

STANDARD PAYMENTS RUBICON WITH EFFECT FROM 1 APRIL 2010

Standard payment the Netherlands

In the case of a period at a Dutch institute, it is assumed that this institute shall act as the employer. A lump sum of maximum € 55,000 per annum shall be paid to the institute concerned for this purpose.

NWO will not act as the employer and the *Regeling Overlaten Werkgeverschap* will not apply.

Standard payments outside the Netherlands

The payment for a period outside the Netherlands depends on the destination chosen and has three components: accommodation costs, travel costs and research costs. The accommodation costs are calculated by adjusting a basic amount of 56.400 Euro per annum by using the correction coefficients in the list below. The remuneration for research costs is € 230 per month for all laureates irrespective of the country of destination, except for the Netherlands. No rights may be derived from these amounts.

The researcher enters employment at the host institute. The travel costs shall be paid directly to the laureate and the rest of the grant to the host institute, which shall pay the researcher's salary. There is no contract of employment with NWO. NWO cannot provide any information about the fiscal aspects of this expenses allowance. You should contact your local tax inspector about this.

Please note:

In the case of a period outside the Netherlands these standard payments shall be awarded to the researcher as a basic grant that makes a contribution to the basic costs of living and the most essential costs for conducting the research funded by Rubicon.

Travel costs

The travel costs are based on a distance in a straight line between the point of departure and the host institute. For a period of 12 months or shorter the travel costs are awarded once, and for a period longer than 12 months the travel costs are awarded twice.

Distance (km)	Fixed allowance per 12 months (EUR)
< 500	250
500 – 1000	500
1000 – 1500	750
1500 – 2500	1000
2500 – 5000	1500
5000 – 10,000	2000
> 10,000	2500

Rubicon Standard Payments for 2010 based on a basic payment of 56,400 euro per annum and the correction coefficients per country listed below.

*Example: the payment for 12 months in Albania is $56,400 * 0.785 = 44,274$ euro, with an additional $12 * 230$ euro = 2760 euro for research costs. The amount payable for travel costs is detailed above.*

Country	Correction coefficient
Albania	78.5
Algeria	87.5
Angola	112.8
Argentina	54.7
Armenia	71.1
Australia	108.5
Austria	107.8
Azerbaijan	72.9
Bangladesh	45.4
Barbados	105.5
Belarus	62.7
Belgium	100.0
Benin	92.9
Bermuda	151.5
Bolivia	49.5
Bosnia & Herzegovina	70.7
Botswana	46
Brazil	95.5
Bulgaria	86.3
Burkina Faso	96.5
Cambodia	62.7
Cameroon	109.7
Canada	78.9
Cape Verde	74.4
Central African Republic	113.1
Chad	129.3
Chile	57.7
China	74.6
Colombia	79.2
Congo	129.1
Costa Rica	68.7
Côte d'Ivoire	99.9
Croatia	106.3
Cuba	73.5
Cyprus	89.2
Czech Republic	98.1
Dem. Republic Congo	112.3
Denmark	139.4
Djibouti	85.4
Dominican Rep.	58.2
Ecuador	57.9
Egypt	33.8
El Salvador	63.6
Eritrea	41.9
Estonia	85.0
Ethiopia	77.8
Fiji	72.2
Finland	119.8
France	115.5
FYROM	71.1
Gabon	110.4
Gambia	70.3

Gaza Strip	103.1
Georgia	99.7
Germany	98.9
Ghana	54.3
Greece	95.0
Guatemala	70.7
Guinea	55.7
Guinea-Bissau	114.6
Guyana	53.5
Haiti	104.2
Honduras	60.3
Hong Kong	83.4
Hungary	94.0
Iceland	131.2
India	50.9
Indonesia	59.3
Ireland	121.9
Israel	118.9
Italy	111.5
Ivory Coast	98.7
Jamaica	86.1
Japan	105
Jordan	70
Kazakhstan	73.3
Kenya	73.8
Kosovo	57.5
Kyrgyzstan	86.7
Laos	77.6
Latvia	85.1
Lebanon	80
Lesotho	47.3
Liechtenstein	110.1
Lithuania	76.3
Luxembourg	100
Madagascar	84.2
Malawi	63.6
Malaysia	65.8
Mali	83.5
Malta	85.0
Mauritania	61.2
Mauritius	72.6
Mexico	69.7
Moldova	67.1
Montenegro	68.9
Morocco	86.9
Mozambique	71.9
Namibia	57.5
Nepal	66
Netherlands	119.1
New Caledonia	140.4
New Zealand	89.8
Nicaragua	46.2
Niger	85.7
Nigeria	93
Norway	131.2
Pakistan	43.9
Panama	52.2
Papua New Guinea	73.5
Paraguay	83.6
Peru	67.4
Philippines	61

Poland	93.8
Portugal	91.7
Romania	75.2
Russia	121.8
Rwanda	82.7
Samoa	65.5
Saudi Arabia	79.1
Senegal	88.1
Serbia	73.9
Sierra Leone	68.9
Singapore	95.8
Slovak Rep.	87.3
Slovenia	90.2
Solomon Islands	85.6
South Africa	46.9
South Korea	90.7
Spain	101.6
Sri Lanka	58.1
Sudan	68.8
Suriname	39.7
Swaziland	46.4
Sweden	115.3
Switzerland	110.1
Syria	66.8
Taiwan	77.3
Tajikistan	61.2
Tanzania	61.4
Thailand	52.4
Timor Leste	56.6
Togo	87
Tonga	85
Trinidad & Tobago	61.6
Tunisia	68.7
Turkey	80.7
Uganda	69.9
UK	125.6
Ukraine	109.4
Uruguay	73.2
US	88.3
Uzbekistan	45.4
Vanuatu	105.6
Venezuela	61
Vietnam	40.2
West Bank	103.1
Yemen	57
Zambia	63.2