

# Catalog Insert B – Tuition, Books, and Fees

#### TUITION, BOOKS, AND FEES

The following Tuition and Fee charges are per semester for the academic year; the tuition and fees are subject to annual review and ECPI reserves the right to make changes in tuition, fees, and curriculum. Per ECPI University's **Fixed Tuition Pledge**, students who remain continuously enrolled or meet the qualifications outlined in the readmission procedures, will have their tuition rates locked in at the rate upon enrollment until they graduate. Program changes or additional programs will be subject to any tuition rate changes and then locked for that program. External benefits, such as those available through the Veterans Administration and employer reimbursement can be utilized in conjunction with the Fixed Tuition Pledge. The Fixed Tuition Pledge applies to the tuition charges and includes the Learning Resource Fee.

UNDERGRADUATE*  Status	Credits hours	Computer & Info. Science Electronics Engineering Mechanical Engineering Surgical Technology	BS Nursing Diagnostic Medical Sonography Physical Therapist Assist Medical Radiography Practical Nursing	Criminal Justice Dental Assisting Health Information Manage. Massage Therapy Medical Assisting	Business Healthcare Admin.
Full Time <sup>1</sup>	(12-18 credits)	\$7,488	\$8,964	\$6,480	\$7,128
Three-Quarter Time	(9-11 credits)	\$5,616	\$6,723	\$4,860	\$5,346
Half-Time	(6-8 credits)	\$3,744	\$4,482	\$3,240	\$3,564
Quarter-time	(1-5 credits)	\$1,872	\$2,241	\$1,620	\$1,782
		AAS Emergency Medical Services	AAS Nursing	Culinary Arts (AAS or diploma) Culinary Arts and Applied Nutrition(AAS) Baking and Pastry Arts (AAS or diploma)	BS Food Service Management
Full Time	(12-18 credits)	\$4,932	\$9,900	\$7,488	\$4,896
Three-Quarter Time	(9-11 credits)	\$3,699	\$7,425	\$5,616	\$3,672
Half-Time	(6-8 credits)	\$2,466	\$4,950	\$3,744	\$2,448
Quarter-time	(1-5 credits)	\$1,233	\$2,475	\$1,872	\$1,224

<sup>\*</sup>Programs offered at the Northern Virginia campus are an additional \$228 per semester

To complete the program requirements in a timely manner, students must carry a minimum load of 12 semester credit hours and a maximum of 18 semester credit hours per semester. This course load is considered full time. Students who take an academic overload consisting of more than two courses in a term may reduce their eligibility for financial aid assistance in future semesters, which may result in greater out-of-pocket expenses. There will be an additional charge in the semester that an overload is taken if the student takes more than 18 credits. Therefore, each student is responsible for checking with the Financial Aid office to determine the impact of schedule changes.

Overload tuition charge calculation: Semester cost / 18 = per credit cost x the number of credits over 18 credits

### Veterans and Active Duty

Students who are receiving benefits under the Veteran's Administration or Military Tuition Assistance programs are charged per credit hour. This is calculated by dividing the above Full Time tuition by 12 credits, and billed up to a maximum of 12 credits in a semester so to not exceed the maximum Full Time Semester charge. Students who attend a Semester at a less than Full Time rate are charged the Semester rate divided by the minimum number of credits applicable for that enrollment status [nine (9) for Three-Quarter time, six (6) for Half Time, three (3) for Quarter time]. The charge per credit amount is the same and will not exceed the maximum charge for that semester based on enrollment status with the exception that overload charges will apply as indicated above. Please see the VA/TA coordinator for assistance with these benefits.

## OTHER FEES (all students - required)

Application Fee, one-time non-refundable fee
 Registration Fee
 Background Check Fee, applicable programs
 High School, GED or College Transcript Request
 Learning Resource Fee<sup>2</sup>, per semester (includes sales tax)
 Includes electronic textbooks, equipment, learning platforms and mobile computer device with damage insurance.

#### OTHER FEES (medical programs - required)

Drug Screening
 Massage table (Massage Therapy students only)
 As required by states or campuses/price varies
 \$100

• NCLEX Review Course, nursing programs \$50

• Physical Exam/ Shots/PPD variable by location and insurance

AAS Nursing, PTA, and DMS prerequisite/individual subject courses (PN at Charlotte campus) \$200/each\*

\*Tuition charges for the first attempt at an AAS Nursing and AAS DMS pre-requisite course will be waived once a student is accepted into the program and continues beyond the trial period.

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#### OTHER FEES (culinary programs - required)

AAS or Diploma in Culinary Arts or Baking and Pastry Arts: Kitchen Uniform Fee, non-refundable fee of \$100 due prior to start of courses.

Dining Room Uniform

including white shirt, tie and black pants (approximately \$50)

Stationery suppliesWork shoes: one pair

including miscellaneous computer supplies (approximately \$8/month)

(approximately \$40)

\$100

#### OTHER FEES (all students - optional)

Change of Program Fee \$10

Course Challenge Fee, per subject area
 \$275 (\$200 refunded if credit is not awarded)

Licensing/Certification Exam Fees, per exam, first attempt only (technical programs)

• Licensing/Certification Exam Fees, per exam, first attempt only (medical programs) 25% of certification costs

Re-entry Fee

• Schedule Change Fee, per change \$25

Transcript Fee, per copy
 \$5 for normal processing and \$10 for urgent handling

#### **TUITION** (graduate students)

GRADUATE				
GRADUATE		Master of Science in Information Systems		
		Master of Science in Cyber Security		
		Master of Business Administration		
		Master of Science in Nursing		Total Tuition for the
Status	Credits hours	Per semester	Per credit	program
Full Time <sup>1</sup>	(9 credits)	\$6,480	\$720	\$25,920

Learning Resource Fee<sup>2</sup> per semester (includes sales tax)

\$240 Includes electronic textbooks, equipment, learning platforms and mobile computing device with damage insurance

#### **OTHER FEES (graduate students)**

• Application Fee \$50 Non-refundable, one-time charge

Transcript Fee, per copy \$5 for normal processing and \$10 for urgent handling

Certification Fee \$15 per certification (limit two)
Preparatory/Foundational Course(s) \$395 per credit, after review by

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required to take one or more foundational courses

MBA Fast Track course(s) \$100 per course

Master's Preparatory course(s) are billed at the undergraduate Learning Resource Fee rate.

#### TUITION (Accelerated Bachelor of Science Nursing students/Orlando campus)

Accelerated Bachelor of Science	e		
Nursing			
			T-4-1 E-4:4-4
			Total Estimated
	Credits to be		Tuition for the
Status	completed	Per credit hour	program
Full Time <sup>1</sup>	75	\$560	\$42,000.00

### OTHER FEES (Accelerated Bachelor of Science Nursing program)

Application Fee

\$50 Non-refundable, one-time charge

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All students attend ECPI on a full time basis, unless an exception is approved by a campus official.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As a result of the ECPI University GREEN commitment and to provide the best value in education resources, ECPI University has implemented textbook recycling and extensive use of electronic textbooks. Students may be allowed to keep textbooks for their core courses and required concentration courses, or retain the electronic version for an extended period when an e-book is utilized. All other textbooks are available for purchase at cost, if desired. Most courses have online resources available, and many courses utilize mobile computing technology. If a mobile device is unintentionally damaged and not lost/stolen, it may be repaired one time while enrolled at ECPI without additional charge. Additional incidents or loss will incur actual repair or replacement cost. Students will be charged for any learning resources not returned within two weeks of when a return is required. A STUDENT MAY OPT OUT OF THE LEARNING RESOURCE FEE AND ACQUIRE TEXTBOOKS AND OTHER LEARNING RESOURCES ON THEIR OWN. While this fee allows students to take advantage of heavily discounted and subsidized learning resources, including use of textbooks that ECPI University has arranged with publishers below market rates and available to you at the start of each term, federal regulations require that you be allowed to acquire books and supplies from other sources. Please notify the financial assistance department by the seventh day of classes if you wish to opt out of this fee, or the method in which these resources are provided, and acquire all learning resources and textbooks on your own. This fee will be pro-rated for persons scheduled for only a portion of a semester.