

# 2018-19 Academic Year Tuition Recommendation

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# Tuition Recommendation Development

### **Process requirements**



- Legislative Direction Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 352.102
  - Requires BOT to "establish a process for determining tuition and mandatory enrollment fees."
  - The president shall "transmit to the board [a] joint recommendation" for tuition and fees with the student government.
  - Establishes limitations with regard to resident tuition to increases less than
    five percent without first receiving approval from the HECC of the
    Legislative Assembly.
- Board of Trustees Policy on Tuition and Fee Process
  - Establishes the Tuition Recommendation Committee (TRC) and the Incidental Fee Committee (IFC)
  - Requires that the TRC meet at least twice and host forums on each campus.
  - Requires the TRC to incorporate feedback from the public forums

#### **Board considerations**



When setting tuition and fees, the Board may consider a number of factors, including the desire to:

- (a) create affordable access to degree programs,
- (b) create a diverse student body,
- (c) maintain strong degree programs at every level,
- (d) develop and maintain the human and physical infrastructure necessary to support the university's educational outcome goals, and
- (e) maintain the fiscal integrity of the institution.

#### How does the TRC work?



- Tuition Recommendation Committee (TRC) is a group of students, faculty and staff that represent a broad cross section of Oregon Tech
- The TRC develops a tuition recommendation and forwards the recommendation to ASOIT by looking at data, and understanding the holistic needs and interests of students, faculty, staff and the university as a whole
- After collecting feedback from the public forums and FOAC presentation, ASOIT on both the Klamath Falls and Wilsonville campuses make a formal recommendation to the President for tuition levels

#### **TRC timeline**

3/9

3/22

| 1/24 | TRC Initial Meeting, Principles & Calendar       | Oregon   |
|------|--|----------|
| 1/31 | TRC Finalize Principles, Financial Modeling      |          |
| 2/8  | TRC Tuition Development                          |          |
| 2/15 | TRC Initial Recommendation                       |          |
| 2/16 | FOAC TRC Update                                  |          |
| 2/19 | K Falls Campus Forum – Hosted by ASOIT           |          |
| 2/20 | WV Campus Forum – Hosted by ASOIT [RESCHEDU      | ILED 3/1 |
| 2/22 | TRC Evaluate Feedback, Establish Finalize Recomm | endatio  |
| 2/26 | ASOIT Meeting (KF): Review Tuition               |          |
| 3/1  | ASOIT Meeting (WV): Review Tuition               |          |
| 3/1  | Joint ASOIT Recommendation letter                |          |

Presidential Recommendation to BOT

**BOT Meeting** 

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## TRC principles



- Consider long-term factors when recommending the single year decisions (important to have a forward looking vision)
- Recognize the importance of affordability for students
- Tuition levels should be developed using data and information, including internal budget, comparator institutions, and external cost indices.
- Ensure we maintain the current service level, quality and support that Oregon Tech provides to students.

## Data based development



TRC members evaluated many different pieces of data, including:

- Tuition information for competitor institutions
- Five-year budget projections
- Average cost information
- Salary and employment data by programs
- Student scholarship & remissions

## How does OT's tuition compare?



#### **Oregon Tech Competitor University Tuition Comparison**

| Jndergraduate - Resident      | 15         |            |            |            |            |            | 10-18 CR/ Sem          |
|-------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------------|
|                               | OIT        | OSU        | OSU-CC     | PSU        | SOU        | U of O     | Washington State Univ. |
| Base Per Credit               | \$176.01   | \$295.00   | \$288.00   | \$164.50   | \$165.04   | \$211.00   | \$494.00               |
| Full-Time Rate                | \$2,640.15 | \$3,025.00 | \$2,920.00 | \$2,467.50 | \$2,475.60 | \$3,165.00 | \$4,942.00             |
| Differential Per Credit Rates |            |            |            |            |            |            |                        |
| Engineering & Technology      | \$211.21   |            |            | \$208.90   |            |            |                        |
| Health Curriculum             | \$211.21   |            |            |            |            |            |                        |
| Clinical Lab Science          | \$245.76   |            |            |            |            |            |                        |
| Paramedic Education           | \$194.34   |            |            |            |            |            |                        |
| Dental Hygiene - Chemeketa    | \$194.34   |            |            |            |            |            |                        |
| Pre-Engineering               |            | \$329.00   | \$329.00   |            |            |            |                        |
| Professional Engineering      |            | \$346.00   | \$346.00   |            |            |            |                        |
| Forestry                      |            | \$310.00   |            |            |            |            |                        |
| Honors College/Program        |            | \$795.00   |            | \$171.90   | \$190.04   |            |                        |
| Business                      |            |            | \$315.00   | \$182.90   |            |            |                        |
| College of the Arts           |            |            |            | \$175.90   | \$175.04   |            |                        |

## How does OT's tuition compare?

\$963.00

\$980.00

\$944.00

\$1,429.00

\$278.68

\$631.12

Undergraduate - Non Resident

Paramedic Education

Pre-Engineering

Forestry

Business

Dental Hygiene - Chemeketa

**Professional Engineering** 

Honors College/Program

College of the Arts



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|                               |            |             |             |            |            |             | Washington  |
|                               | OIT        | OSU         | OSU-CC      | PSU        | SOU        | U of O      | State Univ. |
| Base Per Credit               | \$560.24   | \$929.00    | \$929.00    | \$550.00   | \$506.00   | \$723.00    | \$1,226.00  |
| Full-Time Rate                | \$8,403.60 | \$13,935.00 | \$13,935.00 | \$8,250.00 | \$7,590.00 | \$10,845.00 | \$12,258.00 |
| Differential Per Credit Rates |            |             |             |            |            |             |             |
| Engineering & Technology      | \$672.29   |             |             | \$594.40   |            |             |             |
| Health Curriculum             | \$672.29   |             |             |            |            |             |             |
| Clinical Lab Science          | \$444.36   |             |             |            |            |             |             |

\$963.00

\$980.00

\$949.00

\$531.00

\$516.00

\$557.00

\$569.00

\$596.00

## Scholarships & remissions



| Remissions                       |             |             |             |             | /           |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Remission Type                   | FY18        | FY17        | FY16        | FY15        | FY14        |
| <b>Total Remissions</b>          | \$3,853,000 | \$3,578,237 | \$3,244,750 | \$3,074,294 | \$2,203,252 |
| Year over year difference (\$\$) | \$274,763   | \$333,487   | \$170,456   | \$871,042   |             |
| Year over year difference (%)    | 7.7%        | 10.3%       | 5.5%        | 39.5%       |             |

| Foundation Scholarships* | Proj. FY19 | FY18      | FY17      | FY16      | FY15      |
|--------------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|                          | \$660,000  | \$640,000 | \$545,000 | \$520,000 | \$480,000 |

<sup>\*</sup> Foundation scholarship dollars include newly awarded scholarships and on-going scholarships previously awarded

#### Return on investment

| Institution           | Ave Salary * |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| Oregon Tech           | \$52,900     |
| Washington State Univ | \$48,600     |
| OSU                   | \$46,900     |
| OSU-CC                | \$46,900     |
| UW-Platteville        | \$45,400     |
| Lewis&Clark           | \$43,600     |
| Weber State           | \$43,300     |
| U of O                | \$43,200     |
| PSU                   | \$42,900     |
| Eastern Washington    | \$42,500     |
| EOU                   | \$38,900     |
| WOU                   | \$37,500     |
| SOU                   | \$37,200     |

<sup>\*</sup> Data is from the US Dept. of Ed College Scorecard Website: https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/



## Wage data for differential programs

| Salary Data by Major*          |                 |                |                   |             |  |  |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------|--|--|
|                                | 25th Percentile | 50% Percentile | 75th Percentile   | Oregon Mean |  |  |
| Civil Eng                      | \$65,330        | \$85,540       | \$107,140         | \$82,570    |  |  |
| Electrical Eng                 | \$73,910        | \$94,210       | \$119,690         | \$92,380    |  |  |
| Renewable Energy               | NA              | NA             | NA                | NA          |  |  |
| Manufacturing Eng Tech         | \$56,000        | \$81,000       | \$110,000         | NA          |  |  |
| Mechanical Eng                 | \$57,070        | \$54,190       | \$106,420         | \$85,890    |  |  |
| Mechanical Eng Tech            | \$42,580        | \$54,480       | \$68,440          | \$53,210    |  |  |
| Computer Eng Tech              | \$64,690        | \$86,510       | \$110,590         | \$78,570    |  |  |
| Software Eng Tech              | \$76,170        | \$100,080      | \$126,940         | \$99,670    |  |  |
| Embedded Systems Eng Tech      | \$83,270        | \$106,860      | \$133,970         | \$101,560   |  |  |
| Electronic Eng Tech            | \$47,810        | \$62,190       | \$75 <i>,</i> 480 | NA          |  |  |
| Geomatics                      | \$44,350        | \$59,390       | \$78,800          | \$66,750    |  |  |
| Manufacturing Engineering Tech | \$75,000        | \$101,000      | \$145,000         | NA          |  |  |
| Dental Hygiene                 | \$60,500        | \$72,910       | \$86,390          | \$78,720    |  |  |
| Sonography                     | \$57,530        | \$69,650       | \$82,320          | \$84,160    |  |  |
| Echo                           | \$64,383        | \$71,575       | \$79,422          | NA          |  |  |
| NMT                            | \$62,910        | \$74,350       | \$88,610          | \$83,680    |  |  |
| Radiologic Sci                 | \$46,490        | \$57,450       | \$70,430          | \$68,780    |  |  |
| Resp. Care                     | \$40,040        | \$49,780       | \$60,730          | \$55,940    |  |  |
| Vasc. Tech                     | \$60,982        | \$69,141       | \$78,097          | NA          |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup> Data is from the US Bureau of Labor Statistics unless otherwise noted



#### **Forecast cost increases**



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|                                       | Budget Impact |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| PERS (+3%-4%)                         | \$175,000     |
| PEBB (+5%)                            | \$383,000     |
| S&S & Utilities (+1.4%)               | \$285,000     |
| Approved Faculty Hires (incl. OPE)    | \$500,000     |
| Strategic Investments                 | \$300,000     |
| Impact of Mid-Year Salary Increases & |               |
| SEIU Contract                         | \$820,000     |



## **Tuition Recommendation**

#### Recommendation

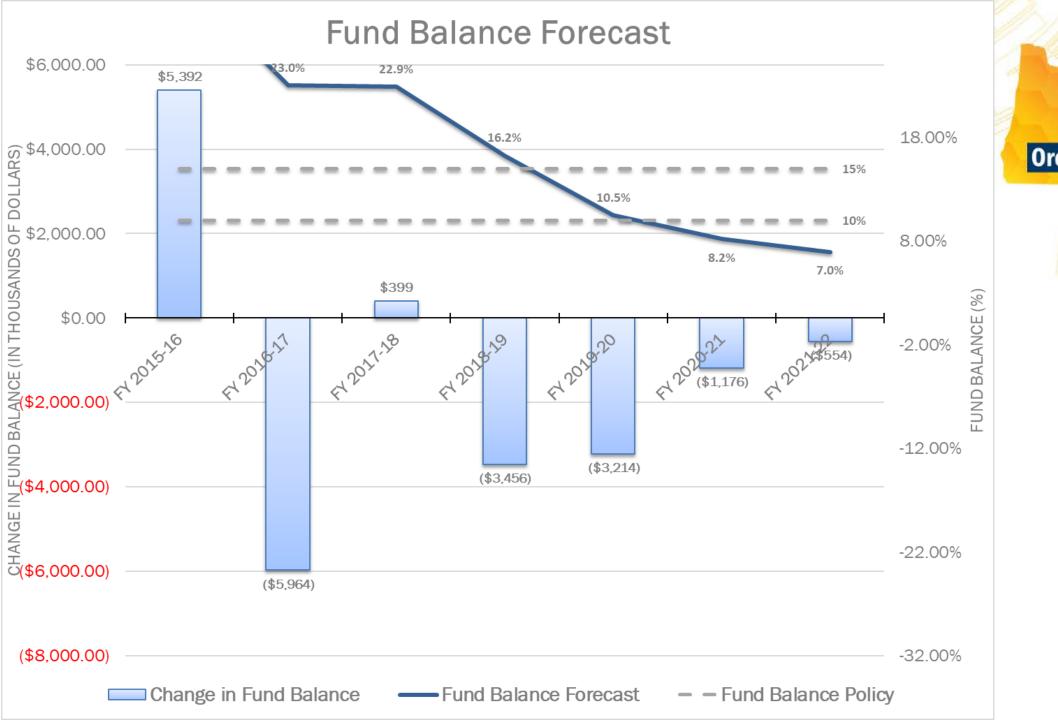


#### The President's tuition recommendation:

- 4.5% Base Tuition increase
- 5% increase in Differential Tuition from 20% to 25% of base tuition

#### In order to:

- Maintain high quality programs and the strong Return on Investment
- Stabilize tuition increases (avoid too big an increase next year)
- Balance the burden between students and the university
- Allow for investment in remissions and scholarships





| Oregon Tech Tuition Recommendation |                                |                       |                       |          |  |  |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|--|--|
|                                    |                                | 2017-18<br>Per Credit | 2018-19<br>Per Credit | % Change |  |  |
| ıate                               | Resident                       | \$176.01              | \$183.93              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| Undergraduate                      | WUE                            | \$251.45              | \$262.77              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| nderg                              | Non-Resident                   | \$533.56              | \$557.57              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| Ur                                 | Differential                   | 20%                   | 25%                   |          |  |  |
|                                    | Medical Lab Sciences (Res)     | \$245.76              | \$256.82              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| rams                               | Medical Lab Sciences (NR)      | \$444.36              | \$464.36              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| Special Programs                   | Paramedic (Res)                | \$194.34              | \$203.09              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| cial 1                             | Paramedic (NR)                 | \$278.68              | \$291.22              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| Spe                                | Chemeketa Dental Hygiene (Res) | \$194.34              | \$203.09              | 4.5%     |  |  |
|                                    | Chemeketa Dental Hygiene (NR)  | \$631.12              | \$659.52              | 4.5%     |  |  |
| ate                                | Resident                       | \$414.64              | \$427.08              | 3.0%     |  |  |
| Graduate                           | Non-Resident                   | \$696.05              | \$716.93              | 3.0%     |  |  |
| - G                                | Differential                   | 20%                   | 25%                   |          |  |  |



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|                  | Oregon Tech 7                  | Tuition Reco        | mmendatio           | n         |          |
|                  |                                | 2017-18<br>Per Term | 2018-19<br>Per Term | \$ Change | % Change |
| late             | Resident                       | \$2,640.15          | \$2,758.96          | \$118.81  | 4.5%     |
| Undergraduate    | WUE                            | \$3,771.75          | \$3,941.48          | \$169.73  | 4.5%     |
| nderg            | Non-Resident                   | \$8,003.40          | \$8,363.55          | \$360.15  | 4.5%     |
| Ur               | Differential                   | 20%                 | 25%                 |           |          |
|                  | Medical Lab Sciences (Res)     | \$3,686.40          | \$3,852.29          | \$165.89  | 4.5%     |
| Special Programs | Medical Lab Sciences (NR)      | \$6,665.40          | \$6,965.34          | \$299.94  | 4.5%     |
| Prog             | Paramedic (Res)                | \$2,915.10          | \$3,046.28          | \$131.18  | 4.5%     |
| cial ]           | Paramedic (NR)                 | \$4,180.20          | \$4,368.31          | \$188.11  | 4.5%     |
| Spe              | Chemeketa Dental Hygiene (Res) | \$2,915.10          | \$3,046.28          | \$131.18  | 4.5%     |
|                  | Chemeketa Dental Hygiene (NR)  | \$9,466.80          | \$9,892.81          | \$426.01  | 4.5%     |
| Graduate         | Resident                       | \$6,219.60          | \$6,406.19          | \$186.59  | 3.0%     |
|                  | Non-Resident                   | \$10,440.75         | \$10,753.97         | \$313.22  | 3.0%     |
| 9                | Differential                   | 20%                 | 25%                 |           |          |



| Oregon Tech Fee Recommendation |                 |          |          |          |  |  |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|--|--|
|                                |                 | 2017-18  | 2018-19  | % Change |  |  |
| uth<br>s                       | Building        | \$45.00  | \$45.00  | 0.0%     |  |  |
| Klamath<br>Falls               | Incidental      | \$345.00 | \$360.00 | 4.3%     |  |  |
|                                | Health Services | \$150.00 | \$165.00 | 10.0%    |  |  |
| rille                          | Building        | \$45.00  | \$45.00  | 0.0%     |  |  |
| Wilsonville                    | Incidental      | \$50.00  | \$50.00  | 0.0%     |  |  |
| Wil                            | Health Services | \$38.00  | \$38.00  | 0.0%     |  |  |



## Questions

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