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PROPOSED 2021-2022 COMMON AND UNIVERSITY / PROGRAM SPECIFIC FEES

Action Requested:

Consider the proposed changes to Common and University / Program Specific Fees for the 2021-2022 academic year as highlighted in blue in the spreadsheets on pages 2-6; justifications may be found on pages 7-13.

Executive Summary:

Common and University / Program Specific Fees are assessed only to students that use these services based on their programs, interests, or needs. Students may pay one or more fees as presented in this memorandum for the direct costs associated with using additional miscellaneous services provided by the universities. These fees are separate from tuition and mandatory fees. Glossaries of all Common and University / Program Specific Fees may be found online with this agenda item.

Final Board approval is required prior to implementation of the fee changes. Board action on these fees is scheduled at the July meeting. Adoption of these fees is subject to revision at a later date if cost recovery is different than the original estimate.

Background:

Board Policy Manual §1.6H: (1) requires the Board to review and approve all new institutional or college-wide fees over \$1 per semester and all departmental fees over \$10 per semester; and (2) encourages the three universities to work together to establish common titles and amounts for fees. Some differences in fee titles and amounts may remain because of the unique nature of some programs and services at each institution.

Iowa Code §262.9(19) requires the Board to take action no sooner than 30 days after notification of the proposed fee changes to presiding officers of each student government organization at each affected institution. Written notification of the proposed fee changes will be sent to the student government presidents at each of the universities.

Iowa Administrative Code §681-1.7 requires that application fees be modified through the Iowa Administrative Rules process. The Board Office prepares and files the proper filings with the Administrative Rules Review Committee.

Common Fees	SUI			ISU			UNI		
	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change
Application Fees (non-refundable)									
Undergraduate Domestic Student and Non-Degree Student	\$40	\$40	0.0%	\$40	\$40	0.0%	\$40	\$40	0.0%
Undergraduate International Student	\$85	\$85	0.0%	\$50	\$50	0.0%	\$50	\$50	0.0%
Graduate/Professional Domestic Student	\$60	\$60	0.0%	\$60	\$60	0.0%	\$60	\$60	0.0%
Graduate/Professional International Student	\$100	\$100	0.0%	\$100	\$100	0.0%	\$75	\$75	0.0%
Iowa Dental Advanced Standing Program (International DDS Students)	\$250	\$250	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
PharmD Student	\$50	\$50	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Re-Entry Fee	\$20	\$20	0.0%	--	--	--	\$20	\$20	0.0%
Veterinary Medicine Student	--	--	--	\$75	\$75	0.0%	--	--	--
Applied Music Fees									
Group Sessions (4 or more, per credit hour)	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$57	\$58	1.8%
Instrument Rental (per instrument)	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$43	\$45	4.7%
Private Lessons	\$100 to \$290	\$100 to \$290	0.0%	\$100 to \$290	\$100 to \$290	0.0%	\$100 to \$290	\$100 to \$292	0% - 0.7%
Billing Fees									
Additional Statement	--	--	--	\$8	\$8	0.0%	--	--	--
Deferred (payment over three to five months)	\$20	\$20	0.0%	\$20	\$20	0.0%	\$20	\$20	0.0%
Installment Payment Plan (payment over twelve months)	--	--	--	\$50	\$50	0.0%	--	--	--
Third Party Invoice Fee (per semester)	\$100	\$100	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Continuing Education (per credit hour)									
Undergraduate (Resident, Non-Resident and International) ¹	\$337	\$349	3.6%	\$336	\$348 - \$1,214	change to range	\$320-\$759	\$325-\$771	change to range
Graduate (Resident, Non-Resident and International) ¹	\$560	\$580	3.6%	\$543	\$564 - \$1,705	change to range	\$509-\$1,092	\$517-\$1,108	change to range
Undergraduate Resident ⁴	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$320	\$320	0.0%
Graduate Resident ⁴	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$509	\$509	0.0%
Undergraduate Non-Resident ⁴	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$320-\$759	\$320-\$759	0.0%
Graduate Non-Resident ⁴	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$509-\$1,092	\$509-\$1,092	0.0%
Technology Fee ²	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$38	\$38	0.0%
Departmental Exam for Credit Fee (per exam)	\$100	\$100	0.0%	\$100	\$100	0.0%	\$100	\$100	0.0%
Developmental Course Fees	--	--	--	\$160-\$530	\$160-\$530	0.0%	\$176-\$639 ¹	\$176-\$639 ¹	0.0%
Diploma Replacement Fee	--	--	--	\$25	\$25	0.0%	\$25	\$25	0.0%
Employer Reimbursement Deferred Billing Fee	\$35	\$35	0.0%	\$35	\$35	0.0%	\$35	\$35	0.0%
Fax Fee (for sending official documents)	--	--	--	\$7	\$7	0.0%	--	--	--
Graduate College Fees									
Thesis Fees - Master's Thesis Publication Fee	\$10	\$10	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Thesis Fees - PhD, Doctorate of Musical Arts (DMA)	\$155	\$155	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Thesis Fees - Masters/Doctorate	\$145	\$145	0.0%	\$145	\$145	0.0%	\$100	\$100	0.0%
Graduation and Degree Application Fee									
Late Fee for Applying After Deadline (For ISU & UNI, applies to Graduate Students only)	\$20	\$20	0.0%	\$20	\$20	0.0%	\$50	\$50	0.0%
ID Card Replacement Fee	\$35	\$35	0.0%	\$25	\$25	0.0%	\$30	\$30	0.0%

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	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change
Lakeside Lab (per credit hour) ¹									
Undergraduate	\$337	\$349	3.6%	\$336	\$348	3.6%	\$320	\$325	1.6%
Graduate	\$560	\$580	3.6%	\$543	\$564	3.9%	\$509	\$517	1.6%
Late Payment of Fees and Charges	\$25	\$25	0.0%	up to 1% of amount past due	up to 1% of amount past due	Will Vary	up to 1% of amount past due	up to 1% of amount past due	Will Vary
New Student Programs/Matriculation Fees	\$250	\$250	0.0%	\$195	\$195	0.0%	\$250	\$250	0.0%
International Student Orientation (additional program)	\$120	\$120	0.0%	\$120	\$120	0.0%	\$125	\$125	0.0%
Refund Schedule Fees									
Before the First Day of Class	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%
First Week	90.0%	90.0%	0.0%	90.0%	90.0%	0.0%	90.0%	90.0%	0.0%
Second Week	75.0%	75.0%	0.0%	75.0%	75.0%	0.0%	75.0%	75.0%	0.0%
Third Week	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Fourth Week	25.0%	25.0%	0.0%	25.0%	25.0%	0.0%	25.0%	25.0%	0.0%
After Fourth Week	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Reduced Load (reduction of hours) -- First Two Weeks (after second week 0.0%)	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%
Refund Schedule Fees - Executive and Professional MBA Programs									
Day before the first day of class (or earlier)	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
First class session day through day prior to second class session	90.0%	90.0%	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Second class session day through day prior to third class session	75.0%	75.0%	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Third class session day through day prior to fourth class session	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fourth class session day through day prior to fifth class session	25.0%	25.0%	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Day of fifth class session and after	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	--	--	--	--	--	--
Registration Fees									
Doctoral Post Comprehensive or Prelim / Masters Final	\$70	\$70	0.0%	\$70	\$70	0.0%	\$150	\$150	0.0%
Graduate Continuing Scholar	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$100	\$100	0.0%
Late -- Undergraduate	--	--	--	\$20	\$20	0.0%	--	--	--
Late -- Day 1 - 5	--	--	--	\$30	\$30	0.0%	--	--	--
Late -- Day 6 - 10	--	--	--	\$60	\$60	0.0%	--	--	--
Late -- Day 11 onward ³	\$100	\$100	0.0%	\$100	\$100	0.0%	\$100	\$100	0.0%
Reissue Check Fee / Returned Check/Debit Fee	\$30	\$30	0.0%	\$30	\$30	0.0%	\$30	\$30	0.0%
Transcript Fees									
Special Handling Charge (early transcript; partial transcript)	--	--	--	\$5	\$5	0.0%	--	--	--
University Records and Documents Fee (first enrollment)									
Degree Seeking Students	\$225	\$225	0.0%	\$130	\$130	0.0%	\$220	\$220	0.0%
Non-Degree Seeking Students	\$75	\$75	0.0%	\$50	\$50	0.0%	\$75	\$75	0.0%
Continuing and Distance Education (Graduation/Transcripts)	--	--	--	--	--	--	\$100	\$100	0.0%

1. To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase (rounding may occur.)

2. To be increased at the same rate of the mandatory technology fee.

3. SUI and UNI do not distinguish between undergraduate and graduate.

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	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change
Admission / Tuition Deposit Fees									
DDS	\$500	\$500	0.0%						
DPT (Physical Therapy)	\$300	\$600	100.0%						
JD - first deposit April 1	\$250	\$250	0.0%						
JD - second deposit June 1	\$150	\$150	0.0%						
MBA	\$300	\$300	0.0%						
MD	\$50	\$50	0.0%						
PharmD	\$250	\$250	0.0%						
Physician Assistant - 1st installment upon acceptance (Carver College of Medicine)	\$400	\$400	0.0%						
Physician Assistant - 2nd installment by May 1 of year of enrollment (Carver College of Medicine)	\$400	\$400	0.0%						
Radiation Sciences (Carver College of Medicine)	\$400	\$400	0.0%						
Nuclear Medicine Technology (Carver College of Medicine)	\$400	\$400	0.0%						
Background Check Fee - Students/Patient Care	\$50	\$50	0.0%						
CLEP Score Report Fee	\$5	\$5	0.0%						
Tipple College of Business									
Executive MBA Program (entering Fall 2021 --> 2-year total)	\$62,000	\$67,000	8.1%						
Extension Courses (per credit hour)									
MBA for Professionals & Managers Program	\$700	\$700	0.0%						
Graduate Certificate - Business Analytics	\$700	\$700	0.0%						
Master of Science - Business Analytics	\$700	\$700	0.0%						
CIMBA (Consortium Institute for Management and Business Analysis) ¹									
Undergraduate	\$337	\$349	3.6%						
Graduate	\$560	\$580	3.6%						
College of Dentistry									
American Student Dental Association Dues	\$88	\$88	0.0%						
Iowa Dental Advanced Standing Program Interview / Evaluation (International DDS students)	\$1,500	\$1,500	0.0%						
Certificate Programs (per year) ¹									
Endodontics Certificate - International Students with no US DDS	\$55,231	\$57,164	3.5%						
Endodontics Certificate - All Other Students	\$21,565	\$22,319	3.5%						
Operative Dentistry Certificate	\$12,616	\$13,057	3.5%						
Orthodontics Certificate	\$13,945	\$14,433	3.5%						
Periodontics Certificate - International Students (non US or Canadian DDS degree)	\$22,487	\$23,274	3.5%						
Periodontics Certificate - US/Canadian DDS Students (resident or non-resident)	\$2,896	\$2,997	3.5%						
Prosthodontics Certificate - International Students with no US DDS	\$14,098	\$14,591	3.5%						
Geriatric and Special Needs Certificate - International Students (non US or Canadian DDS degree)	\$14,098	\$14,591	3.5%						
All Other Certificate Programs	\$1,251	\$1,295	3.5%						
Instrument Management System Fee									
Class of 2021 -- First Year	\$8,300	\$8,600	3.6%						
Class of 2021 -- Second Year	\$5,500	\$5,600	1.8%						
Class of 2021 -- Third Year	\$4,200	\$4,300	2.4%						
Class of 2021 -- Fourth Year	\$1,600	\$1,700	6.3%						
Graduate Student	\$3,300	\$3,400	3.0%						
Endodontics Graduate Program - Instrument / Imaging / Device Fee	\$5,000	\$5,000	0.0%						
Laboratory Supplies Fee (1st and 2nd year)	\$2,000	\$2,050	2.5%						
Professional Liability Insurance (4th year)	\$30	\$30	0.0%						

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College of Education									
Education - e-Portfolio (per selected course)	\$30	\$30	0.0%						
On-line Masters in Education Programs (per credit hour)	\$560	\$595	6.3%						
UI REACH Program									
Acceptance Fee	\$150	\$150	0.0%						
Processing Fee	\$40	\$40	0.0%						
Annual Program Fee - Resident	\$17,300	\$17,300	0.0%						
Annual Program Fee - Non-Resident	\$35,400	\$35,400	0.0%						
Two-Year Program Fee (entering Fall 2018) - Resident	\$32,280	\$32,280	0.0%						
Two-Year Program Fee (entering Fall 2018) - Non-Resident	\$66,700	\$66,700	0.0%						
Third-Year Option (entering Fall 2018) - Resident	\$16,140	\$16,140	0.0%						
Third-Year Option (entering Fall 2018) - Non-Resident	\$33,350	\$33,350	0.0%						
College of Engineering									
Master of Science in Engineering and Information Technology (resident and non-resident) (per credit hour) ¹	\$1,250	\$1,294	3.5%						
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences									
Applied Dance (per enrollment)	\$20	\$20	0.0%						
Online Master of Social Work Program Fee	\$400	\$400	0.0%						
Carver College of Medicine									
Extension Courses: Medical Physiology Online (per credit hour)	\$740	\$740	0.0%						
Physical Therapy - Advanced Program Fee Assessment	--	\$1,400	NEW						
Physician Assistance - Clinical Training	--	\$1,000	NEW						
Professional Liability Insurance (2nd, 3rd and 4th year MD students)	\$130	\$130	0.0%						
Professional Liability Insurance (Physician Assistant Students)	\$120	\$120	0.0%						
Radiation Sciences Clinical Assessment Fee	\$120	\$120	0.0%						
College of Nursing									
Nursing Simulation Lab Equipment Fee (per semester - 3rd year, 4th year, DNP when enrolled in lab course)	\$350	\$350	0.0%						
Student Professional Liability Insurance Fee	\$15	\$15	0.0%						
National Student Nurse Association Dues	\$70	\$74	5.7%						
College of Pharmacy									
Assured Admission (per semester)	--	\$60	NEW						
Palliative Care Certificate Program	--	\$1,000	NEW						
College of Public Health									
Dual Degree Fee for MPH/DVM Students and MPH Students in Combined SUI Degree Program	\$1,000	\$1,000	0.0%						
EMHA (Executive Master of Health Administration) 2-year program fee	\$55,000	\$55,000	0.0%						
Master of Public Health (MPH) for Practicing Veterinarians (entire program fee)	\$40,000	\$40,000	0.0%						
Healthcare Management Certificate (per credit hour)	\$1,250	\$1,250	0.0%						
Extension Courses (off campus only) (per credit hour) ¹									
Undergraduate	\$430	\$445	3.5%						
Graduate and Other Public Health MS and Ph.D.	\$662	\$685	3.5%						
Master of Health Administration	\$996	\$1,031	3.5%						
Master of Public Health	\$921	\$953	3.5%						
Hospital Certificate Technology Programs (per year) ¹	\$1,273	\$1,317	3.5%						

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	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change	Actual 2020-2021	Proposed 2021-2022	% Change
International Students and Scholars									
English Proficiency Examination	\$120	\$120	0.0%						
Fall and Spring Semesters	\$125	\$125	0.0%						
Summer Session	\$62.50	\$62.50	0.0%						
Study Abroad Fees									
Administrative Fee	\$400	\$400	0.0%						
Administrative Fee for Non University of Iowa Student	\$600	\$600	0.0%						
Participation Fee	\$50	\$50	0.0%						
Account Review Fee (per credit hour)				\$10	\$10	0.0%			
Key/Access Card Replacement Fee				\$25	\$25	0.0%			
Registration Fees - Graduate Students - Required Enrollment Fee ¹				\$543	\$564	3.9%			
Senior Fee (optional)				\$3	\$3	0.0%			
Sponsored International Student Fee				5% of fees	5% of fees	0.0%			
Study Abroad Fees									
Administrative Fee				\$50	\$50	0.0%			
Center Fee				\$275	\$275	0.0%			
Veterinary Medicine									
Advance Payment				\$500	\$500	0.0%			
Mobile Computing Fee				\$2,550	\$2,550	0.0%			
Continuing Education (per credit hour) ¹									
MBA Program (Domestic)							\$667	\$677	1.5%
International Courses							\$449-\$1,079	\$456-\$1,095	1.5%
Guided Independent Study (per credit hour) ¹							\$253	\$257	1.5%
Immunization Record Late Fee							\$30	\$30	0.0%
Open Credit (per project) ¹							\$639	\$649	1.5%
Study Abroad Fees									
Administrative Fee							\$100	\$100	0.0%
Program Fees - Academic Year							\$500	\$500	0.0%
Program Fees - Semester							\$400	\$400	0.0%
Program Fees - Short Term							\$200	\$200	0.0%
Program Fees - Non-UNI Program							\$400	\$400	0.0%

1. To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase. (rounding may occur)

JUSTIFICATIONS – COMMON FEES

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

Continuing Education (per credit hour)

- ◆ Undergraduate\$337 to \$349
- ◆ Graduate\$560 to \$580

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

Lakeside Lab (per credit hour) (5 weeks)

- ◆ Undergraduate\$337 to \$349
- ◆ Graduate\$560 to \$580

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

Continuing Education (per credit hour)

- ◆ Undergraduate\$336 to \$348 - \$1,214
- ◆ Graduate\$543 to \$564 - \$1,705

Rationale: To recover costs associated with providing continuing education to distance and off-campus learners enrolled in online programs. The range allows rates to be flexible which ensures that costs associated with offering each program are recovered.

The range of rates is based on existing, Board-approved rates and will be assessed based on program. The proposed ranges are equivalent to the standard per-credit resident tuition rate through the highest per-credit international tuition rate assessed at the undergraduate and graduate level respectively. The increases match the proposed tuition rate increases.

Lakeside Lab (per credit hour) (5 weeks)

- ◆ Undergraduate\$336 to \$348
- ◆ Graduate\$543 to \$564

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA

Applied Music Fees

- ◆ Group Sessions (4 or more, per credit hour) \$57 to \$58
Rationale: To cover increased costs of instruction and instrument maintenance.
- ◆ Instrument Rental (per instrument) \$43 to \$45
Rationale: To cover increased costs of repair and maintenance of the instruments.
- ◆ Private Lessons \$100 - \$290 to \$100 - \$292
Rationale: To cover increased costs of instruction and instrument maintenance.

Continuing Education (per credit hour)

- ◆ Undergraduate (Resident, Non-Resident and International) \$320 - \$759 to \$325 - \$771
 - ◆ Graduate (Resident, Non-Resident and International) \$509 - \$1,092 to \$517 - \$1,108
- Rationale:* To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase. In line with the Board's policy manual, the University is consolidating Continuing Education lines. The range provides flexibility to charge for particular programs or offerings.

Lakeside Lab (per credit hour) (5 weeks)

- ◆ Undergraduate \$320 to \$325
 - ◆ Graduate \$509 to \$517
- Rationale:* To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.
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JUSTIFICATIONS – UNIVERSITY / PROGRAM SPECIFIC FEES

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

Admission/Tuition Deposit Fees

- ♦ DPT (Physical Therapy)\$300 to \$600

Rationale: To improve the initial commitment of those who truly intend to accept admission into the program. 100% of this fee will be applied to the student's tuition bill upon matriculation into the program. This seat/tuition deposit fee remains low relative to competitors.

Tippie College of Business

- Executive MBA (EMBA)** (entering Fall 2021, 2-year total).....\$62,000 to \$67,000

Rationale: To cover increased costs of program delivery. Program enhancements include: (1) adding executive coaching to the EMBA program curriculum in 2020; and (2) expanding program services in 2021 to increase program personalization, deepen the cohort experience, and expand access for students across the region. Even with the increased fee, Tippie's EMBA will remain the most cost-effective of Big 10 EMBA programs and among the lowest-cost EMBA programs at peer institutions.

Tippie College of Business

Extension Courses (per credit hour)

CIMBA (Consortium Institute for Management and Business Analysis)

- ♦ Undergraduate\$337 to \$349
- ♦ Graduate\$560 to \$580

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

College of Dentistry

- ♦ Certificate Programs (per year)
 - ♦ Endodontics Certificate – International Students with no DDS\$55,231 to \$57,164
 - ♦ Endodontics Certificate – All Other Students\$21,565 to \$22,319
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 - ♦ Periodontics Certificate – US/Canadian DDS students (resident or non-resident)\$2,896 to \$2,997
 - ♦ Prosthodontics Certificate – International Students with no US DDS\$14,098 to \$14,591
 - ♦ Geriatric and Special Needs Certificate – International Students\$14,098 to \$14,591
(non US or Canadian DDS degree)
 - ♦ All Other Certificate Programs.....\$1,251 to \$1,295

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

College of Dentistry

- ◆ Instrument Management System Fee
 - ◆ Class of 2021 – First Year\$8,300 to \$8,600
 - ◆ Class of 2021 – Second Year.....\$5,500 to \$5,600
 - ◆ Class of 2021 – Third Year.....\$4,200 to \$4,300
 - ◆ Class of 2021 – Fourth Year\$1,600 to \$1,700Totals → \$21,300 to \$20,200

- ◆ Graduate Student \$3,300 to \$3,400 (3.0%)

Rationale: To cover the costs of providing this service to students. SUI proposes to increase this fee for the 2021 entering class by 3.0% over the course of the student’s four-year program (see totals above.)

College of Dentistry

- ◆ Laboratory Supplies Fee (1st and 2nd year).....\$2,000 to \$2,050

Rationale: To cover the costs of providing this service to students.

College of Education

- ◆ Online Masters in Education Programs (per credit hour)\$560 to \$595

Rationale: To cover increased costs of operating the programs including faculty compensation, staff coordination, and collegiate administrative costs. This fee has remained unchanged for the past three academic years.

The University of Iowa College of Education currently offers two online degree programs to support the needs of professionals who would like to continue their education and earn an advanced degree without having to leave their home or interrupt their career to return to school. These two programs are the Master of Science in STEM Education and the Master of Art in Teaching, Leadership and Cultural Competency (MATLCC). The propose increase would bring the total fee for the MS in STEM Education to \$21,420 and the MATLCC to \$19,635.

These two programs can be completed in 18 to 24 months, and are offered in eight-week sessions with five rolling start dates throughout the year to offer flexibility and accommodate working students’ commitments to employment while pursuing a graduate degree. The fee also contemplates future sub-programs under consideration by the College – those being an MA for Gifted and Talent Development, Foreign Language and English as a Second Language Education, Developmental Reading, and Special Education.

This fee covers the cost of operating the programs including faculty compensation, staff coordination, and collegiate administrative costs. The fee also covers the expenses associated with the unique marketing, recruiting and retention efforts, which includes a partnership with a specialized service firm. The coursework is entirely online and the tuition rate applies to both resident and nonresident students. Note: these students are also charged the standard technology fee for these online courses.

College of Engineering

- ◆ Master of Science in Engineering & Information Technology (per credit hour)\$1,250 – \$1,294

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

Carver College of Medicine

- ♦ Physical Therapy – Advanced Program Fee Assessment..... \$1,400 – NEW

Rationale: To develop a one-time fee that covers the expenses listed below that are utilized over the course of the 2.5 year, eight-semester program. In years past, students in the Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program have been required to pay for certain supplies and instruments as well as other programmatic expenses throughout the duration of their educational experience.

Explicitly listing and making these costs part of the DPT program will allow the expenses to be included in a student’s financial aid package.

\$125	Lab Supplies (year 1);
\$100	Dues to access American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) websites required for coursework (year 1);
\$300	Registration fee for ATPA-sponsored Combined Section Meetings (year 2);
\$600	Costs to attend Combined Section Meeting (100% student attendance the last 3 years and critical to accreditation);
\$100	Practice Exam and Assessment Tool (year 2)
\$75	Background Check/CPR/special assessments prior to clinical internships (year 2);
\$100	Online lectures through Rehab Essentials required for radiology and pharmacology courses (years 1 and 2).
\$1,400	TOTAL

Expectations for accreditation require professional development opportunities for DPT students to interact with colleagues from around the country. In addition, careful attention to OSHA infection control requires the program to provide supplies, instruments, and assessment tools specifically for each student rather than sharing as was the common practice in years gone by.

Carver College of Medicine

- ♦ Physician Assistance – Clinical Training \$1,000 – NEW

Rationale: To develop and maintain required clinical sites for SUI students and to remain competitive in securing sufficient clinical rotations in a state where there is significant competition for these sites.

During the last seven years, the state of Iowa has seen the number of Physician Assistant (PA) Programs increase from two to five. The other four PA programs are at private institutions currently pay sites to provide clinical educational experiences for their students.

SUI’s PA program has seen its clinical site resources diminish to the point that the University is unable to guarantee students will be able to complete all required rotations in a timely fashion, perhaps resulting in delayed graduation. Because SUI does not currently have a sufficient supply of clinical rotation sites to meet its accrediting agency’s required experiences, SUI’s program must identify additional sites from outside the University to remain in compliance with accreditation standards.

The PA program has been (and continues to be) further impacted by an increase of online Nurse Practitioner programs within the state, which also require their students to utilize similar clinical rotation sites as SUI’s PA Program.

Medical and other healthcare schools outside the state of Iowa are also offering payment to health systems in the state for their students. A letter sent recently to a large healthcare system in the Des Moines area offered to provide \$300,000 to train ten learners annually.

There is also an increase in medical schools from outside the United States offering large financial incentives to health systems in the east and south regions of the US; this practice is beginning to encroach on the Midwest.

SUI's program has historically been able to utilize free housing at rural clinical training sites around the state, which offsets travel costs for students. These sites are now requesting payment to maintain these locations. Many of these sites do not have a hotel or other housing options and a daily commute is impractical.

SUI's PA program is currently a #1 ranked PA program in the United States. If the program is not able to secure adequate resources for maintaining its clinical sites, this ranking will quickly drop as applicants and graduates discuss the program's inability to provide these required educational experiences. SUI would also be out of compliance with the accrediting body, which could jeopardize the program.

College of Nursing

- ◆ National Student Nurse Association Dues.....\$70 to \$74

Rationale: This is a pass through fee. Though the membership dues went into effect July 1, 2020, the College of Nursing was granted an exception and the increased fees will not take effect until Fall 2021.

College of Pharmacy

- ◆ Assured Admission (per semester) \$60 – NEW

Rationale: To cover costs of the PharmCas Application waiver as well as special programming for these students such as review sessions for the Pharmacy College Admission Test (PCAT), mentoring, and special events.

PharmCas is a centralized application service sponsored by the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy, which allows students to apply to multiple PharmD programs across the nation.

The Assured Admission pathway for Pharmacy students will allow students to be admitted to the College of Pharmacy right out of high school. These students will be provided with additional resources such as entrance exam and application preparation to ensure the admissions metrics continue to be similar or above peer institutions. One of the goals of the Assured Admission program is to reduce the time to graduation for these students by finishing prerequisite coursework within two years.

The fee would generate approximately \$240 per student over the 4 semesters the student is in the Assured Admission program and will cover:

- \$175 PharmCas application waiver
- \$40 PCAT review book
- \$25 special events with peer mentors

- ◆ Palliative Care Certificate Program \$1,000 – NEW

Rationale: To offset the costs associated with additional faculty needed to offer eleven semester hours of new coursework to offer this certificate in palliative care.

The palliative care coursework includes: (1) classroom instruction and individual work with students to coordinate focused service activities; (2) conducting research and generating manuscripts; (3) developing educational materials for palliative care teams (4) developing professional leadership initiatives; and (5) developing individualized professional development plans. Fees will also be used to offset costs of technology to develop training materials.

SUI anticipates this fee would cover the following items and allow for further development within the palliative care certificate:

- Payment for standardized patients for OSCEs (Objective Structured Clinical Examination - Palliative Care Patient Skills course);
- Payment to guest faculty for the following two courses: Foundations of Palliative Care and Ethics & Spirituality;
- A collegiate subscription to Biorender (to be used by faculty & students) - <https://biorender.com/>;
- Other software for teaching as needed;
- Defraying the ongoing cost of the Virtual Reality Project (VRP)
(VRP allows the College to give students real life experiences in the absence of standardized patients and increase the breadth of experiences where consistent availability and appropriateness of student-patient interaction is difficult.);
- Additional electronic texts accessible through Hardin Library for the Health Sciences;
- Repository of films used in all Pharmacy classes; and
- Funding development of the Leadership & Advocacy in Palliative Care course.

College of Public Health

- ♦ Extension Courses (off campus only) (per credit hour)
 - ♦ Undergraduate.....\$430 to \$445
 - ♦ Graduate and other Public Health MS and Ph.D.\$662 to \$685
 - ♦ Master of Health Administration\$996 to \$1,031
 - ♦ Master of Public Health\$921 to \$953

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

Hospital Certificate Technology Programs (per year)\$1,273 to \$1,317

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

Registration Fees - Graduate Students - Required Enrollment Fee\$543 to \$564

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA

Continuing Education (per credit hour)

- ♦ MBA Program (Domestic).....\$667 to \$677
- ♦ International Courses \$449 - \$1,079 to \$456 - \$1,095

Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

Guided Independent Study (per credit hour).....\$253 to \$257

- ♦ Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.

Open Credit (per project).....\$639 to \$649

- ♦ Rationale: To be increased at the rate of the general tuition increase.
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