

# IRS / CO FORM 8233

TEACHER / RESEARCHER

FOR: **Belgium**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

1. I am a resident of Belgium. I am not a United States citizen. I have not been lawfully accorded the privilege of residing permanently in the United States as an immigrant.
2. I have accepted an invitation from Stanford University, a recognized educational institution, to come to the United States for the purpose of teaching or engaging in research.
3. My compensation during the current taxable year (or part thereof) qualifies for exemption from withholding of federal tax under the tax treaty between the United States and Belgium, **article20**. I have not previously claimed an income tax exemption under this treaty for income received as a teacher, researcher or student before the date of my arrival in the United States.
4. Any research I perform will be undertaken in the public interest and not primarily for the private benefit of a specific person or persons.
5. I arrived in the United States on \_\_\_\_\_. The treaty exemption is available only for compensation paid during a period of *two years* beginning on that date.

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signature

- Attach to completed and signed IRS Form 8233
- Send to [Payroll & Records](#)