

FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

Cost of Graduate Programmes

Graduate programmes are considered in two categories.

- 1) Programmes funded by the University Grants Committee (*referred to as UGC-funded*), and
- 2) Programmes which not UGC-funded (*referred to as Self-Financed*).

Fees Payable for UGC-Funded Programmes

The cost of a UGC-funded graduate degree programme comprises an **Economic Cost**, a **Tuition Fee** and **University Fees**. *Sponsorship* of a student refers to a situation in which the **Economic Cost**, and in some cases the **Tuition Fee**, is paid to the University on behalf of the student by a third party. All fees are set by University Council and revised annually.

Contributing Countries are those which contribute to the recurrent budget of the University of the West Indies. These are listed in **Table 1**. Sponsorship of citizens of Contributing Countries by their Governments for graduate degree programmes is dependent on the policy of the individual Government.

* UGC fees quoted for citizens of Contributing Countries (*except the three Campus Countries - Barbados, Jamaica and Trinidad & Tobago*) include a discount of 40% of the Economic Cost.

Schedule VI gives the list of UGC-funded programmes while fees for these programmes are shown in **Schedule V**.

Students from Caribbean Countries not listed as Contributing countries, International students, and students from Contributing countries who are not sponsored are responsible for the full payment of their programme fees.

Table 1 - Contributing Countries of the University of the West Indies

Anguilla	Antigua & Barbuda	Barbados
Belize	British Virgin Islands	Dominica
Grenada	Jamaica	Montserrat
St Kitts/Nevis	St Lucia	St Vincent & the Grenadines
The Bahamas	The Cayman Islands	Trinidad & Tobago

All students are required to pay the **University Fees (Guild Fee and Amenities Fee)** – annually until their degree has been awarded. The **ID card fee** is billed on first registration.

Fees Payable for Self-Financed Programmes

Schedule VII shows the list, cost and credits of Self-Financed programmes.

Special Student Categories

Students who wish to **read courses outside a degree programme** are referred to as **Specially Admitted Students**. Fees for reading courses in **UGC-funded** programmes are shown in **Schedule I**. Fees for Specially Admitted students in **Self-Financed** programmes are outlined in the notes to **Schedule VII**

Students who wish to **audit courses** in **UGC-funded** programmes without being examined are referred to as **Occasional Students**. The fees for auditing courses are shown in **Schedule II**.

Administrative fees for students who have been given permission to register for **Examinations Only** in a course which they have previously failed are shown in **Schedule II**.

Persons registered with other Universities pursuing courses in **UGC-funded** programmes at the U.W.I. are termed **Study Abroad Students**. The fees for these students are given in **Schedule III**.

Living and Other Expenses

- Living expenses are provided in **Schedule VIII**.
- Students who do not reside in Barbados should make provision for the cost of a return airfare and allocate approximately Bds\$500.00 to meet their “settling-in” expenses in Barbados.
- Scholarship, Bursary and other award holders are advised to travel with enough money to cover the cost of at least one month’s expenses pending receipt of their emoluments.
- Graduate students are **strongly encouraged** to make provision for the purchase of a **laptop computer**.
- Provision should be made for the production of Research Papers and Theses estimated as follows: An examination fee may also apply – see **SCHEDULE IV**.

Research Papers: BDS \$500.00 - \$600.00
Theses: BDS \$800.00 - \$1,000.00

**SCHEDULE I
FEES FOR SPECIALLY ADMITTED STUDENTS 2008-2009
(QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)**

FACULTY	STUDENTS FROM CONTRIBUTING COUNTRIES (per credit cost)	ALL OTHER STUDENTS (per credit cost)
Pure & Applied Sciences	245	1,201
Humanities & Education	245	1,201
Social Sciences	245	1,201
Law	393	1,923
Medical Sciences	741	3,628

- *Specially Admitted* students are allowed to attend classes and write examinations.

**SCHEDULE II
FEES FOR EXAMINATIONS ONLY
AND OCCASIONAL STUDENTS 2008-2009
(QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)**

FACULTY	PER CREDIT COST
Pure & Applied Sciences	123
Humanities & Education	123
Social Sciences	123
Law	196
Medical Sciences	370

- *Occasional students* are **not** permitted to write examinations.
- *Examinations Only students* are permitted to resubmit coursework/project or write examinations but are not allowed to attend classes.

**SCHEDULE III
TUITION AND EXAMINATION FEES FOR
'STUDY ABROAD' STUDENTS 2008-2009
(QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)**

FACULTY	Students under agreements initiated by the UWI	Students under agreements initiated by other Universities	Students enrolling on their own initiative
Pure & Applied Sciences	9,165	13,747	27,494
Humanities & Education	9,165	13,747	27,494
Social Sciences	9,165	13,747	27,494
Law	14,680	22,020	44,040
Medical Sciences	27,697	41,545	83,090

**SCHEDULE IV
EXAMINATION FEES FOR THESES AND RESEARCH PAPERS
(QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)**

TYPE OF THESIS/RESEARCH PAPER	FEE BDS \$
LL.M./M.A./M.Ed./M.Sc†	50.00
M.Phil Thesis	100.00
Ph.D./DM Thesis	150.00

† Note that a Fee is not applicable to all Research Papers submitted for M.Sc programmes. Students should confirm with the School for Graduate Studies and Research whether their programme attracts this fee.

SCHEDULE V
TUITION FEES, ECONOMIC COSTS AND UNIVERSITY FEES FOR UGC-FUNDED PROGRAMMES 2008-2009
(QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)

	TUITION FEES	+ ECONOMIC COST		+ UNIVERSITY FEES			= TOTAL FEES AND COSTS 2008-2009	
		Citizens of Anguilla, Antigua & Barbuda, Belize, British Virgin Islands, Dominica, Grenada, Montserrat, St Kitts/Nevis, St Lucia, St Vincent & the Grenadines, The Bahamas, The Cayman Islands	Citizens of all other countries	Guild Fees (annual fee)	Amenities Fees (annual fee)	ID Card Fee (first semester only)	Citizens of Anguilla, Antigua & Barbuda, Belize, British Virgin Islands, Dominica, Grenada, Montserrat, St Kitts/Nevis, St Lucia, St Vincent & the Grenadines, The Bahamas, The Cayman Islands	Citizens of all other countries
FACULTY	Full-time	Full-time	Full-time	** PAYABLE BY ALL STUDENTS **			Full-time	Full-time
Pure & Applied Sciences	5,499	9,165	27,494	120	700	25	15,509	33,838
Humanities & Education	5,499	9,165	27,494	120	700	25	15,509	33,838
Social Sciences	5,499	9,165	27,494	120	700	25	15,509	33,838
Law	8,808	14,680	44,040	120	700	25	24,333	53,693
Medical Sciences	16,618	27,697	83,090	120	700	25	45,160	100,553

Notes

1. Students admitted as **part-time** will pay half of the Tuition Fee and Economic Cost indicated here each year. Students who are working for more than 12 hours a week are **not** permitted to register as full-time.
2. **Part-time** refers to the course-load undertaken.
3. All students pay amenities and guild fees annually. The ID card fee is paid on first registration only.
4. Persons whose programmes last more than one (1) year should note that fees quoted are for the academic year 2008-2009 and are revised annually.

SCHEDULE VI
LIST OF UGC-FUNDED PROGRAMMES 2008-2009

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES & EDUCATION
MA, MPhil, PhD Cultural Studies
MA, MPhil, PhD French Language & African & Caribbean Literatures in French
MA Heritage Studies
MA, MPhil, PhD History
MA, MPhil, PhD Linguistics
MA Post-Colonial Literatures in English
MPhil, PhD Literatures in English
MA, MPhil, PhD Spanish Language & Literature
Master, MPhil, PhD of Education
FACULTY OF LAW
Diploma, LLM Legislative Drafting
PhD Law
FACULTY OF MEDICAL SCIENCES
MPhil and PhD in Medical Microbiology and Epidemiology
FACULTY OF PURE & APPLIED SCIENCES
MSc Natural Resource and Environmental Management
MPhil, PhD in Biology, Biochemistry, Chemistry, Computer Science, Ecology, Electronics, Environmental Studies, Hydrogeology, Mathematics, Meteorology, Microbiology, Natural Resource Management and Physics.
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
MSc Project Management and Evaluation
MSc Financial and Business Economics
MPhil, PhD in Economics, Management Studies, Political Science, Social Work and Sociology
CENTRE FOR GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES
MPhil, PhD in Gender and Development Studies

SCHEDULE VII
COST AND CREDITS FOR SELF-FINANCED PROGRAMMES 2008-2009
(QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)

PROGRAMME	COST	CREDITS	COMPONENTS (credits per component)
SOCIAL SCIENCES			
Master of Social Work	20,000	39	9 taught courses (3) Practicum (9) Research Project (3)
MSc Applied Psychology	20,000	39	8 taught courses (3) Practicum (9) Research paper (6)
MSc Banking & Finance	25,000	45	10 taught courses (3) Practicum (9) Research paper (6)
MSc Counselling Psychology	20,000	39	8 taught courses (3) Practicum (9) Research paper (6)
MSc Cricket Studies	20,000	39	8 taught courses (3) Practicum (6) Research Project (9)
MSc E-Governance for Developing States	25,000	39	8 taught courses (3) Practicum (6) Research paper (9)
MSc Integration Studies	20,000	42	9 taught courses (3) Practicum (9) Research paper (6)
MSc International Management	28,800 (see note 2)	45	3 workshops (1) 12 taught courses (3) Internship/Research Project (6)
MSc International Trade Policy ** FULL-TIME ONLY **	28,000	45	13 taught courses (3) Practicum (6) (see note 3)
MSc Labour & Employment Relations	20,000	39	8 taught courses (3) 1 workshop (6) Practicum (9) or Research Project (9)
MSc Tourism & Hospitality Management	25,000	45	13 taught courses (3) Final Project (Internship/Research paper) (6)
MPhil in Governance and Public Policy, Social Policy and Economic Development Policy	5,000 (per year fulltime)	n/a	3 courses (3) Thesis
PhD in Governance and Public Policy, Social Policy and Economic Development Policy	4,000 (per year fulltime)	n/a	3 courses (3) Thesis

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COST AND CREDITS FOR SELF-FINANCED PROGRAMMES 2008-2009
 (cont'd)
 (QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)

PROGRAMME	COST	CREDITS	COMPONENTS (credits)
PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCES			
M. Sc Electronic Commerce *	25,000	40	8 taught courses (4) Project Internship (8)
LAW			
LLM Public Law	20,000	35	4 taught courses (5) Research Paper (15) (see note 4)
LLM Corporate and Commercial Law	20,000	35	4 taught courses (5) Research Paper (15) (see note 4)
MEDICAL SCIENCES			
Diploma in Family Medicine	7,000 (per year)	n/a	12 modules (see note 6)
M.Sc. in Family Medicine	5,000 (per year)	n/a	16 modules (see note 6)
Diploma in Public Health	10,500	21	5 modules Project (8)
Master in Public Health	20,000	40	17 courses Research Paper (4)

Other self-financed programmes are:

- The Masters in International Event Management, Master in Business Administration, International Masters in Business Administration and the Doctor of Business Administration programmes are offered by the **Cave Hill School of Business (CHSB)**. Contact CHSB at 424-7731 for details of financial arrangements.
- Master of Arts, MPhil and PhD in Theology. Persons wishing to undertake these programmes should contact **Codrington College** at 423-1141 for details of financial arrangements.
- Students wishing to undertake DM programmes in the **Faculty of Medical Sciences** should contact the Faculty at 429-5112 for details of financial arrangements.

Notes to Schedule VII:

1. Fees for **Self-Financed** programmes are charged on a per-credit basis. The per-credit cost is calculated by dividing the programme cost by the number of credits in the programme and multiplying by the number of credits in the particular component (course/research paper/practicum) being taken.

 e.g. A student taking 3-credit courses in the Master of Social Work programme would be billed:
 $\$20,000 \text{ (cost)} / 39 \text{ (total credits)} * 3 \text{ (credits per course)}$
 $= \$1,538.46 \text{ per course.}$

 The 9-credit practicum would be billed at:
 $\$20,000 / 39 * 9 = \$ 4,615.38$
2. All persons undertaking the **M.Sc. International Management** programme must make allowance for pre-programme costs as follows:

Intensive Management	BDS \$1,200
Intensive Language	BDS \$1,500
3. The programme fee for the **M.Sc. International Trade Policy** programme is payable in full at the start of the programme. Persons undertaking this programme must also make an additional allowance of BDS \$5,000 for the one-month overseas attachment that forms an integral part of their programme.
4. All part-time students in the **Faculty of Law** pay BDS\$5,000 per written course. No additional programme fees are billed for the research paper.
5. Students in **Self-Financed** programmes who have failed a course outright and are required by the Board of Examiners to re-take that course, must register and pay the full per-credit cost of the course again.
6. The MPhil and PhD in Governance and Public Policy, Social Policy, Economic Development Policy, the Diploma in Family Medicine and the MSc. in Family Medicine programmes are billed annually until the degree has been awarded.

SCHEDULE VIII
LIVING EXPENSES 2008-2009
(QUOTED IN BARBADOS DOLLARS - BDS\$)

ACCOMMODATION		Type		
- ON CAMPUS	Single	Double	Two Bedroom	
Worrell Hall				
Semester 1	\$1,534	n/a	n/a	
Semester 2	\$1,599	n/a	n/a	
Sherlock Hall				
Semester 1	\$1,534	\$944 per person	\$2,124 per person	
Semester 2	\$1,599	\$984 per person	\$2,214 per person	
* - OFF CAMPUS	Studio	One bedroom	Three Bedroom	
Monthly	\$700 per person	\$800 per person	\$600 per person	
* OTHER EXPENSES				
Meals	\$45.00 - \$50.00 per day			
Books and Incidental Expenses	\$3,000.00 per academic year			

On-campus accommodation is calculated for Semester I from August 24 – December 19, 2008 and for Semester II from January 25 – May 15, 2009.

Arrangements can be made for students wishing to be in residence before the start of Semester 1, during the Christmas break and/or during the summer. Applications must be made to the Halls Administrator as early as possible for accommodation in these periods.

Note that the living expenses for Semester I & II above do **not** include the Christmas break.

** Note that these figures are estimates based on current market prices and are therefore subject to change.*