

## Fellowship Guidelines

Once admitted, each TIGP student will receive a monthly stipend of NT\$34,000 (approximately USD:1050) for the first year. After the 1<sup>st</sup> year, all MCB students will be evaluated for the fellowship level received according to the requirements below.

	Conditions	Fellowship
In the second year	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Fail to pass two of the three required course (MCB and two seminars) in the first year</li> <li>2. Fail to have a thesis advisor by August 31<sup>st</sup>. (If the student has rotated through 3 labs and can't find a lab, the student is exempted.)</li> </ol>	Students who fails to meet either one of the requirements, the committee shall reduce the student's fellowship level to NT\$31,000 for 6 months from September to February.
From the second year and thereafter	Fail to finish the annual progress report before the end of each Fall semester. (The date should be reported to Office of MCB program by December 31 <sup>st</sup> and the report should be done no later than January 31 <sup>st</sup> .)	The curriculum committee shall implement a cumulative 10% monthly deduction (i.e. 20% for 2 months...etc.) in fellowship until the report is done.
In the third year	Fail to pass the qualifying examination at the end of 2 <sup>nd</sup> year.	The thesis advisor has the right to reduce the student's fellowship to NT\$31,000 until the students pass the qualifying exam.
From the third year and thereafter	After each progress report, the thesis committee concludes that the student has not made reasonable progress in the past year.	The thesis committee can recommend a reduction in the student's fellowship level.
Starting from the fourth year to graduation	The thesis advisor is responsible for the MCB student fellowship and the amount of money received may vary depending on the advisor's source of funding and academic performance.	