

STUDY OF THE U.S. INSTITUTES (SUSI) SCHOLAR NOMINATION FORM

TO BE FILLED BY THE NOMINATOR

<u>Please provide justification</u> (limit 250 words each) why you would like to nominate the proposed candidate for SUSI program.

 Please discuss why this individual has been nominated above all others, and how this nominee's participation fits into the U.S. Mission Kazakhstan's current efforts to promote a greater understanding of the United States.

2. Please discuss how the nominee's participation is relevant to the U.S. Mission Kazakhstan, and what sort of on-going collaboration the Post anticipates having with either the nominee or nominee's institution in the future.

TO BE FILLED BY THE CANDIDATE

a. Title of Institute

Select which applies:

- > Contemporary American Literature
- Journalism and Media
- Religious Pluralism in the United States
- U.S. Culture and Society
- ➤ U.S. Foreign Policy
- > U.S. Political Thought
- U.S. National Security and Policymaking

b. Nominee's full name, exactly as it appears on nominee's passport

Prefix

Last name

First name

Middle name

- C. Gender:
- <u>d.</u> <u>Date of birth:</u> mm/dd/yyyy
- e. City of birth:
- f. Country of birth:
- g. Citizenship:
- h. Residency:
- <u>i.</u> <u>Medical, Physical, Dietary, or other Personal Considerations:</u> <u>Disability:</u>

Select which applies:

- Blind and Visual Impairments
- Deaf and Hearing Impairments
- Learning Disability
- New Disability Description
- Physical Disability
- Psychiatric Disability
- Systematic Disability

Please describe any pre-existing medical conditions, including any prescription medication the nominee may be taking, or any other dietary or personal consideration.

This will not affect the nominee's selection, but will enable the host institution to make any necessary accommodations.

j. Nominee's contact information:

- > Address:
- ➤ City:
- ➤ Home state or province:
- Postal code:
- > Home country:
- ➤ Email:
- > Phone:
- Emergency contact (phone numbers only) :
- > Emergency contact name
- Relationship (Emergency contact name):
- Emergency contact email:

k. Current Position, Title, Institution

Select which applies:

Position type:

- ➤ Senior University Official (president, Provost), Government Minister, Senior Executive, etc.
- University Dean, Government Advisor, Vice President, Junior Executive
- Senior Professor, Department Chair, Director, Editor, Office, etc.
- Associate Professor, Senior Researcher/Think Tank Fellow, Senior Staff, etc.
- Assistant Professor, Assistant Editor, Coordinator, mid-level staff Researcher/Think Tank Fellow, etc.
- > Lecturer, Teacher, Consultant
- > Teaching Assistant, Instructor
- Other.

Title:

Institution name:

Institution country:

I. Work experience, including previous positions and titles

From	То	Title/Institution (please specify if position is part-time)
mm/dd/yyyy	mm/dd/yyyy	
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m. Education, Academic and Professional Training

<u>Please list all earned degrees</u> beginning with most recent. Degrees listed should reflect the closest US equivalent.

Degree Earned	Year Earned	Specialization/Institution
Ph.D/J.D.	mm/dd/yyyy	
Doctoral Candidate	mm/dd/yyyy	
ABD/Post Graduate Degree	mm/dd/yyyy	
M.A. / M.S.	mm/dd/yyyy	
B.A. / B.S.	mm/dd/yyyy	
Associates / 2-Year Degree	mm/dd/yyyy	

Additional Professional Training

n. Active Professional Memberships:

Active Professional Memberships independent of current professional responsibilities. These should not include university committee work or other professional duties directly related to current employment.

Position	Title	Organization
 President/Board Chairperson Director, etc. Board Member Editorial Staff/Officer 		
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O. Publications Related to the Institute Theme (up to 10)

Please list all foreign titles in English, including whether book, chapter, journal article, newspaper article, web article, etc.

Publication Type	Year	Title Publisher
➢ Book	mm/dd/yyyy	
Edited volume (primary,		
co-editor)		
Book chapter		
Journal article		
Newspaper/online article		
Conference/University		
government publication		

<u>p.</u> Has the student travelled to the US before: Select which applies:

- > Yes
- ➤ No

If yes, please specify below by indicating dates:

Purpose of visit to the US:

- Earned Ph.D.
- Earned M.A./M.S.
- Earned B.A./B.S.
- Other USG grant/visiting program
- ➤ Non-degree study in U.S. (undergraduate or high school)
- English Language Training
- > Short-term travel (Conference, Tourism, Business)

From: mm/dd/yyyy	
To: mm/dd/yyyy	
Description	

q. Family residing in the United States

Select which applies:

- > Yes
- > No

If yes, please specify below by indicating full name of family member, city and state where the person resides. (Example: John Doe – Chicago, IL).

<u>r.</u> <u>Evidence of English Fluency</u>: (if you have TOEFL/IELTS certificate, feel free to send it as an attachment)

S. Professional Responsibilities

Nominee should discuss professional responsibilities in greater detail,
including research interests, administrative responsibilities (ex. curriculum
design,) and/or other pertinent information.

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Current Courses Taught:

Course Title	Level of Students	Classroom Hours Per Semester	#Students	U.S. studies content (%)
	Ph.D. Masters Undergraduate High School			
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Current Student Advising: Advising is not the same as teaching. We are looking for the number of students, their level, and hours the nominee spends providing assistance in helping students clarifying personal and career goals, and evaluating progress towards those goals, This section can also include those that supervise PhD and graduate students.

Number of students advised studying U.S. related topics	Level of Students	Hours of advising per student per year
	Ph.D.	
	Masters	

Undergraduate High School	
Ph.D.	
Masters	
Undergraduate	
High School	

Other Potential Outcomes:

Please select any likely potential professional outcomes of this program.

- Update Existing Course
- University Curriculum Redesign
- New Publication
- New Professional Organization
- Create New Course
- National Curriculum Redesign
- Professional Promotion
- New Institutional Linkages
- Create New Degree Program
- > New Research Project
- Government or Ministry Policy
- Raise Institutional Profile

t. Personal Essay (250 words limit)

The essay should be no more than 250 words (approximately half a page, single spaced and should convey why you are interested in participating in this particular institute, what you expect to gain from the experience, and what you will contribute to the group. In addition, the personal statement should convey information on your background, interests, and/or goals that makes you competitive for this particular program.