5. **Industry-Sponsored Scholarships and Other Educational Funds for Residents/Fellows Employed by a Teaching Hospital**

Residents and fellows who are employed in their residencies and fellowships by an affiliated teaching hospital must obtain approval for any industry-sponsored scholarships and other educational funding (including funding for travel to educational events) from their teaching hospital employer according to the policies and procedures of the hospital.

These residents and fellows must also obtain prior approval for the funding from their SIU School of Medicine residency/fellowship program director who will consider the educational merit as well as any actual or perceived conflict of interest which might be associated with the funding. Program directors should consult with the SIUSOM Ethics Officer with questions.