

COST SHEET
Spring Semester 2007
Mexico Exchange Program - ITESM

	Resident Undergraduate	Non-Resident Undergraduate
Program Operations Fee¹ Spring 2007 (winter/spring terms)	\$4,000	\$8,000
Lodging and Meals Fee² (housing and food allowance)	\$2,600	\$2,600
Program Incidentals Fee³ (see inclusions below)	\$398	\$398
TOTAL	\$6,998	\$10,998

Additional expenses⁴ not covered by the program fees billed above :

Round-trip Airfare (estimated)	\$600
Books and Supplies	\$300
Personal Supplies (laundry, etc.)/local transportation	\$1,125
Immigration Fees in Mexico	\$100
Oregon campus surcharge (\$250-\$300/term) ⁵	\$250-300
TOTAL	\$2,375-\$2,425

¹ **The program operations fee** is charged in lieu of OUS campus tuition. Students will receive credit from their home institution as though they paid regular tuition. This fee also includes the basic administrative and salary expenses. The program operations fee is kept as close to regular tuition and fees as possible.

² **The lodging and meals fee** is based on estimates from the ITESM. The amount charged here is returned, in full by semester, to the student prior to departure to ensure that he/she has adequate funds to cover housing costs upon arrival since financial aid cannot be released until the beginning of each term in Oregon. The amount provided here is an average amount – **your housing costs may be higher or lower than this amount.**

³ **The program incidentals fee** includes institutional administration, orientation, insurance, etc.

⁴ **The additional expenses** illustrate the amounts you should plan for each of the categories noted. These are estimates and are based upon average figures provided by past participants and by the host institutions. They are dependent upon your individual habits, requirements, and needs. Fluctuations in the rate of exchange, the economic climate in the host country, and unforeseen expenses can all deplete your money supply more quickly than you may expect. Budget for contingencies.

⁵ **The campus surcharge** is charged by each OUS campus. It will be in the range of \$250 - \$300 per term.

Every attempt will be made by the OUS International Programs Office to maintain costs at projected amounts.