**Michigan Nursing**

**International Visiting Scholars Program**

**Program Fees:**

The program fees include mentorship, administrative costs, access to UM resources (such as Information Technology, facilities, library resources etc.). The visiting scholar program fees at Michigan Nursing are based on the duration of time spent by the scholar, as well as the home country (where the scholar works and resides) income classification as determined by the [World Bank Income Classification Groups](https://datatopics.worldbank.org/world-development-indicators/the-world-by-income-and-region.html).

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| **Duration** | **High Income Economy** | **Upper Middle-Income Economy**  | **Low and Lower Middle-Income Economy** |
| **4 weeks** | $2,500 | $1,750 | $950 |
| **5-8 weeks** | $5,000 | $3,500 | No program fees |
| **9-15 weeks** | $7,500 | $5,250 | No program fees |
| **1 year**  | $12,500 | $8,750 | No program fees |
| *Extension*\* (up to one semester) | $5,000 | $3,500 | $950\*\* |

*\*If the visiting scholar needs to extend their stay for an additional semester, and their mentor faculty agrees. Please review the* [*UM Visiting Scholar Guidelines*](https://hr.umich.edu/working-u-m/my-employment/academic-human-resources/visiting-scholars-visiting-graduate-students) *for minimum and maximum duration of stay.*

*\*\* Administrative fees*

**Cost of living in Ann Arbor:**

Cost of living in Ann Arbor (housing, utilities, meals, transportation, healthcare etc.) is estimated around $2,700 for a single scholar. The cost will go up with dependents. This estimate can differ from visitor to visitor, based on living arrangement preferences, and is not a fee to be collected. However, when applying for visa, the UM International Center will require a similar amount per month to be in your bank account for the duration of time you are visiting and/or if you have income or scholarship to show as proof.

**Office Space:** Office space is extremely limited.Use of an office or access to support services is

at the discretion of the sponsoring unit.

**University of Michigan semesters are arranged in the following ways:**

**Fall Semester** = September – December(15 weeks)

**Winter Semester** = January – April (15 weeks)

**Spring/Summer Semester\*\*** = May – August(15 weeks)

\*\*Spring/Summer are combined into one semester.

**Payment:**

You will need to pay fees **before** you arrive in the U.S. by check or wire transfer. If by check, please make it payable to: **The Regents of the University of Michigan**

**Refunds:**

If the scholar is no longer able to attend the program after the DS-2019 has been processed, 2/3 of their program fee will be returned.