

## 2021-2022 Graduate Student Stipends in Pathology

| MSc Program - Domestic Student                                    |                                |                       |                  |                   |                           |               |
|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
|   | External/Internal Scholarships | TA position (140 hrs) | WGRS Scholarship | PI Responsibility | Monthly PI Responsibility | Total Funding |
| No External Scholarship   | \$0.00                         | \$0.00                | \$3,000.00       | \$16,500.00       | \$1,375.00                | \$19,500.00   |
| No External Scholarship; with TA position (140hrs)                | \$0.00                         | \$6,610.00            | \$3,000.00       | \$10,390.00       | \$865.83                  | \$20,000.00   |
| Luney Graduate Scholarship  | \$5,000.00                     | \$0.00                | \$3,000.00       | \$13,500.00       | \$1,125.00                | \$21,500.00   |
| Luney Graduate Scholarship; with TA position (140hrs)             | \$5,000.00                     | \$6,610.00            | \$3,000.00       | \$7,390.00        | \$615.83                  | \$22,000.00   |
| *OGS/QEII Scholarship   | \$15,000.00                    | \$0.00                | \$3,000.00       | \$6,321.00        | \$526.75                  | \$24,321.00   |
| *OGS/QEII Scholarship; with TA position(140hrs)                   | \$15,000.00                    | \$6,610.00            | \$3,000.00       | \$0.00            | \$0.00                    | \$24,610.00   |
| CGS - M (NSERC, CIHR)   | \$17,500.00                    | \$0.00                | \$3,000.00       | \$4,500.00        | \$375.00                  | \$25,000.00   |
| PhD Program – Domestic Students                                   |                                |                       |                  |                   |                           |               |
|   | External/Internal Scholarships | TA position (140 hrs) | WGRS Scholarship | PI Responsibility | Monthly PI Responsibility | Total Funding |
| No External Scholarship   | \$0.00                         | \$6,610.00            | \$7,000.00       | \$17,000.00       | \$1,416.67                | \$30,610.00   |
| No External Scholarship; Supervisor Declined TA position (140hrs) | \$0.00                         | \$0.00                | \$7,000.00       | \$23,321.00       | \$1,943.42                | \$30,321.00   |
| No External Scholarship; Student Declined TA position             | \$0.00                         | \$0.00                | \$7,000.00       | \$17,000.00       | \$1,416.67                | \$24,000.00   |
| Luney Graduate Scholarship  | \$5,000.00                     | \$6,610.00            | \$7,000.00       | \$13,400.00       | \$1,116.67                | \$32,010.00   |
| Luney Graduate Scholarship; Supervisor Declined TA                | \$5,000.00                     | \$0.00                | \$7,000.00       | \$20,000.00       | \$1,666.67                | \$32,000.00   |
| Student with Luney Graduate Scholarship (Student Declined TA)     | \$5,000.00                     | \$0.00                | \$7,000.00       | \$13,400.00       | \$1,116.67                | \$25,400.00   |
| *OGS/QEII Scholarship   | \$15,000.00                    | \$0.00                | \$7,000.00       | \$10,500.00       | \$875.00                  | \$32,500.00   |
| NSERC PGDS  | \$21,000.00                    | \$0.00                | \$7,000.00       | \$6,000.00        | \$500.00                  | \$34,000.00   |
| NSERC CGSD  | \$35,000.00                    | \$0.00                | \$3,500.00       | \$0.00            | \$0.00                    | \$38,500.00   |
| CIHR Doctoral - (DFS/CGSD)  | \$35,000.00                    | \$0.00                | \$3,500.00       | \$0.00            | \$0.00                    | \$38,500.00   |
| Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarship                                | \$50,000.00                    | \$0.00                | \$0.00           | \$0.00            | \$0.00                    | \$50,000.00   |
| Trudeau Foundation Scholarship                                    | \$60,000.00                    | \$0.00                | \$0.00           | \$0.00            | \$0.00                    | \$60,000.00   |
| International Students  |                                |                       |                  |                   |                           |               |
|   | External/Internal Scholarships | TA position           | WGRS Scholarship | PI Responsibility | Monthly PI Responsibility | Total Funding |
| MSc International Student   | \$0.00                         | \$0.00                | \$10,800.00      | \$21,500.00       | \$1,791.67                | \$32,300.00   |
| MSc International Student with TAship                             | \$0.00                         | \$6,610.00            | \$10,800.00      | \$15,179.00       | \$1,264.92                | \$32,589.00   |
| PhD International Student   | \$0.00                         | \$6,610.00            | \$4,500.00       | \$19,500.00       | \$1,625.00                | \$30,610.00   |

### NOTES

**Minimum stipend support:** Minimum stipend support for MSc students in Pathology is \$19,500 (Domestic) or \$32,300 (International); minimum stipend for PhD students is \$30,610 (domestic/international). Student's academic average, receiving scholarships/awards, and declining TA positions may change this level of support. Supervisors may increase the level of support.

**Western Graduate Research Scholarship (WGRS) eligibility:** First 6 terms of an MSc; 12 terms of a PhD; 15 terms of a PhD if the student transfers from MSc to PhD. An academic average of 70% must be maintained to receive WGRS.

**TA positions for MSc students:** MSc students are not guaranteed a TA position. Students may apply for a TA position in Schulich Medicine & Dentistry or other Faculty. If an MSc student secures a TA position, up to 0.5 GTA (approx. \$6,610) it will be incorporated into the stipend (reduces supervisor's responsibility), not added on top. GTA over 0.5 will be split 50:50 (50% applied towards stipend top-up and 50% towards reducing supervisor's responsibility).

**TA positions for PhD students:** All PhD students are guaranteed a 0.5 TA position, unless they hold a scholarship. Students with a scholarship may secure a TA position through Schulich Medicine & Dentistry or other Faculty. Up to 0.5 GTA (approx. \$6,610) it will be incorporated into the stipend (reduces supervisors' responsibility). GTA over 0.5 will be split 50:50 (50% applied towards stipend top-up and 50% towards reducing supervisor's responsibility).

**Declining TA position:** Supervisors can decline a TA position for their PhD student (opt-out form should be filled and submitted). In this case, supervisors will supplement the student's support by the value of 0.5 GTA (approx. \$6,610). Students can also opt-out of a TA position. If the student opts-out, their total financial support will decrease by the value of 0.5 GTA (approx. \$6,610).

**Domestic and International Students:** WGRS does not cover the entire amount of the tuition costs; The supervisor(s) may provide additional funds to make up the difference between WGRS amount and the cost of tuition

*While every effort has been made to ensure the above funding model is accurate and complete. The University of Western Ontario reserves the right to make changes as required.*

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