

**External Fellowships in Combination with --  
Assistantships in Instruction (AI)**

Teaching stipends are to be paid to holders of non-Princeton fellowships at regular University rates. Students must **ALWAYS** be paid for their services. Most external fellowships (NSF, Hertz, NDSEG, etc.) allow for some modest teaching appointments, especially if it meets the departmental requirement for graduation. In these cases, the student receives the full stipend from the external sponsor, and also the full AI stipend according to the number of hours worked. The corresponding portion of the AI tuition component is charged to the AI account, and the fellowship tuition matching account (971-1000) is reduced by that amount. In no case is a student permitted an AI appointment without receiving the corresponding AI stipend. (Note: NIH Traineeships are the exception to this policy.)

**Please note that some DOE/Krell-sponsored fellowships do not allow any teaching whatsoever.** Please check with Dean Mawhinney's office if in doubt.

Dean Mawhinney's office will not authorize more than a half-time teaching appointment per academic year (6 hours/year) when a student holds an external fellowship.

**External Fellowships in Combination with --  
Assistantships in Research (AR)**

Full, non-University Fellowships are intended by the sponsor to allow students to fully concentrate on their studies so that they don't have to work to support themselves. They are therefore not compatible with full AR appointments.