

**Southern Oregon University
Board of Trustees**

RESOLUTION # 03-2016: Tuition and Mandatory Fees for Academic Year 2016 - 2017

Whereas, the Southern Oregon University Board of Trustees (“the board”) has the authority to establish tuition and mandatory enrollment fees in accordance with ORS. 352.102, ORS 352.105 and other applicable laws; and under the “Authority of the Board of Trustees” adopted in the Board Statement on Delegation of Authority; and

Whereas, the board authorizes the collection of mandatory enrollment fees recommended by the president of the university and the recognized student government, the Associated Students of Southern Oregon University (ASSOU), and established in accordance with provisions outlined in ORS 352.102 and ORS 352.105; and

Whereas, the university has recommended tuition and mandatory enrollment fees for Academic Year 2016-2017 through the work of campus groups and especially the Tuition Advisory Council, which is comprised of representatives from various campus constituencies including but not limited to students, student government, faculty, and staff; and

Whereas, the president, after considering historical tuition and fee trends, comparative data of peer institutions, the university’s budget and projected costs, anticipated funding levels, anticipated state appropriation levels, and applicable fee recommendations from and previously approved by ASSOU, has approved those tuition and mandatory fee recommendations for consideration by the board; and

Whereas, the university, in consultation with the board over several months, has engaged in a thorough process for determining tuition and mandatory enrollment fees; and the president has recommended to the Finance and Administration Committee that the proposed tuition and fee schedule be submitted to the full Board of Trustees for consideration and approval; and

Whereas, the board considers a number of factors, including the desire to create affordable access to programs and courses; encourage a diverse student body; maintain quality academic programs; encourage enrollment, retention, and graduation of students; maintain the university infrastructure necessary to support the academic, cultural and physical development of its students; and support the educational goals of the State of Oregon;

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Now, therefore, be it resolved, the Board of Trustees of Southern Oregon University hereby approves the Academic Year 2016-2017 tuition and mandatory fee schedule attached hereto as "Exhibit A."

VOTE: Unanimously approved

DATE: April 15, 2016

Recorded by the University Board Secretary:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sabai Suleman", is written over a horizontal line.

“Exhibit A”

Recommended Tuition and Fee Rate Schedule for Academic Year 2016 - 2017

TUITION / FEE RATE	2015-16	2016-17	% INC.	\$ INC.
Resident Undergrad	\$147.00	\$151.41	3.00%	\$4.41
Western Undergrad Exchange	\$221.00	\$227.12	2.77%	\$6.12
Nonresident Undergrad	\$463.00	\$476.89	3.00%	\$13.89
Online Undergrad	\$212.00	Based on residency status		
Resident Graduate	\$397.00	\$397.00	0.00%	\$0.00
Nonresident Graduate	\$497.00	\$497.00	0.00%	\$0.00
Master’s in Education	\$341.00	\$341.00	0.00%	\$0.00
Honor’s College Differential	\$25.00	\$25.00	0.00%	\$0.00
Oregon Center for the Arts Differential	\$10.00	\$10.00	0.00%	\$0.00
Online Graduate	\$462.00	Based on residency status		
Student Incidental Fee	\$307.00	\$320.00	4.23%	\$13.00
Student Health Fee	\$123.00	\$130.00	5.69%	\$7.00
Student Recreation Center Fee	\$35.00	\$75.00	114.29%	\$40.00
Building Fee	\$45.00	\$45.00	0.00%	\$0.00