

University at Buffalo

Summary of Institutional Graduate Tuition Scholarship Policy

- Tuition scholarship funds may be applied only to academic year tuition costs; any graduate fees or summer tuition costs are not covered by this scholarship.
- Students receiving a graduate/teaching assistantship are required to register for at least 9 credit hours per semester in order to maintain full-time student status. Advanced graduate students at the candidacy stage may be able to reduce this requirement by filing the Certification for Full Time Status form to be considered full time at less than 9 credit hours.
- The tuition scholarship is for one (academic year/semester) and may be renewed to cover no more than the minimum credit hours required for your primary degree.
- The tuition scholarship may be renewed for a maximum of four (4) semesters or the minimum credit hours required for the Master's degree, whichever is less; or eight (8) semesters or the minimum credit hours required for the Ph.D. degree, whichever is less. Transfer credits are counted in the minimum credit hours toward the degree. Tuition scholarships awarded at the Master's level are included in the Ph.D. scholarship totals.