

# Funding Sources for Graduate Students

Funding for graduate students in the Intercampus Program in Communicative Disorders (IPCD) falls into the following categories:

**Graduate School Fellowships** (limited nominations by the program for each fellowship). To be considered for nomination for these highly competitive fellowships, submit your complete graduate application to the admissions secretary no later than January 15th if you wish to enter in the fall. Awards are determined on the basis of merit competition.

**IPCD Program Projects and Traineeships.** The number of projects and traineeships may vary from year to year. A project-specific application, additional coursework, or previous training may be required for eligibility. Some examples are listed below:

- **Veterans Administration Hospital Traineeship** (Kansas City, MO and Topeka, KS). See [www.va.gov/oaa/fellowships/](http://www.va.gov/oaa/fellowships/).
- **Center for Child Health Development Traineeships**, KU Medical Center Campus (usually reserved for second-year graduate students).
- **Communication and Technology Project**, Lawrence campus, application distributed.

**Graduate Teaching Assistantship and Graduate Research Assistantship** in the Departments of Speech-Language-Hearing (Lawrence) or Hearing and Speech (KU Medical Center, Kansas City). The number and type of these positions vary from year to year. See faculty pages at [www.ku.edu/~splh/ipcd/Faculty/](http://www.ku.edu/~splh/ipcd/Faculty/) to contact individual faculty members and inquire about the availability of assistantships.

## Other Awards and Scholarship Information.

- **SERTOMA.** Several local organizations provide scholarship assistance (\$500-\$1000) on a regular basis. Applications are distributed when these scholarships are available.
- **National awards through SERTOMA, ASHA, ASAHP, AMBUCS.** Check their web sites.
- **University of Kansas Medical Center Student Scholarships.** See [http://www.alliedhealth.kumc.edu/school/students/scholarships\\_.html](http://www.alliedhealth.kumc.edu/school/students/scholarships_.html)
- **University of Kansas Funding Information.**  
See [http://www.graduate.ku.edu/03-07\\_student\\_funding.shtml](http://www.graduate.ku.edu/03-07_student_funding.shtml)

**Job Postings.** The University of Kansas and the University of Kansas Medical Center offer student positions which could include tuition reduction. For the most current listings in all departments, see: [jobs.ku.edu](http://jobs.ku.edu) and [jobs.kumc.edu](http://jobs.kumc.edu). Click "Search Postings." Positions through the Lawrence campus can most often be located under Institute for Life Span Studies.

**Guaranteed Students Loans.** For an eligibility packet, see contact information below:

Applicants for Ph.D. programs in Audiology or Speech-Language Pathology or the M.A. program in Speech-Language Pathology, contact:

Office of Student Financial Aid  
The University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas 66045  
(785) 864-4700  
<http://www.financialaid.ku.edu/>

Applicants for the Au.D. program in Audiology, contact:

The Student Financial Aid Office  
University of Kansas Medical Center  
Kansas City, Kansas 66160  
(913) 588-5170  
<http://www.kumc.edu/studentcenter/financialaid.html>