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## Undergraduate Programs 2008-2009

The following are **estimated** expenses for a single international student:

**Tuition and Fees:**

	1 Semester (4 months)	1 Academic Year (8 months)
Tuition <sup>3</sup>	\$11,475	\$22,950
Student Body Fees	126	252

**Other Expenses:**

	1 Semester (4 months)	1 Academic Year (8 months)
Personal Needs	400	800
Books and Supplies	300	600
Room and Food <sup>4</sup>	3,400	6,800
Health Insurance	<u>820</u>	<u>820</u>
Total Cost	<b>\$16,521</b>	<b>\$32,222</b>
Summer Living Cost		<u>1,700 (May - Aug)</u>
Cost with summer		<b>\$33,922</b>

\* The total in **bold** must be accounted for in order to obtain an I-20. A **married student** should add about \$3,000 for a non-student spouse and \$3,000 for each child (this includes health insurance costs for a spouse and child which are significantly higher than \$820).

Too expensive?? **We can help!**

<sup>3</sup> Will increase yearly

<sup>4</sup> Cost for an on-campus room and continuous cafeteria access pass

## \$\$ Scholarship Information \$\$

**We understand** that funding your education can be challenging. We will do everything we can to make it possible for you to attend!

**Financial Aid is available to students who have applied and been accepted** into the undergraduate program. Because financial assistance from the U.S. government is not available to international students, other funding is available through Fresno Pacific University. The International Office will work together with you and your Financial Aid Counselor to create a personal financial aid package. Financial Aid packages are specially designed for each individual student according to the information provided in section C of the undergraduate application and the Affidavit of Sponsorship.

### 1. Institutional scholarships per year

#### Performance Scholarships

- Music (\$250+. Must audition or send cassette to the Music Department)
- Athletic (\$1,000+. Must tryout or send video tape)
- Academic Scholarships (based on incoming GPA)

*Students may receive **one** of the following:*

- Leadership Scholarships
  - President's (\$8,500; freshmen only; special requirements apply)
  - Provost's (\$7,000; transfers only; special requirements apply)
- Dean's Scholarship (\$6,000)
- Faculty Scholarship (\$5,000)
- International Student Scholarship (\$500 - \$6,000)
- Church Match (up to \$1,500 depending on church contribution)
- Mennonite Brethren Scholarship - for students from MB churches only (\$8,000; may not be combined with other scholarships)
- Child of a Minister Scholarship (\$1,000)
- Other (\$500 - \$1,500)

Students will be considered for all scholarships for which they are eligible.

**Tax on Scholarships** – Dependent upon the amount of scholarship money an international student receives, students may be assessed a tax on that scholarship amount. The amount of this tax is based on the treaty between their home country and the United States and is a percent of their award which exceeds FPU's cost of tuition. This amount is calculated and will be posted to each student's account. Each international student is **personally** responsible for this amount as it cannot be paid for with any University funds.

### 2. Sponsors

Many international students find sponsors through their own personal contacts and/or various organizations to help fund their tuition and living expenses. We encourage you to look for financial sources such as these.

### 3. On-campus work

All students are encouraged to find work on campus. International students who want to work are permitted by the U.S. government to work only for Fresno Pacific. International students may work 20 hours per week when school is in session, and 40 hours per week during vacations, including summer. Several international students work for various university offices while others work in food service or maintenance. Most students start at minimum wage (about \$7.50 per hour).