

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE OFFICE OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMS

The Office of English Language Programs at the U.S. Department of State partners with U.S.-based English language professionals and academic institutions to strengthen English language learning worldwide.

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PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

TEACH OVERSEAS OR ONLINE

English Language Fellows teach and train teachers during ten-month assignments in academic institutions worldwide. The Virtual Educator Program offers opportunities for cultural exchange through part-time online teaching projects. English Language Specialists conduct short-term in-country and virtual projects involving teacher training, curriculum development, and other high-level education initiatives. See elprograms.org.



PUBLISH

English Teaching Forum, a peer-reviewed quarterly journal, supports English language teaching globally with articles reflecting current trends and practical applications. Copies of Forum are distributed in more than 100 countries to support English language teachers with innovative teaching resources. See americanenglish.state.gov/submission-guidelines.



DEVELOP A COURSE

The Online Professional English Program (OPEN) provides online professional development courses and webinars for foreign English language teachers. Each year, thousands of participants worldwide participate. We partner with U.S. TESOL professionals and U.S. universities to develop and implement engaging content. Find out more at openenglishprograms.org.



HOST AN EXCHANGE

U.S. partner institutions including universities and non-profit organizations host in-person and virtual exchange programs for English language professionals worldwide to enhance the capacity of teachers and administrators through professional development. See solicitations.fhi360.org/solicitation.aspx for current applications.



COLLABORATE & SHARE RESOURCES

The American English website, Facebook pages, YouTube channel, and communities of practice provide opportunities for English language learners and teachers worldwide to collaborate with American English teaching professionals and share resources for use in English language classrooms. Subscribe at americanenglish.state.gov/social-media.



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