

Appendix 1 to the Fellowship Guidelines of the Federal Foreign Office of 01 August 2020

All amounts are to be understood as **maximum amounts**, whereby the amounts stipulated in categories I-II may be subject to a maximum lower deviation of ten per cent.

1. The following *fellowship categories* are formed and monthly fellowship payments stipulated in accordance with Article 2, Para. 1 of the Guidelines:

	Fellowship category	Amount (in EUR)
Category I	Students: Persons who have been admitted to enrolling or have enrolled at a state or state-recognised institution of higher education and who have not obtained a recognised academic degree or graduates with at least a first academic degree (bachelor, FH diploma or equivalent foreign academic degree)	861,-
Category II	Doctoral candidates	1.200,-
Category III	Postdoctoral researchers	2.500,-
Category IV	Experienced academics with independent research profile (commensurate with a holder of a German habilitation degree)	3.000,-
Category V	Professors or academics in a comparable position (commensurate with a university professor in Germany)	3.600,-

2. The monthly *family allowance* in accordance with Article 2, Para. 4 of the Guidelines amounts to

for accompanying spouses	276,-
for children accompanying the fellowship holder, the amount of the family allowance shall be determined in line with the child benefit payments in accordance with the Federal Child Benefit Act (Bundeskindergeldgesetz, BKGG)	

A precondition of the payment of the family allowance for accompanying children is the submission of a notice of rejection in the wake of an application for state child benefit, or that the legal status is such that a claim to child benefit applies under no circumstances. In the latter case, the fellowship organisation shall be obliged to document the decision regarding the payment of a family allowance for accompanying children in a comprehensible manner.

3. The *ancillary benefits* for fellowship holders in accordance with Article 3 of the Guidelines shall be determined as follows:

Type of Benefit	Amount (in EUR)
a) Mobility allowance (Article 3, Para. 2, lit. c), Article 1, Para. 2), paid monthly - for trips within Germany and abroad	100,-
- allowance for research stays abroad for a maximum period of six months (with accompanying spouses)	550,- (700,-)
b) flat-rate grant (Article 3, Para. 2, lit. e) - for fellowship holders from countries on the current version of the DAC list <ul style="list-style-type: none">• in the 1st year	460,-

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in the 2nd year 	460,-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in the 3rd year 	460,-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in possible further years 	230,- each
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - for fellowship holders from all other countries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in the 1st year 	260,-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in the 2nd year 	260,-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in the 3rd year 	260,-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in possible further years <p>Additional subsidies by individual request may not be granted for the abovementioned purposes</p>	130,- each
c) one-off initial grant (Article 3, Para. 2, lit. f) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - for hotel or guest house accommodation during apartment hunting at the university location per day 	30,-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - for ancillary costs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for students • for academics <p>In the event that the one-off initial grant is awarded, the flat-rate grant in accordance with Article 3 b) shall be excluded.</p>	100,- 430,-
d) one-off book grant (Article 3, Para. 2, lit. g)	50,-
e) printing cost subsidies in the case of doctorates (Article 3, Para. 2, lit. k)	2.050,-

f) flat-rate monthly child allowance (Article 3, Para. 2, lit. m)	
- for one child, up to	400,-
- for each additional child	100,-
g) alternative use of the fellowship extension funds for the financing of verified childcare costs (Article 3, Para. 2, lit. n) to a maximum amount of twelve times the respective monthly fellowship payment for fellowship categories I-II according to Section 1 of this Appendix	

4. The monthly equipment/support costs subsidy in accordance with Article 3, Para. 2, lit. h shall amount to:

for holders of fellowships in the categories II to V in the natural or engineering sciences	800,-
for holders of fellowships in the categories II to V in all other academic disciplines	500,-