

VI-14
EXTRAMURALLY FUNDED RESEARCH
(Revised 2/23)

Payment During the Academic Year

During the academic year a faculty member may not use grant funds to earn in excess of his or her regular 100% salary. The faculty member may, however, with the permission of the Chair and Dean, use the grant funds in place of a portion, or all, of his or her regular state funded salary for a limited amount of time. This is called a release to grant, it is **not additional compensation**. If the release is for more than 50% time, the salary being paid from the grant funding must be paid under a Professional Research title, rather than the Professor title. Payments are made on the same basis and at the same pay rate as the Professor appointment (9/12). The earn code used is REG. A release for 50% time or less may be managed via a funding change in the Professorial position in UCPath.

A faculty member may be paid from a fellowship administered through UCSB. Payments during the academic year are considered leaves with pay (see Red Binder VI-7E).

Payment during the summer:

During the summer a faculty member may earn additional compensation from extramural contracts and grants (Red Binder VI-10.) The payments are made using the Professional Researcher- 1/9th title code and pay rate, and the earn code **ACR**. Additional research compensation during the summer period is calculated using the Daily Factors 19-day Chart. The chart is used to determine the percentage of time and effort equivalent to the number of summer days worked. The total percent time for each day in the summer may not exceed 100%. However, total earnings in a calendar month may exceed 100% as indicated on the Daily Factors 19 day chart. (Red Binder VI- 12) Payment is to be issued at the pay rate in effect at the time of the service.

Funding restrictions:

While faculty are in general allowed to receive up to a maximum of 3/9ths summer pay, some funding sources may contain restrictions that further limit the allowable total. Faculty and departmental staff must observe these limitations.

For example, faculty earning summer compensation from NIH sources, the NIH salary cap must be observed. If the NIH cap figure is lower than the faculty member's annual salary rate, it will not be possible to earn a full 3/9ths from the NIH grant. The NIH cap figure must be used as the annual rate for the summer payments, and the 19-day chart and the maximum of 57 days must still be observed. Funds subject to the NIH cap are paid out using the earn code of **ARC with a pay rate equal to or less than the NIH cap figure**.

It is possible for the faculty member to receive summer compensation from other sources as long as the total does not exceed 3/9ths. Additional sources may include; summer session teaching, chair stipends or payment of an NIH salary supplement (title code 3998). The salary supplement may not be paid from contract or grant funds.

Acceptable supplement sources include gift or endowed chair funds or other unrestricted funds. NIH salary supplements are paid on a flat rate basis using the earn code of **AAC**.