



Embassy of the United States of America
Baghdad, Iraq

March 6, 2019

Mr. Aram Mahmood
Fulbright Nominee

Dear Mr. Aram Mhamood,

It is my great honor to send you my congratulations on your selection as a principal nominee for the 2019 Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program. This year we received a record number of applications from across Iraq, and your selection as one of the finalists reflects your impressive academic and professional record.

This Fulbright Program is designed to equip scholars with knowledge and tools necessary to build the capacity of universities in Iraq and to advance the education of future generations of Iraqis. The program lays the foundation for Iraqi scholars and their U.S. hosts to develop long-term institutional relationships and areas of cooperation that can be sustained over time.

Conferral of a Fulbright grant is contingent upon medical clearance, timely submissions of documents for issuance of the DS-2019 form, and successful receipt of a J-1 visa. AMIDEAST and the Cultural Affairs Office at the U.S. Embassy in Baghdad will be in touch with you regarding the final steps of the application process.

Again, warmest congratulations and best wishes for continued success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason Khile", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jason Khile
Cultural Attaché
U.S. Embassy Baghdad