Post Summary:
Universitas Sanata Dharma (USD) is well-known for its rigorous academics and its strong English language and literature programs. As a VIA fellow in the English department, you will assist in teaching English courses, editing English-language materials, and organizing extracurricular clubs and events.

The university’s English instructors are a friendly and tightly-knit community, and you will find yourself quickly integrated within the campus culture. Sanata Dharma is located in Yogyakarta, a vibrant, diverse, and culturally-renowned city in the heart of Java.

Partner:
USD is a private Jesuit Catholic university with 10,000 students, dedicated to the pursuit of humanitarian goals and academic excellence. The VIA fellow works with the university’s Language Center and English Extension Course departments, both standalone certification programs that are open to the greater Yogyakarta community.

Location and Logistics:
Once the capital city of Indonesia, Yogyakarta remains a vibrant and cosmopolitan microcosm of the Indonesian state. “Jogja,” as the city is affectionately nicknamed, is known as a national hub for arts, education, and tourism. Students from across the archipelago come to Jogja to study at its many universities, and tourists come to see wayang shadow-puppet performances, explore the nearby Merapi volcano, and visit the ancient temples of Borobudur and Prambanan, both UNESCO World Heritage Sites.
Housing:
USD is located in the heart of the city’s university district, with ample student housing nearby. Dormitories, apartments, and shared houses are all available. Local VIA staff can assist the fellow to find suitable housing.

Desired Qualifications:
Experience teaching English, ability to work independently and in a team, flexibility and patience in unfamiliar environments.