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Dear Colleagues,

I am writing to bring to your attention a new Fulbright opportunity to Australia. The award summary which is noted below will be highlighted in the Program Updates section on our website homepage and included in the Participating Country Summary for Australia.

#### 1 Fulbright CSIRO Grant

The Fulbright CSIRO Postgraduate Scholarship provides the opportunity for American citizens to undertake 8-12 months postgraduate research with Australia's leading and largest science research organisation, CSIRO (Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation), working on Australia's most ambitious scientific research program, the National Research Flagships.

This research can be related to an American Ph.D. program. The recipient will thus have the opportunity to gain international experience and build collaborations with Australian scientists as part of their postgraduate studies.

CSIRO has over 6,000 staff working on outcome focussed scientific research to benefit industries, communities and the environment. The USA has long been CSIRO's most important international partner.

The CSIRO National Research Flagships focus on addressing major challenges and opportunities through long term, multidisciplinary, collaborative research leading to widespread adoption of outcomes.

There are nine National Research Flagships in the following areas that are open to Fulbright applicants for 2009:

- Climate Adaptation
- Energy Transformed
- Food Futures
- Light Metals
- Minerals Down Under
- Niche Manufacturing (nanotechnology)
- Preventative Health

Water for a Healthy Country  
Wealth from Oceans

See Australian-American Fulbright Commission web site [www.fulbright.com.au](http://www.fulbright.com.au) for more details or contact Jonathan Akeley at [jakeley@iie.org](mailto:jakeley@iie.org)

Details of Grant – as per full grants.

As always, our thanks for your continued support of the Fulbright U.S. Student Program.

Regards

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