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**Participants**
- Fellows: TESOL professionals who teach English and train teachers in-country at local host institutions around the world.
- Specialists: Top-tier TESOL experts who lead intensive, high-level English language projects around the world, in-country and virtually.
- Virtual Educators: TESOL professionals who teach English and train teachers virtually at local host institutions around the world.

**Requirements:**
- U.S. citizenship.
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**Sample Duties**
- Teaching university level courses in English and methodology
- Facilitating professional development opportunities for host institution faculty and host country EFL teachers
- Developing community based projects
- Intensive teacher-training, including a range of ESP topics
- Advising ministries of education
- Plenary/keynote presentations
- National curriculum design and development
- Teaching language skills and EFL methodology classes
- Participating in online conferences for local and national teachers’ associations
- Presenting at American Spaces on U.S. American culture and EFL topics

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**Benefits:**
- $3,500 monthly stipend for 10-months, living allowance, program activities allowance, dependent’s allowance, roundtrip travel, and supplemental health benefit plan
- $250/day stipend, living allowance, program activities allowance, roundtrip travel, and supplemental health benefit plan; virtual projects - $50/hour stipend, planning supplement, program activities allowance
- $35/contact hour stipend, planning supplement, virtual activities allowance; and membership in a virtual network of highly-experienced TESOL professionals