apply



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**FULBRIGHT-HAYS GROUP SEMINAR
ABROAD IN BELIZE**

The Summer Institute on the Welfare of Women in Belize

June 15–July 14, 2014

AUBURN UNIVERSITY AT MONTGOMERY

Montgomery, Alabama

www.aum.edu



Application Deadline: November 15, 2013



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Auburn University at Montgomery has been funded for a four-week curriculum development seminar on the cultural history and welfare of women in Belize by studying the milestones and issues that can be understood and effectively translated into curriculum units in such diverse courses as World History, Cultural and World Geography, Women and Culture, Global Studies, World Religions, Social Studies, Visual and Language Arts, Music, Science and the education of exceptional students, International Relations, International Business and Economics. The Summer Institute on the Welfare of Women in Belize (SIWWB) will examine the social, cultural and economic welfare of women in Central America.

The project is designed as a four-week curriculum development seminar in Belizean Women's and Ethnic Studies. The project is designed to provide Higher Education faculty and K-12 School educators with rich primary content as they develop curricular components to integrate into their current curriculum and to establish new plans study.

Objectives:

- ◆ To study and compare the trends in roles, expectations, and contributions of women in Belize.
- ◆ To study the cultural heritage and contributions of ethnic groups
- ◆ To study the legacy of participation of women of in leadership positions in Belize.
- ◆ To examine access to economic opportunity and advancement for Women of Belize.
- ◆ To develop curricula that will prepare students for an increasingly global and interdependent world.
- ◆ To develop a multi-media online resource repository accessible to K-12 and post-secondary educators, administrators, students and community members.



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Cost:

The federal grant will cover travel to Belize, hotels, meals, field trips and all program costs. Participants are responsible for a registration fee of \$900 and travel to and from Montgomery, AL, lodging and meals during orientation; required travel insurance; and passport fees.

(Some participants' institutions may cover the participants fees.)

How to Apply:

You may download an application from:

<http://www.liberalarts.aum.edu/departments/sociology>

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**APPLICATION FOR FULBRIGHT-HAYS GROUP PROJECT ABROAD
"THE SUMMER INSTITUTE ON THE WELFARE OF WOMEN IN BELIZE"**

**Auburn University Montgomery
Summer 2014**

Directions for Submission: You may submit this application and letters of recommendation as an attachment via e-mail or through regular mail. The application and components must be submitted in its entirety in order to be considered by the committee. No partial application packet will be considered. Deadline for the application packet is **November 15, 2013**.

Name: _____ Job Title: _____

Place of Employment (College/University/School) _____

Dept/School: _____ How long? _____

Position: _____

Work Address: _____

Work Telephone: _____ Work E-mail: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Home E-mail: _____

Where would you prefer to receive communications? Work Home Both

Are you a U. S. Citizen? Permanent Resident? (Citizen of: _____)

Have you participated in a Fulbright-Hays Group Project Abroad or Group Seminar before? ¹ No Yes

If "yes," year? _____ Country? _____ Name of Project: _____

Other than a vacation, have you been to Belize before? No Yes

If "yes," in what capacity? _____ Dates? _____

Participants are required to attend and participate in all group activities during the four weeks of travel. Please note that this Fulbright-Hays Group Project is not designed for independent research.

¹ Individuals who participated in the Fulbright-Hays Seminar Abroad or Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad program in the three summers prior to the summer of 2014 may not apply. Also, individuals who have had two awards under either of these two programs are not eligible, unless ten years have passed since the first award was received.

Please read carefully the description, purpose and goals of the Fulbright-Hays Project to Belize before answering the following questions: (Found on the Auburn University at Montgomery webpage, <http://www.liberalarts.aum.edu/departments/sociology>)

1. In the space below, please describe the topics you are interested in, as they relate to this project.
2. Please explain how this project in Belize is relevant to your academic work.
3. Please describe how you plan to utilize your experiences in Belize, professionally.

4. Describe what contribution you believe you can make to the experience of other group members, who will be from many disciplines. (Humanities, Social Sciences, Education, Business, K-12 Instructors)

5. The U.S. Department of Education requires that participants share a room in modest accommodations. These requirements typically create challenges for participants. Describe (a) the challenges you believe this will create for you and (b) how you expect to cope with them.

A.

B.

6. Have you had any prior experiences that would help you meet the challenges created by this intense four-week program in Belize? If “yes,” please describe briefly.

7. What are your plans for disseminating what you learned in Belize?

References: Please provide the name, title/position, telephone number, address and e-mail of (1) a colleague and (2) your Dean, Chairperson, Principal, or supervisor. Please include a copy of two reference letters provided by the individuals you have identified. The letter provided by your Dean, Chairperson, Principal or supervisor should expressly indicate the kinds of support to which the referee is committing. Send two completed copies (or through an e-mail attachment) of this Application with Resumes that focus on the past five years to:

Fulbright Hays Seminar Abroad
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Send your application materials via e-mail or two copies of the materials via postal mail. Partial applications will **NOT** be considered. Applicants will be notified by December, 2013.

For questions contact Dr. Annice Yarber at 334-221-7363 or Dr. Denise Davis-Maye, 334-354-1697.

Please Print/type name in full below and date the application upon submission.

Name _____

Date of Submission _____