

PhD Multi-Year Mentoring Commitment for Ph.D. Admits and MS to Ph.D. Petitions

CEE financially supports all PhD students through a combination of fellowships, research grants, or graduate student instructor positions. This financial support plan consists of an annual stipend for 12 months, full tuition and fees for Fall and Spring semesters, and health/dental insurance coverage.

This form indicates funding sources for the **first year** of the PhD program. This level of support will be provided for up to 5 years, or until completion of the PhD, whichever comes first, and is contingent upon successful academic and research progress. The source of the funding listed in the following years may change and is provided for planning purposes.

Both the student and the advisor sign below to acknowledge this plan and commit to discussing funding sources, student/advisor roles in grant writing and fellowship application procedures, and the fit between research interests and funding sources **on at least an annual basis. The student and advisor agree to work together on both research and the associated funding plan.**

This form requires a signature from **both** the advisor and the PhD student, to ensure that they are on the same page about the funding plan and agree to check in regularly to discuss. Faculty and students are encouraged to contact the Vice Chair for Graduate Studies with any questions or concerns.

Support for: _____

Year	Funding Source and Chartstring or Fellowship	Responsible Faculty
2021-22		
2022-23 (required only if GSI funding used in year 1)		

Comments:

Signature of Faculty Sponsor

Date

Signature of PhD Student

Date

1. Identify funding from the following sources:

1. Fellowship - specify source, e.g. Berkeley fellowship, block grant, NSF, Foreign government, etc., or if using group funds - specify which fund, e.g. Popert, Rothschild, etc.
2. GSI – only one year is allowed. If GSI is used in the first year, then the 2nd year must be listed, using a different funding source.
3. GSR – please specify the grant, e.g., NSF, Caltrans, DOE, etc. and provide chartstring