



Graduate Program in Neuroscience

Student Name:

Supervisor Name:

Please read the following guidelines before completing the form.

1. The graduate program has a full-funding policy for graduate students (i.e., self-funding is not accepted), with a minimum level of support of \$22,500 for the first 2 years of the MSc and \$26,000 for the first 4 years of the PhD. Supervisors are encouraged to provide additional funding if possible. Your acceptance of this student brings with it an obligation to provide full financial support to the best of your ability. If your funding situation changes throughout the course of the 2 years for MSc and 4 years for PhD, please discuss this with your student in a timely manner, and please provide help to the student in seeking alternative funding (e.g. TA support).
2. Each faculty member will be responsible for the annual allocation of support (including TA support through the supervisor’s department if available). Current TA pay rates can be found here: <https://cupe2278.ca/how-we-help/pay-rates/>. If a faculty member proposes to use a full-time TA position to fund a new student, the faculty member must commit additional summer (May–August) funding through an RA position or other arrangements (e.g., tuition awards) to reach the minimum level of guaranteed support. More information on student appointments can be found here: <https://www.grad.ubc.ca/scholarships-awards-funding/research-teaching-assistantships>. If the student is unable to secure a TA position, the faculty member is required to meet the minimum level of guaranteed support through other funding sources. Please note that RA and TA payments need to be coordinated through your home department with the exception of NRSC course TA payments.
3. Please provide the details of how the student will be supported for 2 years as an MSc student. (Doctoral commitments are made at the time of transition to the PhD program).

Funding Source	MSc1	MSc2
TA		
RA		
Other:		
Total		

Supervisor Signature: _____ **Date:** _____