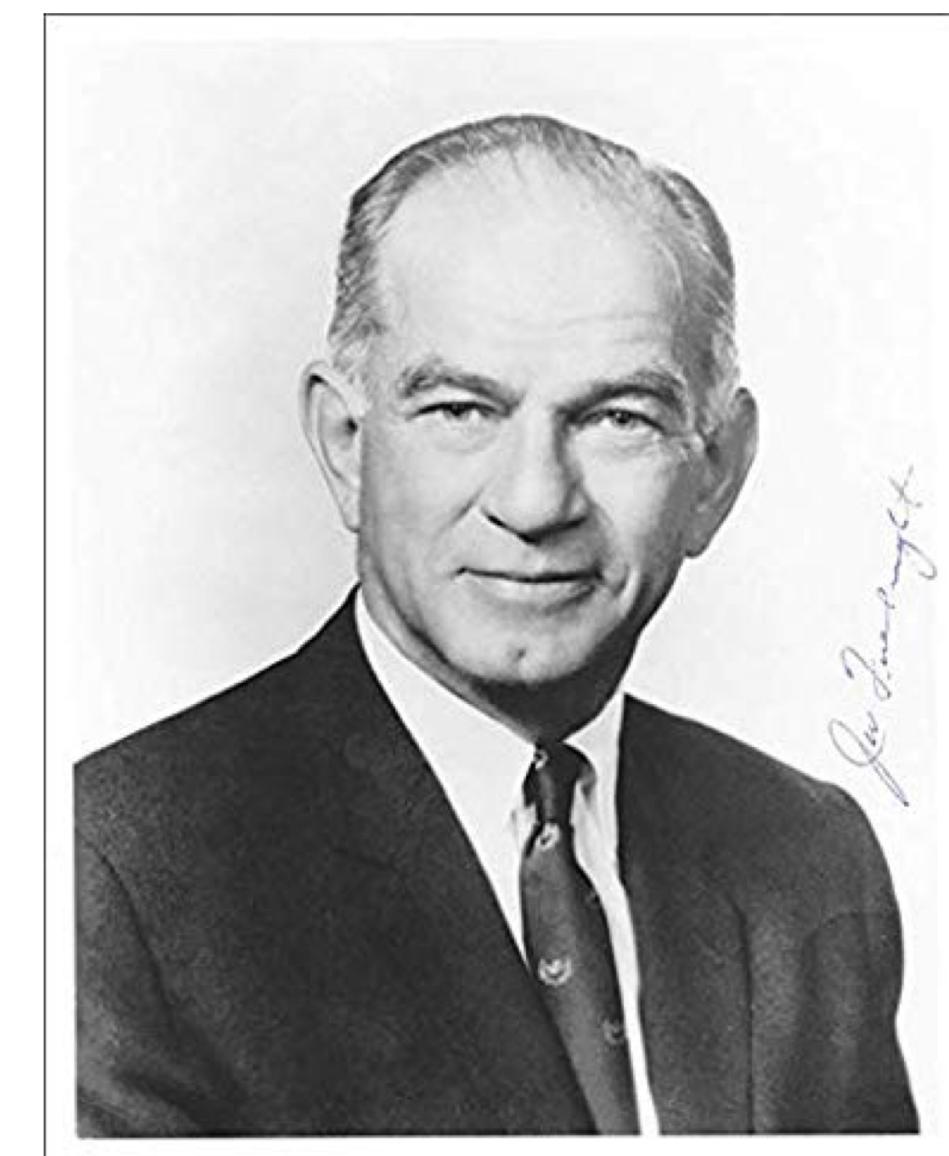




Senator J. William Fulbright served over 30 years in the U.S. Congress and was the longest serving chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. The Fulbright Scholarship Program has existed since 1948 and sponsors U.S. and foreign participants for cross-cultural exchanges in teaching and research.



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Jessica Wall

Major: English Education

Country: Greece

Position: English Teaching Assistant



"This year has been about the accommodation and understanding that stems from simple human connection, regardless of where my students are from, how much English they know, and how difficult their last names are to pronounce with an ungainly American accent. This definition of education transcends the expanse of the Aegean Sea, country borders, and what other trivial lines we pretend to draw in the sand."



Lauren Hail

Major: Liberal Arts in Education

Country: Taiwan

Position: English Teaching Assistant



"I had a pen pal class where students exchanged letters with a school in the U.S. This helped the students see that yes, there are differences between the two countries but there are also many similarities. The students were able to form friendships and engage in cross-cultural exchange."

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Stefanie Bartlett

Major: History + Teaching Credential
Country: Germany
Position: English Teaching Assistant



"I am a credentialed teacher in California and eventually want to teach social studies in a rural area. The Malaysia program specifically stated that they were looking for people who had experience teaching and wanted to be in rural areas."

Micah Lambert

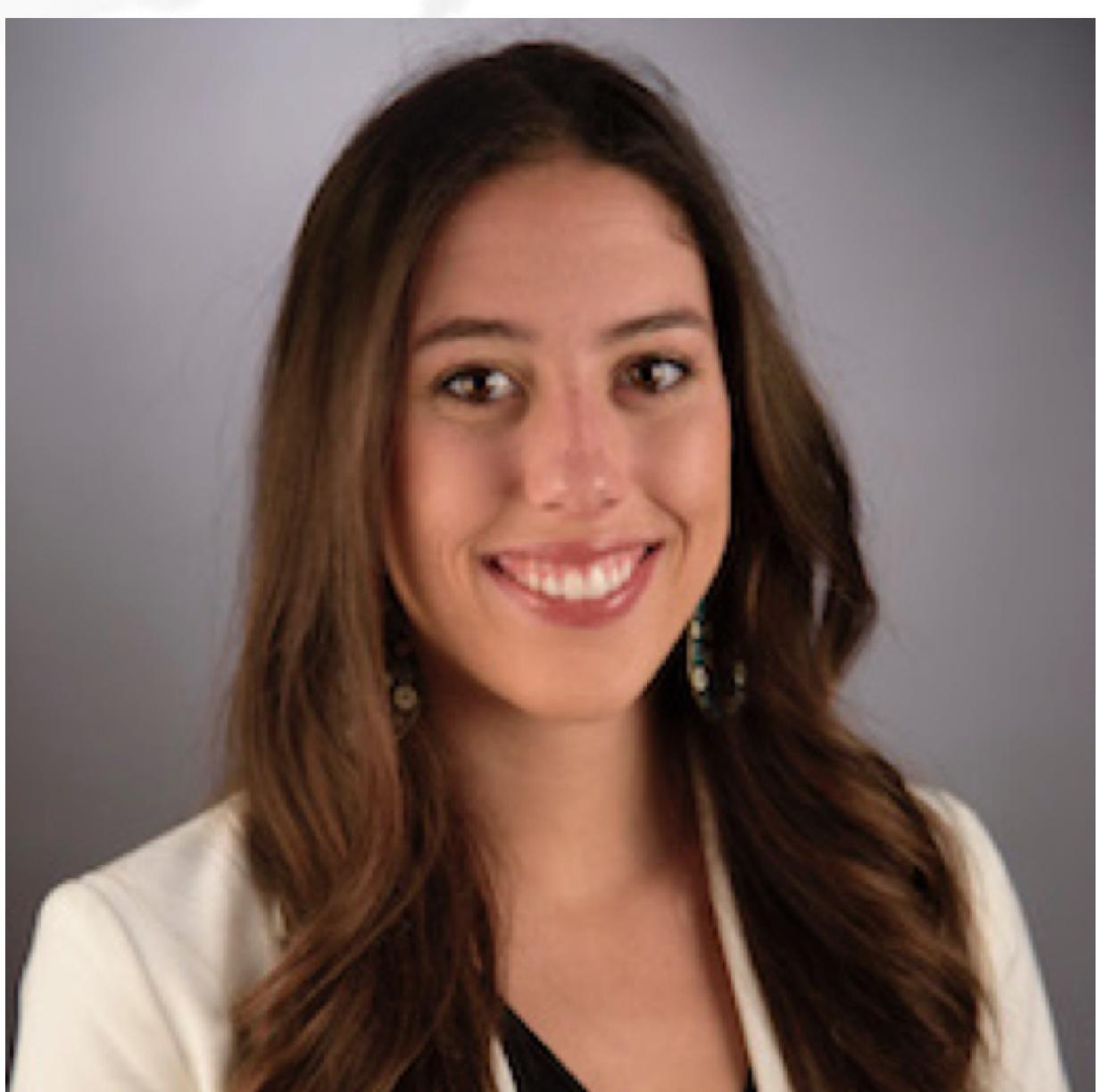
Major: Creative Writing
Country: Germany
Position: English Teaching Assistant



"I hope to learn more about the refugee crisis and how to best help and implement effective efforts when I come home to America. There is so much going on in German society right now with the influx of immigrants and refugees, and I want to be right in the middle of it all."

Julian Naman

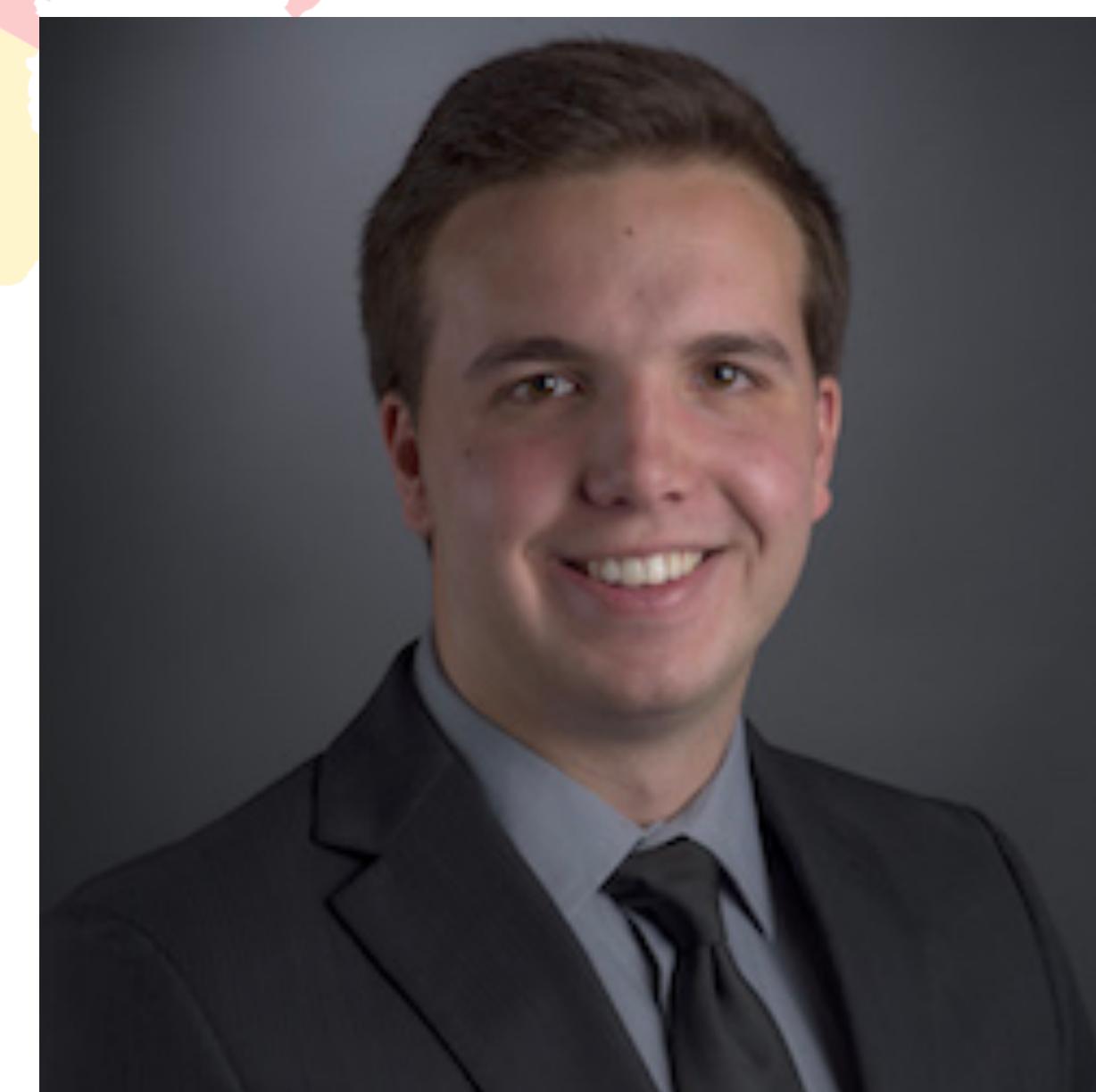
Major: Creative Writing
Country: India
Position: English Teaching Assistant



"I was really inspired by India's initiative to educate children with The Right to Free and Compulsory Education Act in 2009, and see how that law is being implemented in the urban and rural communities."

Kristopher Mazich

Major: German/History
Country: Germany
Position: English Teaching Assistant



"I hope to build new friendships and help contribute to the goal of cultural exchange that the Fulbright program was created for."