Guidance note for Universities: The Alan Turing Institute Enrichment scheme 2020

Now entering its fifth year, the Turing enrichment scheme offers students currently enrolled on a doctoral programme at a UK university the opportunity to join us for up to 12 months at the Turing. Students continue their PhD in conjunction with their current supervisor, while enriching their research and making new collaborations during their time at the Institute. You can find out more at https://www.turing.ac.uk/work-turing/studentships/enrichment.

Students may be eligible for a stipend top up to (expected maximum £7000)¹ to support the student in moving to London. Students will also usually receive a travel allowance for research visits back to the home university.

If the student is successful, the Turing will ask the University to:

- Grant the student permission to study away for the duration of the Enrichment placement.
- Administer any financial award (stipend top-up) to the student on behalf of The Alan Turing Institute and sign a Funding Agreement regarding this.
- Invoice the Turing annually for the financial award and pay this to the student.

Students will be asked to sign the Enrichment Terms and Conditions.

If you would like to see copies of any of the documents mentioned in advance, please contact academic-recruitment@turing.ac.uk.

Visa and Immigration

The Turing does not have a Tier 4 visa licence and cannot provide sponsorship of Tier 4 students. If your international office would like to discuss monitoring or engagement requirements and how the Turing can support this, please contact the team to discuss this. Universities are requested to inform the Turing immediately of any changes in legal right to remain or study for any student undertaking an Enrichment placement.

Contact details

For questions on the Turing’s Enrichment scheme please contact the Institute’s Researcher Development and Training team through academic-recruitment@turing.ac.uk or by calling +44 (0)203 862 3345.

¹ Figure represents a 12 month placement.