**UBC Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Graduate Student Financial Support**

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| **2021-2022 *Per Annum* Minimum Financial Support for Masters Students1** | | | | | | |
|  | Domestic student with  no TAship | International  student with  no TAship | Domestic student with  0.25 TAship2 | International  student with  0.25 TAship2 | Domestic student with  0.5 TAship2 | International  student with  0.5 TAship2 |
| Minimum stipend provided by host lab | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 |
| TAship | $0 | $0 | $3,123 | $3,123 | $6,245 | $6,245 |
| Financial support before tuition3 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $28,123 | $28,123 | $31,245 | $31,245 |
| Tuition | -$5,096 | -$8,952 | -$5,096 | -$8,952 | -$5,096 | -$8,952 |
| Fees4 | -$1,234 | -$2,134 | -$1,234 | -$2,134 | -$1,156 | -$2,134 |
| UBC International Tuition Award | $0 | $3,200 | $0 | $3,200 | $0 | $3,200 |
| Financial support after tuition | $18,670 | $17,114 | $21,793 | $20,237 | $24,993 | $23,359 |

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| **2021-2022 *Per Annum* Minimum Financial Support for Doctoral Students1** | | | | | | |
|  | Domestic student with  no TAship | International  student with  no TAship | Domestic student with  0.25 TAship2 | International  student with  0.25 TAship2 | Domestic student with  0.5 TAship2 | International  student with  0.5 TAship2 |
| Minimum stipend provided by host lab | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $25,000 |
| TAship | $0 | $0 | $3,123 | $3,123 | $6,245 | $6,245 |
| Financial support before tuition3 | $25,000 | $25,000 | $28,123 | $28,123 | $31,245 | $31,245 |
| Tuition | -$5,096 | -$8,952 | -$5,096 | -$8,952 | -$5,096 | -$8,952 |
| Fees4 | -$1,234 | -$2,134 | -$1,234 | -$2,134 | -$1,156 | -$2,134 |
| BMB Graduate Tuition Award5 | $5,096 | $5,752 | $5,096 | $5,752 | $5,096 | $5,752 |
| PAEIPA6 | $825 | $900 | $825 | $900 | $825 | $900 |
| UBC International Tuition Award | $0 | $3,200 | $0 | $3,200 | $0 | $3,200 |
| Financial support after tuition | $24,591 | $23,766 | $27,714 | $26,889 | $30,914 | $30,011 |

1MSc students are guaranteed funding for a minimum of two years and PhD students are guaranteed for a minimum of five years (including the 1.5 years as a MSc student prior to transferring to the PhD program), provided they remain “in good standing”.

2A 0.25 TAship is 96 hours in total and a 0.5 TAship is 192 hours in total. A 0.5 TAship can be spread over two terms (i.e. 96 hours per term).

3Students awarded major (i.e. greater than $15,000 per year), merit-based (for example: NSERC/CIHR CGS M, NSERC PGS D, or UBC Four-Year Fellowships) awards will receive a minimum of $28,000 per year financial support before tuition and excluding TAships.

4Fees include student fees, the cost of the “U-Pass” transit pass, the AMS/GSS Extended Health Plan, and the Health-Care Coverage Fee for international students. Most of these fees are mandatory, but some have opt-out provisions.

5For the first four years of a PhD, students will receive a BMB Graduate Tuition Award provided that:

1. The student shows satisfactory progress as documented by an annual committee meeting report.
2. Departmental funds are available. In the rare event that there is a shortfall of departmental funds, a fraction of the BMB Graduate Tuition Award will be awarded. ***Note that this has never happened.***
3. The student has NOT received a UBC Four-Year Fellowship, an NSERC Postgraduate Scholarship (PGS D) or a CIHR Doctoral Research Award and thus have their tuition covered by UBC.
4. The student has NOT received an Alexander Graham Bell Canada Graduate Scholarship (CGS D) or a Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarship.

6Presidents Academic Excellence Initiative PhD Award is available to all new and continuing PhD students except those who have their tuition paid by an external sponsor.