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Student Employment

SFS maintains listings of on-campus and off-campus job opportunities (<https://studentjobs.mit.edu>) that are open to graduate students. Some positions are available directly through administrative offices on campus. Graduate students who hold full-time research or teaching assistantships (<https://sfs.mit.edu/graduate-students/guide/research-teaching-assistants>) or fellowships (<https://sfs.mit.edu/graduate-students/guide/finding-fellowships>) and who are US citizens or permanent residents may typically work an additional 10 hours per week in such employment.

For international students, regulations regarding on-campus and off-campus employment depend on the student's visa type and other circumstances. Full details about student employment for international students (<https://iso.mit.edu/employment>) are available on the International Students Office website.

US graduate students who complete the FAFSA (<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>) and are eligible for Federal Work-Study (<https://pkgcenter.mit.edu/programs/social-impact-employment/federal-work-study>) may do paid community service. Wages are subsidized for students performing direct community service at approved nonprofit agencies.

Graduate Residents

Any graduate student at MIT may apply for a position as a graduate resident advisor (GRA) (<http://studentlife.mit.edu/beagra>) through Residential Education. The compensation for a GRA position includes a free room/apartment in the assigned residence during the appointment, plus a stipend of \$730 per semester (which is taxable).