**Wichita State University**  
*Rates for Grants & Contracts—FY 2009*

**INDIRECT (F&A) COSTS:**

- **Federal Rate - On Campus:** 46.0% Modified Total Direct Costs (MTDC). The base includes all costs except purchase of equipment in excess of $5,000 per unit and the first $25,000 of each subcontract. Subcontract amounts in excess of $25,000 (per contract) are excluded from the indirect calculation.

- **Federal Rate - Off Campus (outside Sedgwick County not using any WSU facilities):** 26.0% Modified Total Direct Costs (MTDC). The base includes all costs except purchase of equipment in excess of $5,000 per unit and the first $25,000 of each subcontract. Subcontract amounts in excess of $25,000 (per contract) are excluded from the indirect calculation.

- **Commercial Rate:**
  - 69.1% MTDC On Campus
  - 31.6% MTDC Off Campus

**FRINGE BENEFITS:**

- **Faculty/Staff:**
  - 42% for salaries of $20,000 - $29,999
  - 36% for salaries of $30,000 - $39,999
  - 32% for salaries of $40,000 - $49,999
  - 28% for salaries over $50,000

- **Students:**
  - 1.2% for GRAs at 20 hrs/wk  
    (plus $306 per semester [fall & spring] and $136 per summer for insurance- $748 for entire year).
  - 1.2% for GRAs less than 20 hrs/wk and all undergraduate students

**TRAVEL:**

- **Private Car Mileage:** $0.505/mile

- **Lodging:**
  - In-State: $75.00
  - Out-of-State: $95.00
  - Out-of-State High Cost: $139.00
  - District of Columbia and Borough of Manhattan: $154.00
  - Conference lodging qualified under K.A.R. 1-16-18a(e): Actual
  - International Travel: Actual

*These rates may be increased by 50% subject to approval of the appropriate Vice President*

- **Per Diem (Meals):** Per quarter $10.25 ($41.00 per day)

**RADIOACTIVE/HAZARDOUS WASTES DISPOSAL FEES:**

All grants or contracts whose research/work generates radioactive/hazardous wastes must include the costs of these disposal wastes in the budget. Contact The Environmental Health and Safety Office, x3347, for an estimate. To expedite the process, please include a list of radioisotopes and hazardous chemicals, including quantities, to be purchased with your proposal.

**NOTE:** This rate sheet supersedes all previously published rate sheets.  
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