

## POGO-SCOR FELLOWSHIPS 2015 GUIDELINES FOR STIPEND CALCULATION

Country	Living allow./month (EUR)	Accomm. allow./month (EUR)		Total stipend/per month (EUR)	
		Standard	Max	Standard	Max
Australia	570	650	870	1220	1440
Austria	440	350	475	790	915
Belgium	500	450	600	950	1100
Brazil	310	200	275	510	585
Canada	460	500	600	960	1060
Denmark	575	350	525	925	1100
Finland	510	400	550	910	1060
France	505	400	550	905	1055
Germany	430	300	425	730	855
Greece	395	200	225	595	620
Iceland	580	450	650	1030	1230
Ireland	530	500	675	1030	1205
Italy	470	350	450	820	920
Japan	450	300	400	750	850
Netherlands	490	450	625	940	1115
New Zealand	520	500	650	1020	1170
Norway	715	750	900	1465	1615
South Africa	260	225	275	485	535
Spain	375	300	400	675	775
Sweden	485	550	700	1035	1185
Switzerland	730	700	975	1430	1705
United Kingdom	510	525	730	1035	1240
USA	420	600	775	1020	1195

### **Important notes:**

1. The stipend stipulated in the successful applicant's award letter will automatically be the "standard" amount shown in the above table. The accommodation estimate quoted by the prospective host supervisor at the time of application is for preliminary information only.
2. If an increase to the stipend is required due to more costly accommodation, the fellow can apply for an increase (within the maximum stipulated in the table). To do this, the fellow will need to provide written evidence of the actual cost of accommodation to the POGO Secretariat at least 3 weeks in advance of the fellowship start date.
3. If no request is received, and/or the fellow fails to provide the written evidence of accommodation cost prior to the fellowship start date, the stipend amount paid will automatically be the "standard" amount shown in the above table.
4. The fellow is required to provide all original accommodation receipts at the end of the fellowship.
5. If the cost of living for the city where the fellowship will take place has a cost of living index significantly different from the country average shown in the table, the stipend offered may be adjusted according to the Consumer Price Index of that city (<http://www.numbeo.com/cost-of-living/>).
6. If the host country is not included in the above table, the POGO Secretariat will calculate the appropriate stipend based on the Consumer Price Index (<http://www.numbeo.com/cost-of-living/>).