Technological Innovation and Cooperation for Foreign Information Access:
This program provides grants to institutions of higher education or public or non-profit private libraries to develop electronic technologies to access, collect, organize and disseminate information from abroad in order to meet the nation's teaching and research needs in the area of international education and foreign languages.
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Fulbright-Hays Act
Under the Fulbright-Hays Act, the International Education Programs Service (IEPS) provides a variety of grants to individuals and institutions of higher education for projects in modern foreign languages and area studies.

Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad:
This program provides grants to colleges and universities to fund individual doctoral students to conduct research in other countries in modern foreign languages and area studies. 
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Faculty Research Abroad:
Using grants provided through institutions of higher education, this program provides opportunities for scholars to maintain and improve their area studies and language skills by conducting research abroad. 
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Group Projects Abroad:
This program provides grants to colleges and universities, State departments of education, and private non-profit educational organizations to fund overseas projects in modern foreign languages and area studies.
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Seminars Abroad/Special Bilateral Programs:
This program provides 4- to 6-week summer seminars abroad for elementary through secondary school teachers (K-12), postsecondary faculty and curriculum specialists in the social sciences and humanities.
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Title VI Higher Education Act
Under Title VI of the Higher Education Act, IEPS supports ten programs within the United States, both for individuals and for institutions of higher education.

American Overseas Research Centers:
This program offers grants to consortia of U.S. institutions of higher education to establish or operate overseas centers to promote postgraduate research, exchanges, and area studies. 
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Business and International Education:
This program provides matching grants to colleges and universities to internationalize the business curriculum and to promote links between academic institutions and the American business community. 
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Centers for International Business Education:
This program provides funding to U.S. schools of business for curriculum development, research and training on issues of importance to U.S. trade and competitiveness.
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Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowships:
This program provides academic year and summer fellowship awards to colleges and universities to assist graduate students in foreign language and either international studies or area studies. 
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Institute for International Public Policy:
This program provides a single grant to assist a consortium of colleges and universities to establish an institute designed to increase the representation of minorities in international service. 
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International Research and Studies:
This program supports surveys, studies and instructional materials development for foreign language, area, and related international studies. 
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Language Resource Centers:
This program awards grants to centers at institutions of higher education to help improve the nation's capacity to teach and learn foreign languages through teacher training, research, materials development and dissemination projects. 
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National Resource Centers:
This program provides grants to colleges and universities to strengthen and maintain U.S. capacity in foreign languages, area, and international studies expertise. 
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Undergraduate International Studies and Foreign Language:
This program awards grants to institutions of higher education as well as public and private non-profit agencies to plan, develop and carry out programs to strengthen undergraduate instruction in international studies and foreign languages. 
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