



# U.S. FULBRIGHT GRANTEES IN THE CR

## Academic Year 2016 – 2017

### Research Scholars

**Name** **Beke, Tibor**  
**U.S. Position** Associate Professor  
College of Sciences, University of Massachusetts, MA  
**Czech Affiliation** Faculty of Science, Masaryk University, Brno  
**Project** Category-theoretic Methods in Mathematical Logic  
**Major Discipline/Specialization** Mathematics/Topology, Computational Geometry  
**Duration of Grant/Starting Date** 4 months/September 18, 2016  
**Academic Background** Ph.D., Mathematics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, MA, 1998

**Name** **Hellerstedt, John Thery**  
**U.S. Position** Postdoctoral Researcher  
Faculty of Science, Monash University, Australia  
**Czech Affiliation** Institute of Physics, Czech Academy of Science, Prague  
**Project** Two-Dimensional Quantum Spin Liquids in Organometallic Molecular Frameworks Studied by Scanning Tunneling Microscopy  
**Major Discipline/Specialization** Physics/Semiconductor Surface Physics  
**Duration of Grant/Starting Date** 9 months/September 18, 2016  
**Academic Background** Ph.D., Physics and Astronomy, University of Maryland, MD, 2015

**Name** **Thompson, Stanley Robert**  
**U.S. Position** Professor  
College of Food, Agriculture and Environmental Science, Ohio State University, OH  
**Czech Affiliation** Faculty of Economics and Management, Czech University of Life Sciences, Prague  
**Project** Agricultural Policy Analysis: Econometric Model Building and Policy Evaluation  
**Major Discipline/Specialization** Agriculture/Agricultural Economics  
**Duration of Grant/Starting Date** 3 months/January 29, 2017  
**Academic Background** Ph.D., Economics, Cornell University, NY, 1975

### Teaching Scholars

**Name** **Gilmour, John B.**  
**U.S. Position** Professor  
Department of Government, College of William and Mary, VA  
**Czech Affiliation** Faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University, Prague  
**Project** Teaching American Politics and Political Science in the Czech Republic  
**Major Discipline/Specialization** Political Science/US Political System  
**Duration of Grant/Starting Date** 4 months/January 29, 2017  
**Academic Background** Ph.D., Political Science, University of California, CA, 1985



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Name **Hall, Justin Robinson**  
U.S. Position Assistant Professor  
School of Humanities and Sciences, California College of the Arts, CA  
Czech Affiliation Faculty of Arts, Masaryk University, Brno  
Project Comics in the Czech Republic  
Major Discipline/Specialization Arts/Arts  
Duration of Grant/Starting Date 3 months/September 18, 2016  
Academic Background MFA., Creative Writing, Goddard College, VT, 2015

Name **Harding, Jennifer Riddle**  
U.S. Position Associate Professor  
Department of English, Washington and Jefferson College, PA  
Czech Affiliation Faculty of Arts, Charles University, Prague  
Project Interdisciplinary Connections in American Literature  
Major Discipline/Specialization Literature/American Literature  
Duration of Grant/Starting Date 3,5 months/February 15, 2017  
Academic Background Ph.D., English, University of Maryland, MD, 2004

Name **Leupen, Sarah Margaret**  
U.S. Position Senior Lecturer  
College of Natural and Mathematical Sciences, University of Maryland, MD  
Czech Affiliation Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Pilsen  
Project Evidence-Based Pedagogical Innovation in Health Sciences Education  
Major Discipline/Specialization Biology/Cell Physiology  
Duration of Grant/Starting Date 9 months/September 18, 2016  
Academic Background Ph.D., Neuroscience, Northwestern University, IL, 1998

Name **Terruso, Gene Joseph**  
U.S. Position Adjunct Faculty  
College of Performing Arts, University of the Arts, PA  
Czech Affiliation Faculty of Theater, JAMU, Faculty of Arts, Masaryk University, Brno  
Project The American Century on Stage and Screen: History, Literature and Performance  
Major Discipline/Specialization Humanities/Theater Studies  
Duration of Grant/Starting Date 9 months/September 18, 2016  
Academic Background MFA, Theater, Rutgers University, NJ, 1986

### Fulbright-Masaryk University Distinguished Chair

Name **Doig, Stephen Keith**  
U.S. Position Distinguished Professor  
Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication, Arizona State University, AZ  
Czech Affiliation Faculty of Social Studies, Masaryk University, Brno  
Project Social Science Tools for Journalism in the Czech Republic  
Major Discipline/Specialization Journalism/Data Journalism, Social Science Methods  
Duration of Grant/Starting Date 4 months/September 18, 2016



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Name	<b>Foerster, Schuyler</b>
U.S. Position	Professor
Czech Affiliation	Department of Political Science, United States Air Force Academy, CO
Project	Faculty of Social Studies, Masaryk University, Brno
Major Discipline/Specialization	Strengthening Education on 21st Century Global and Regional Security Challenges, U.S. Foreign and Security Policy, and the Role of NATO in Europe
Duration of Grant/Starting Date	Political Science/Security Studies, Strategic Studies, U.S. Foreign & Security Policy, European Politics
Academic Background	4 months/January 29, 2017
	Ph.D., Political Science, Oxford University, United Kingdom, 1983

### Fulbright-Charles University Distinguished Chairs

Name	<b>Novotny, Mark Alan</b>
U.S. Position	Professor and Head
Czech Affiliation	College of Arts & Sciences, Mississippi State University, MS
Project	Faculty of Mathematics and Physics, Charles University, Prague
Major Discipline/Specialization	Studies in Quantum Systems, Including Quantum Materials and Quantum Computing
Duration of Grant/Starting Date	Physics
Academic Background	9 months/September 18, 2016
	Ph.D., Physics and Astronomy, Stanford University, CA, 1978

### Fulbright-Czech Technical University Distinguished Chair

Name	<b>Frolik, Jeffrey Lee</b>
U.S. Position	Associate Professor and Head
Czech Affiliation	School of Engineering, University of Vermont, VT
Project	Faculty of Electrical Engineering, Czech Technical University, Prague
Major Discipline/Specialization	Channel Characterization and Antennas for Future Wireless Systems
Duration of Grant/Starting Date	Engineering/Communications Engineering
Academic Background	6 months/January 3, 2017
	Ph.D., Engineering, University of Michigan, MI, 1995

### Fulbright-Palacky University Distinguished Chair

Name	<b>Goodman, Russell Brian</b>
U.S. Position	Professor Emeritus
Czech Affiliation	Department of Philosophy, University of New Mexico, NM
Project	Faculty of Arts, Palacky University, Olomouc
Major Discipline/Specialization	American Philosophy before Pragmatism
Duration of Grant/Starting Date	Philosophy/History of American Philosophy, Pragmatism, Wittgenstein
Academic Background	4,5 months/January 29, 2017
	Ph.D., Philosophy, Johns Hopkins University, MD, 1971



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### Students

Name	<b>Pfeiffer, Vera Wilder</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Doctoral Student, Environment and Resources Landscape Genetics University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
Czech Affiliation	Faculty of Agronomy, Mendel University, Brno
Project	Social bee foraging behavior and colony density at the Czech urban-agricultural interface
Education	M.S., Geography, Oregon State University, 2012
Duration of Grant/Starting Date	9 months/January 1, 2017

### English Teaching Assistants

Name	<b>Acevedo, Jeremy Luis</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student At-Large
Czech Affiliation	Střední škola a Vyšší odborná škola zdravotnická, Plzeň
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Sociology, Philosophy, State University of New York, NY, 2015
Duration of Grant/Starting Date	10 months/August 23, 2016

Name	<b>Amanonce, Sinia</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student New Jersey City University, NJ
Czech Affiliation	Církevní gymnásium, Kutná Hora
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., English and Secondary Ed., New Jersey City University, NJ, 2015
Duration of Grant/Starting Date	10 months/August 23, 2016

Name	<b>Barba, Ashley Noele</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Chapman University, CA
Czech Affiliation	Střední pedagogická škola, Boskovice
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Integrated Educational Studies Language/Literacy & Disability, Chapman University, CA, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016



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Name	<b>Cushing, Clara Marie</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Santa Clara University, CA
Czech Affiliation	Vyšší odborná škola a střední zemědělská škola, Benešov
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Classical Studies and English, Santa Clara University, CA, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Engstrom, Kelsey Virginia</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student At-Large
Czech Affiliation	Obchodní akademie, Náchod
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Law, Societies, & Justice, Spanish, University of Washington, 2014
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Garland, Kelley Frances</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Providence College, RI
Czech Affiliation	Gymnázium a Střední odborná škola pedagogická, Nová Paka
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Global Studies Business, French & Sociology, Providence College, RI, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Gollin, Maxwell Walker</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Princeton University, NJ
Czech Affiliation	Gymnázium, Jihlava
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Public Policy, Princeton University, NJ, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Havel, Lianna Marie</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Gymnázium, Broumov
Czech Affiliation	Gymnázium, Broumov
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Political Communication Film, George Washington University, DC, 2014
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>James, Sonam Michelle</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Trinity University, TX
Czech Affiliation	Gymnázium, Zlín
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Political Science, Spanish and Economics, Trinity University, TX, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016



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Name	<b>Kloha, Taylor Ann</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Carthage College, WI
Czech Affiliation	Střední škola obchodní, České Budějovice
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Great Ideas Japanese, Carthage College, WI, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Landau, Rachel Susannah</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student University at Buffalo, The State University of New York, NY
Czech Affiliation	Střední lesnická škola, Hranice
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Environmental Studies, University at Buffalo, The State University of New York, NY, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Lepke, Thomas John</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Arizona State University, AZ
Czech Affiliation	Střední odborná škola strojní a elektrotechnická, Velešín
Project	TESOL
Education	M.Ed., Education, Arizona State University, AZ, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Magner, Jennie Ellen</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Abilene Christian University, TX
Czech Affiliation	Arcibiskupské gymnasium, Kroměříž
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Art, Psychology, Abilene Christian University, TX, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Mengisteab, Raheal</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student San Diego State University, CA
Czech Affiliation	Gymnázium Jiřího Wolkera, Prostějov
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Communications, San Diego State University, CA, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016
Name	<b>Rodawold, Megan</b>
Academic Rank/Professional Status	Student Grand Valley State University, MI
Czech Affiliation	VOŠ zdravotnická a Střední zdravotnická a OA Trutnov
Project	TESOL
Education	B.A., Writing Linguistics, IR, Grand Valley State University, MI, 2016
Duration of Grant/Starting date	10 months/August 23, 2016



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**Name** **Sachs, Hannah Burge**  
**Academic Rank/Professional Status** Student  
Smith College, MA  
**Czech Affiliation** Střední průmyslová škola, Obchodní akademie a Jazyková škola s právem SJZ Frýdek-Místek  
**Project** TESOL  
**Education** B.A., Theatre Directing, Community Engagement, Smith College, MA, 2016  
**Duration of Grant/Starting date** 10 months/August 23, 2016

**Name** **Schwartz, Rebecca Holly**  
**Academic Rank/Professional Status** Student  
Bates College, ME  
**Czech Affiliation** Gymnázium, Aš  
**Project** TESOL  
**Education** B.A., American Cultural Studies, Music, Bates College, ME, 2016  
**Duration of Grant/Starting date** 10 months/August 23, 2016

**Name** **Sims, Jordan**  
**Academic Rank/Professional Status** At-Large  
**Czech Affiliation** Dvořákovo gymnázium a Střední odborná škola ekonomická, Kralupy nad Vltavou  
**Project** TESOL  
**Education** B.A., English Education, Creative Writing, Boise State University, ID, 2011  
**Duration of Grant/Starting date** 10 months/August 23, 2016

**Name** **Vickrey, Teal Soleil**  
**Academic Rank/Professional Status** Student  
Colorado State University, CO  
**Czech Affiliation** Gymnázium a Střední odborná škola ekonomická, Vimperk  
**Project** TESOL  
**Education** B.A., Communication Studies, Colorado State University, CO, 2016  
**Duration of Grant/Starting date** 10 months/August 23, 2016

**Name** **Willson, Ariane Lolita**  
**Academic Rank/Professional Status** Student  
At-Large  
**Czech Affiliation** Střední průmyslová škola keramická a sklářská, Karlovy Vary  
**Project** TESOL  
**Education** B.A., English Literature Economics, Arizona State University, AZ, 2015  
**Duration of Grant/Starting date** 10 months/August 23, 2016