



Support for Visiting Students IST_FN-19 Administrative Guidelines

The College of IST will provide \$2000 to support any faculty member who seeks to host a PhD student from an external institution if the following criteria are met.

Student criteria

1. The student is a PhD student in good standing from a comparable PhD granting institution.
2. The student's home institution offers matching funds/pay for the remaining costs of the student's travel.
3. The student plans to seek a full-time faculty position after graduation and would consider applying for a job with IST and Penn State.
4. The student comes from an underrepresented group and would help to diversify the IST faculty if hired after graduation.
5. The student plans to stay at IST for a minimum of 8 weeks.

Faculty criteria

1. The faculty member has exhausted all discretionary funds available for this purpose.
2. The faculty member and student have a concrete plan for research with a deliverable at the end of the visit.

Requests should be submitted to the Associate Dean for Research.