Transition Assistance

Transition assistance is a cash stipend of $10,000, payable over the first three years of employment - $5,000 in year one, $3,000 in year two, and $2,000 in year three. This benefit is for tenure-track (or tenured) appointments only. It is meant to help defray the cost of living expenses incurred in relocating to San Diego from outside San Diego County.

This stipend is fully taxable and is added to monthly paychecks in 12 equal installments each year.

The University also offers the services, at USD’s expense, of a relocation company that can help with recommendations for moving companies and with finding housing in the San Diego area. Please contact Assistant VP Debbie Gough (gough@sandiego.edu or 619-260-4554) for assistance with this benefit.