

The Fulbrighter

A U S T R A L I A

2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars honoured

The premier event on the Fulbright calendar, the Fulbright National Awards Dinner, was held at the University of NSW (UNSW) on Thursday 19 May.

Hosted by Professor Mark Wainwright, Vice-Chancellor, and UNSW, the event brought together over 200 government, business and educational representatives, distinguished alumni, family and friends to honour the 2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars, in the spectacular Scientia venue.

The 2005 Fulbright Scholars represent a wide range of fields including law, medicine, science, music, engineering, trade, education and political science. Professor Peter Coaldrake, Chair of the Fulbright Commission Board and Vice-Chancellor of Queensland University of Technology, welcomed guests and scholars.

Guests of Honour who congratulated the Scholars included Dr William Stanton, Chargé d'Affaires at the U.S. Embassy; The Hon Pat Farmer MP, Parliamentary Secretary for Education, Science & Training; and The Hon Greg Hunt MP, Parliamentary Secretary for Environment and Heritage and National President of the Australian Fulbright (Alumni) Association.

Professor Glyn Davis, Vice-Chancellor, University of Melbourne, a former Harkness fellow and first class honours graduate from the UNSW, gave the keynote address. He spoke of 'the millennium generation'. This group have similar aspirations as seen in Senator Fulbright's generation, post World War II. They see themselves as leaders of the future with the belief and vision to change the world.

The evening featured a classical guitar performance from Aleksandr Tsiboulski, the 2005 Fulbright Scholar in Visual & Performing Arts.

Congratulations and best wishes to the 2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars (see page 4-5 for details of the 2005 Australian and U.S. Fulbright Scholars).

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The Hon Pat Farmer MP, Parliamentary Secretary for Education, Science & Training (front left) and Dr William Stanton, Chargé d'Affaires, U.S. Embassy (front right) with the 2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars

ED News



Executive Director, Mark Darby

The Fulbright National Awards Dinner continued to set new standards as a professional and prestigious event, befitting of the Fulbright Awards.

Our thanks to the University of NSW for hosting the dinner in their spectacular Scientia venue and the Provin Group for their excellent food and service.

Professor Glyn Davis' keynote presentation provided an interesting perspective on

generational change in the 'millennium generation', focusing on the similarities and differences with the broader 2005 Fulbright Scholar's generation.

My thanks to the Fulbright staff for their excellent work in facilitating the dinner, orientation program and other activities.

As the 2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars depart to the U.S. we prepare for the promotion of the 2006 Fulbright Awards with applications opening 1 June 2005. It is exciting that recent changes to the guidelines for Australian Postgraduate Award (APA) Scholarship holders now encourage them to undertake international research as part of their Australian Postgraduate studies.

APA Scholars can now put their APA scholarship on hold, while they undertake research towards their Australian program through a Fulbright Award. We look forward to working with Australian universities to make their APA Scholars aware of this opportunity and assist them to build links with U.S. universities through the Fulbright exchange.

The 2005 U.S. Fulbright Scholars (as listed on page 5) arrive in Australia from July onwards. If you would like to meet them and/or

welcome them to Australia or your university, please contact us.

The Australian-American Fulbright Commission is pleased to announce a new U.S. Fulbright Award to Australia. The Fulbright Australian National University Distinguished Chair in American Political Science will host a leading U.S. academic for 4-5 months in Australia.

This position is intended to increase the awareness of the study of American politics and government in Australia and promote comparative and collaborative research in political science between Australia and the U.S. The program will also include a national speaking tour at various Australian universities. We thank ANU for their support in establishing this award.

I look forward to working on this award and other initiatives with the new Chair of the Fulbright Commission Board, Professor Peter Coaldrake, Vice-Chancellor of Queensland University of Technology. Professor Coaldrake has been awarded a Fulbright Scholarship twice (Postdoctoral Fellow 1980 and Senior Scholar 2001) and has a passionate interest in the U.S. and an equal commitment to the Fulbright Program.

In brief

Vikram Khurana

2001 Australian Postgraduate Scholar

Vikram is a graduate of arts and medicine from the University of Sydney and has used his Fulbright Scholarship to undertake a PhD in Neuroscience at Harvard University. Whilst completing his research, Vikram has also been exploring the issue of Australian expatriates in the U.S. and how to create better networking opportunities to facilitate Australia's growth.

Vikram was awarded an American-Australian Association fellowship this year that provided him with the opportunity to address many expat Australian CEOs, including Rupert Murdoch, on his work and the importance of the development of a philanthropic culture in Australia to ensure biomedical research



Vikram Khurana and his fiancé with Muhammad Ali

survives. At the meeting, Vikram had the pleasure of meeting and knocking out the great Muhammad Ali with his aspirations.

Dan Drollette

1996 U.S. Postgraduate Scholar



Mt Stromlo's fire-destroyed 74-inch telescope, 2003

Dan came to Australia in 1996, and later returned to Australia as a science journalist. In the April issue of Natural History Magazine, Dan wrote a feature article on wildfires, drought and climate change in Australia following the devastation of the 2003 Canberra fires. The article highlighted the extremities of climate change with 'high intensity blazes with temperatures exceeding 1,800 degrees [Fahrenheit - hot enough] to melt copper'. The article included photographs of Mt Stromlo's 74-inch telescope which was destroyed by the fire.

Dan now makes his home in Massachusetts. Visit Dan at www.dandrollette.com

Dorothy Howard

1954 U.S. Fulbright Scholar

Eminent U.S. children's folklorist Dr Dorothy Howard came to Australia as a Fulbright Scholar in 1954 to study Australian children's folklore. Her work provides a rare insight into the genre and is now the subject of a book entitled "Child's Play: Dorothy Howard and the Folklore of Australian Children".

The book provides a record of Howard's ten months in Australia when she collected and documented children's games and verbal lore in cities and country towns across the nation. Her meticulous work laid the foundation for research into children's folklore in Australia. Child's Play is available at Museum Victoria Publications on +613 8341 7574 or via email on publications@museum.vic.gov.au



Dorothy Howard, Koala Sanctuary, Brisbane 1954. Pictures from Child's Play

Fulbright Alumni Awards

Through the generous donations of U.S. and Australian Fulbright Alumni, unique extra Fulbright Awards have been established for talented young American and Australian postgraduates.

The Australian Fulbright Association (AFA) created the Fulbright Alumni (WG Walker) Fund and Award in 1990. Through annual donations this fund has now grown to be valued at over \$270,000.

The U.S. Alumni, through Ambassador Thomas Pickering, Senior Vice President International Relations, Boeing, and U.S. Fulbright Alumnus to Australia, launched a similar fund last year.

The Australian and the U.S. Fulbright Alumni Awards are two of the most prestigious awards granted by the Commission and are annually awarded to the highest-ranked Australian and American postgraduate applicants.

We are pleased to announce and introduce the inaugural winner of the Fulbright U.S. Alumni Award, C. Scott Lopez. It is also a pleasure to introduce the 2005 Fulbright Australian Alumni (WG Walker) Scholar, Dr David Ziegler, the son of a former Australian Fulbright Scholar, Dr John Ziegler.



C. Scott Lopez, 2005 Fulbright U.S. Alumni Scholar



Dr David Ziegler, 2005 Fulbright Australian Alumni (WG Walker) Scholar with his father Dr John Ziegler, 1973 Fulbright Scholar, at the Fulbright National Awards Dinner, May 2005

C. Scott Lopez has won the inaugural Fulbright U.S. Alumni Award to Australia.

Scott Lopez is a Doctor of Law graduate of Yale University Law School specialising in Property and Native Title Law, along with Immigration and Asylum Law. Originally a graduate from Harvard University, Scott also has a Masters in Education and MBA from Stanford University.

Through his award Scott will undertake a Master of Laws (LLM) at the University of Sydney where he will research alternative dispute resolution techniques for resolving Australian Aboriginal Native Title claims.

Of Puerto Rican heritage, Scott spent his younger years in downtown Los Angeles, a background that guided him to be an educator and make a difference.

During his studies and career he has worked as a volunteer with youth and refugee groups, including a period with the United Nations in Cambodia and as a Law Clerk with the U.N. Rwandan Criminal Genocide Tribunal in Tanzania.

Using his research, Scott will apply his methods and results beyond Australia to assist the claims of native peoples elsewhere, such as Native Americans and their rights over Reservation Land in the United States.

"Only by isolating criteria for identifying culturally sensitive and locally defined approaches, will Australian Aborigines, Sioux, Navaho and so forth have their Native Title claims addressed and resolved fairly and completely."

Dr David Ziegler has won a Fulbright Alumni (WG Walker) Award to conduct research at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, affiliated to Harvard University Medical School.

David holds a Bachelor's Degree in Medicine and Surgery with First Class Honours from the University of New South Wales. He was awarded a prize for achieving the highest rank in Paediatrics during his undergraduate studies and is now a Fellow in Paediatric Haematology and Oncology at Sydney Children's Hospital, Randwick.

"If 70% of children [with cancer] are now cured of their disease it means that 30% are not. It is my hope that by pursuing research into the causes and potential cures for childhood cancer that one day, in some way, I may be able to make a difference for those children who currently have little hope."

David immensely enjoys working with children and finds nothing more rewarding than the 'sound of a room full of laughing children'.

"Walking into a ward filled with kids with cancer is usually more inspiring than it is depressing. They have an optimism, innocence and playfulness from whom most adults could learn a great deal."

Alumni can make tax deductible contributions to the Australian and U.S. Alumni awards by completing the form on the back page of the newsletter or downloading a form at www.fulbright.com.au

2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars

Postgraduates

Joshua Cantone

Science & Engineering Award
sponsored by BHP Billiton

Civil Engineering, Kellogg Brown & Root Ltd and University of Adelaide. 2 years from July 2005 at University of Illinois to undertake an Engineering Masters specialising in environmental hydraulics and hydrology.

James Cowling

Technology & Communication Award
sponsored by Telstra

Computer Science & Technology, University of Sydney. Up to six years from August 2005 at Massachusetts Institute of Technology undertaking a PhD in Computer Science, specialising in computer networks and communication services.

Leah Curtis

Musical Composition, University of NSW and Australian Film, Television and Radio School. 12 months from June 2006 at the University of Southern California undertaking research in screen music and composition.

Sarah Knuckey

Law, University of Western Australia and Australian National University, former Associate to The Hon Justice Michael Kirby, High Court of Australia. 12 months from August 2005 at Harvard Law School completing a Master of Laws (LLM) focusing on jurisprudence, international and human rights law.

Mitchell Lawrence

Biotechnology, Prostate Cancer Research Program, Queensland University of Technology. 12 months from September 2005 at Harvard Medical School researching the establishment of more effective biomarkers for prostate cancer.

Eliza Matthews

History, University of Queensland. 12 months from September 2005 at George Washington University researching U.S. nuclear relations with India, Pakistan and Israel.

David McCann

Law, University of Melbourne. Associate to Chief Justice Murray Gleeson, High Court of Australia.

12 months from August 2005 at Columbia University undertaking a Master of Laws (LLM) focusing on public law, policy and development studies.

Roland Snooks

Architecture, University of Canberra, Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology (RMIT) and Ashton Raggatt McDougall. 12 months from June 2005 at Columbia University undertaking a Masters of Science in Advanced Architecture Design.

Martin Soh

Engineering Award
sponsored by Clough

Electrical and Electronic Engineering, University of Western Australia. 12 months from September 2005 at University of Minnesota researching mechanical and optical coatings for infrared sensors.

Aleksandr Tsiboulski

Visual & Performing Arts Award
sponsored by Anthony Joseph Pratt

Classical Guitar Performance, Canberra School of Music (ANU) and RMIT. 12 months from September 2005 at Manhattan School of Music studying performance and researching the works of Manuel M Ponce.

Andrew Wroe

Medical Radiation Physics, University of Wollongong. 12 months from September 2005 at Loma Linda University Medical Center researching the impact of proton radiation fields at a cellular and DNA level to improve cancer treatment.

Dr David Ziegler

Alumni WG Walker Award

Medicine, Sydney Children's Hospital and University of New South Wales. 2 years from August 2005 at Harvard Medical School researching the development of new treatments for childhood cancer.

Postdoctoral

Dr Lincoln Turner

Experimental and Theoretical Physics, University of Melbourne. 2 years from September 2005 at the National Institute of Standards and

Technology seeking to measure the Abraham Force and thus developments in precision measurement.

Senior Scholar

Professor Alessandro Frino

Finance, University of Sydney. 4 months from June 2005 at the Commodity and Futures Trading Commission and Georgetown University researching trading systems and the futures market.

Professor Mark Walker

Microbiology, University of Wollongong. 12 months from August 2005 at the University of Tennessee and University of Southern California researching vaccines for Group A Streptococcus.

Professional

Olivia Coldrey

Business / Industry Coral Sea Award

International Trade and Financial Law, Export Finance and Insurance Corporation. 4 months from August 2005 at New York University to research the U.S. government procurement market and its access to Australia through the free trade agreement.

Dr Ruth Pec Shian Lim

Medicine, Radiology, University of Melbourne and The Royal Melbourne Hospital. 4 months from June 2006 at New York University researching the use of MRI to understand heart disease factors in the diabetic population.

Dr Brendon O'Connor

Australian - U.S. Alliance Studies Award
sponsored by DFAT

American Politics, Griffith University. 6 months from January 2006 at Georgetown University & University of Austin, Texas researching American national interests and perceptions of Australia.

Metta Young

Vocational Education & Training Award
sponsored by ANTA

Vocational Education & Training, Centre for Appropriate Technology (CAT), Alice Springs. 4 months from September 2005 at the University of Arizona researching educational pathways and training for Indigenous people.



2005 U.S. Fulbright Scholars

Postgraduates

Patrick Crosby

Electrical Engineering, Duke University. 12 months from January 2006 at The Melbourne Hearing Group, which includes the CRC for Cochlear Implant and Hearing Aid Innovation, researching the improvement of music perception in cochlear implants.

Jeffrey Glick

Economic Development, U.S. Military Academy, West Point. 12 months from March 2006 at the Asia-Pacific School of Government and Economics, Australian National University undertaking a Masters in International and Development Economics.

Per Henningsgaard

Publishing, New York, Longman Publishers. 12 months from June 2005 at the University of Western Australia researching the opportunities and obstacles of a regional publishing house, focusing on Fremantle Arts Centre Press.

John Howell

Music / Voice, Indiana University, doctoral student. 12 months from January 2006 at Sydney Conservatorium of Music studying classical song literature to compile an annotated bibliography and catalogue of Australian art song.

Jessica Jarett

Biology, Southampton College. 12 months from August 2005 at the University of Queensland researching the hypothesis that coral bleaching is an adaptive response to environmental change.

Michael Jones

Musical Performance, Indiana University. 12 months from January 2006 at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music studying bassoon performance and working with Professor Mark Walton's outreach program, providing music education in rural areas.

Elizabeth LaMont

Biology, Washington University in St Louis. 12 months from July 2005 at the University of Newcastle investigating hypotheses regarding the possible causes of Meniere's Disease, an inner ear disorder.

Crystal Liu

Public Health, University of California Berkeley. 9 months from July 2005 at the Infertility Treatment Authority in Victoria researching actions taken in Assisted Reproductive Technologies (ART) and regulatory framework regarding this technology.

C. Scott Lopez

Fulbright U.S. Alumni Award

Law, Harvard, Stanford and Yale universities. 18 months from August 2005 at the University of Sydney undertaking a Masters of Law researching alternative dispute resolution techniques for resolving Native Title claims of Australian Aborigines.

Christopher MacDonald

Physics, Lehigh University, Pennsylvania. 12 months from August 2005 at the University of Sydney researching biocompatibility of implants by coating them with molecular layers of different proteins, with the goal to create new and safer materials for medical implants.

Navin Mahadevan

Biology, Washington University in St Louis. 12 months from July 2005 at Monash Institute of Reproduction and Development at Monash University researching factors related to kidney disease using cell and embryo culture, for prospective use of cell-replacement therapy in treatment.

Katherine Nesbitt

Law, Columbia University. 2 years from July 2005 at the University of New South Wales undertaking a Masters of Law degree researching the comparative analysis of U.S. and Australian legislation relating to the detention of suspected terrorists.

Olutoyin Okanlawon

Public Health, Wake Forest University. 12 months from August 2005 at Curtin University researching how the Australian media reflects the disparity in the rates of sexually transmitted diseases between indigenous and non-indigenous Australians.

Brooke Scelza

Anthropology, University of Washington. 12

months from August 2005 at the University of Western Australia researching the decision-making behaviour of a transnational generation of the aboriginal group, the Mardu.

Surya Singh

Mechanical Engineering, Stanford University doctoral student. 12 months from October 2005 at the University of Western Australia undertaking research in robotics design and manufacturing.

Senior Scholars

Associate Professor Peter Berg

Industrial Relations, Michigan State University. 6 months from January 2006 at the University of Sydney researching the effect of flexible working time practices on Australian workers satisfaction and organisational commitment.

Associate Professor Allen Goldstein

Environmental Science, University of California, Berkeley. 6 months from July 2005 at CSIRO Melbourne, RMIT and University of Melbourne researching the extent of unrecognised biogenic volatile organic compounds (BVOCs) in the atmosphere.

Professor Theodore Cook

History, William Paterson University. 6 months from July 2005 at the University of New South Wales (ADFA) researching the Japanese war with Asia and the West: Australian resources for understanding the history and memory of Japan's Second World War.

Professor Abbe Smith

Law, Georgetown University. 6 months from August 2006 at the University of Melbourne Law School researching criminal defence and lawyers' ethics through the representation of 'unpopular clients'.

Associate Professor Jack Judy

Electrical Engineering & Biomedical Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles. 6 months from January 2006 at the University of New South Wales researching high-density neuroelectronic brain-computer interfaces.



U.S. Senior Specialist Program

Dr Jane Maxwell, U.S. Senior Specialist and Director of the Centre for Excellence in Epidemiology at the University of Texas, Austin spent six weeks at the end of 2004 with the Centre for Accident Research and Road Safety, Queensland University of Technology (QUT).

Her research focused on methamphetamine abuse in Australia and the U.S. and drugs use in the long-haul trucking industry.

"It was a productive program with good research outcomes and some positive long term collaborations."

"I was given insight into the patterns of drug use in Australia, the rationale for harm minimisation and its implementation, research findings through interviews with active users and reasons for their drug use.

This gave me the opportunity to look at the world from the perspective of the southern hemisphere and to better understand the policy implications for Australia, as well as the implications for drug supply and use worldwide."



Dr Jane Maxwell (right) with 2004 U.S. Fulbright Scholars Robert Accordinio and Vanessa Adams, assisting at Autism Queensland's Community Service Day

"Not only will I continue to be closely involved in the QUT research project, but much of my work since returning to the U.S. has focused on driving under the influence and also on the methamphetamine problem."

"I think I learned more than I taught."

"I also enjoyed being part of a 'community service day' at Queensland Autism facilitated by other U.S. Fulbright Scholars. It was a wonderful opportunity to interact with the young U.S. Scholars and to show our appreciation to the local community."

Trading with the ASX and NSW Alumni Chair

Geraldine Chin has been elected as the new Chair of the NSW Fulbright Alumni Chapter. A Fulbright Scholar to Harvard in 2001, Geraldine graduated in Science and Law with first class honours and the university medal from the Australian National University.

Through her Fulbright she completed a Master of Laws (LLM) at Harvard in 2001/2002 and returned to work at Mallesons Stephen Jaques in Sydney in 2002. Geraldine took up a position in the Strategy unit at the Australian Stock Exchange in 2004. Recently Geraldine was promoted to the position of General Manager



Geraldine Chin (centre back) with NSW Governor Marie Bashir (centre front) and the panel of the Women's College Leadership Seminar

People and Development at the ASX.

"As a Fulbright Scholar studying at Harvard Law School, I joined a community of Fulbright alumni and current scholars in the United States which significantly enhanced my overseas experience. The Massachusetts Fulbright alumni were very welcoming and through alumni activities such as Thanksgiving celebrations and day trips to a Shaker village in New England, I was able to see a different side of New England.

Being a Fulbright scholar also enabled me to attend a Fulbright enrichment seminar organised by IIE in Houston, where I met outstanding Fulbright scholars from all around the world, many of whom I have kept in touch with."

"The Australian Fulbright (Alumni) Association enables us to continue our ties with the Fulbright community in Australia."

"As Alumni, we get the opportunity to spend time with the American scholars who are in Australia and the Australian scholars who are departing for the U.S."

In her new position, Geraldine looks forward to the events that our enthusiastic committee have planned for 2005/06, including a flagship function to bring together all the Fulbright alumni across NSW in September or October.

"I would like to thank outgoing NSW Chair, Bruce Marshall for his longstanding contributions to the NSW Alumni Chapter. I am also very pleased that Janet Flint has agreed to stay on as the Secretary of the NSW Chapter and thank her for constant enthusiasm and commitment to Fulbright events."

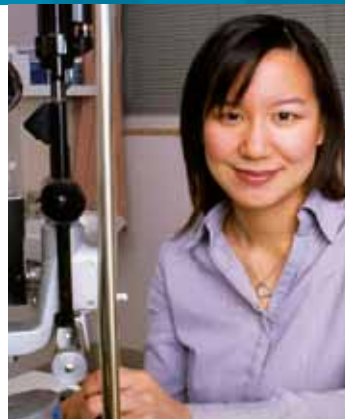
If you are not a member of the NSW Alumni Chapter and would an invitation to upcoming NSW alumni events, contact Geraldine at geraldine.chin@asx.com.au or Janet Flint at janetflint@ozemail.com.au

2006 Fulbright Scholarships

Study, research, lecture in the United States

Closing Date for applications 31 August 2005

For further information and application forms visit www.fulbright.com.au



Applications are now open 2006 Fulbright U.S. Senior Specialist Program

The Senior Specialist Program supports Australian educational institutions to bring U.S. Senior Specialists to Australia for 2-6 weeks.

The award provides an international airfare and \$US200 per day honorarium and encourages collaboration with United States faculty and professionals on curriculum and faculty development, research, and a variety of other activities.

Applications for the 2006 Fulbright U.S. Senior Specialist Program close 14 October 2005.

2006 Fulbright Symposium

Applications are now open for the 2006 Fulbright Symposium.

The Fulbright Commission annually provides a grant of \$A30,000 to support an Australian institution hosting a conference on a topic of bi-national relevance to Australia and the United States.

Further information and application forms are available at

www.fulbright.com.au

Applications close 29 July 2005



Anthony
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Events / Dates

June

1 June

2006 Australian Fulbright Applications open

21-23 June, Melbourne Fulbright Symposium

The 2005 Fulbright Symposium "Peace and Human Rights Education", will be held from 21-23 June in Melbourne and hosted by the Faculty of Law and International Conflict Resolution Centre at the University of Melbourne

July

1-29 July

Fulbright-Hays Seminar Abroad Program

For the first time, Australia is participating in the U.S. Department of Education's Fulbright-Hays Seminar Abroad Program. The seminar "Australia - New Country, Old History", will be conducted with sixteen U.S. educators. They will travel to Sydney, Canberra, Alice Springs, Uluru, Darwin, Kakadu and Cairns.

5 July, Canberra

ACT Fulbright Alumni Chapter will host a dinner for the Fulbright-Hays educators.

12 July, Sydney

NSW Fulbright Alumni Chapter will host a dinner for the Fulbright-Hays educators.

19-23 July, Alice Springs

Metta Young, 2005 Fulbright Scholar, from the Centre for Appropriate Technology in Alice Springs and Yin Paradies, Fulbright Alumnus, from the Centre for the Study of Health and Society, Charles Darwin University, will give presentations to the Fulbright-Hays educators.

Alumni are invited to participate by joining us at specific functions and where possible to act as speakers. Interested parties are invited to contact us at fulbright@fulbright.com.au

29 July

2006 Fulbright Symposium Applications close

August

18-20 August, Canberra

Enrichment Seminar

U.S. 2005 Fulbright Scholars

Featuring a reception at the U.S. Embassy and dinner with the ACT Alumni Chapter

31 August

2006 Australian Fulbright Applications close

September

15 September, Los Angeles

Reception at the Australian Consulate to welcome the 2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars

22 September, New York

Reception at the Australian Consulate to welcome the 2005 Australian Fulbright Scholars

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