Financial Policies for Brazil Scientific Mobility Program

G) Stipends

- 1) As part of the scholarship, students receive the following funds directly from CAPES/CNPq.
 - **a.** Books and supplies –one time stipend of \$1,000.
 - **b.** Round-trip Airfare- fully covered.
 - c. One time "settling-in" stipend of \$1,300
 - **d.** Monthly stipend of \$300 (higher if you are in what CAPES deems a "high-cost" city- **See Section F-1**)
 - i. Please note monthly stipends provided directly to you from CAPES/CNPq are meant to <u>assist</u> you with covering expenses other than those specifically specified in your Terms of Appointment. Examples include health insurance co-pays, deductibles or co-insurance; additional housing or dietary needs (beyond what your scholarship provides); transportation; and other personal expenses related to traveling during breaks, electronics, clothing, and personal incidental items. You should plan on bringing any personal funds available to you so that you can adequately cover these personal expenses. It is essential that you carefully budget your BSMP monthly stipends and one-time program allowances as well as any personal funds available to you throughout your program.