

(f) Developing international education programs designed to develop or enhance linkages between 2- and 4-year institutions of higher education, or baccalaureate and post-baccalaureate programs or institutions;

(g) Developing undergraduate educational programs—

(1) In locations abroad where those opportunities are not otherwise available or that serve students for whom those opportunities are not otherwise available; and

(2) That provide courses that are closely related to on-campus foreign language and international curricula;

(h) Integrating new and continuing education abroad opportunities for undergraduate students into curricula of specific degree programs;

(i) Developing model programs to enrich or enhance the effectiveness of educational programs abroad, including pre-departure and post-return programs, and integrating educational programs abroad into the curriculum of the home institution;

(j) Developing programs designed to integrate professional and technical education with foreign languages, area studies, and other international fields;

(k) Establishing linkages overseas with institutions of higher education and organizations that contribute to the educational programs assisted under this part;

(l) Developing partnerships between—

(1) Institutions of higher education; and

(2) The private sector, government, or elementary and secondary education institutions in order to enhance international knowledge and skills; and

(m) Using innovative technology to increase access to international education programs.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1124)

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§ 658.12 For what kinds of projects does the Secretary assist associations and organizations?

The Secretary may award grants under this part to public and private nonprofit agencies and organizations including scholarly associations, that propose projects that will make an especially significant contribution to strengthening and improving under-

graduate instruction in international studies and foreign languages at institutions of higher education.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1124(b))

Subpart C [Reserved]

Subpart D—How Does the Secretary Make a Grant?

§ 658.30 How does the Secretary evaluate an application?

(a)(1) The Secretary evaluates an application from an institution of higher education or a combination of such institutions on the basis of the criteria in §§ 658.31 and 658.32. The Secretary awards up to 85 possible points for these criteria.

(2) Under §§ 658.31 and 658.32 the Secretary evaluates applications for funding on a percentage score based upon the number of points an application receives and the maximum number of points possible.

(b)(1) The Secretary evaluates an application from an agency or organization or professional or scholarly association on the basis of the criteria in §§ 658.31 and 658.33. The Secretary awards up to 75 possible points for these criteria.

(2) Under §§ 658.31 and 658.33 the Secretary evaluates applications for funding on a percentage score based upon the number of points an application receives and the maximum number of points possible.

(c) The maximum possible points for each criterion are indicated in parentheses.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1124)

§ 658.31 What selection criteria does the Secretary use?

The Secretary uses the following criteria in evaluating an application for a project under this part.

(a) *Plan of operation.* (10) (See 34 CFR 655.31(a))

(b) *Quality of key personnel.* (10) (See 34 CFR 655.31(b))

(c) *Budget and cost effectiveness.* (10) (See 34 CFR 655.31(c))

(d) *Evaluation plan.* (5) (See 34 CFR 655.31(d))