

2024-25 Tuition Proposal Requirements

All tuition and fee proposals submitted to the *Tuition and Fee Advisory Board* must include the following components:

1. Tuition Increase or Differential Tuition.

Required

Please calculate the increase:

Law JD

— Academic Year Graduate Differential Tuition Rates

	Resident	Nonresident
Percentage Increase in the per Credit Rate:	5.0%	5.0%

Credits	2023-24 Tuition		Proposed 2024-25 Tuition		Pct Increase	
	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident
1	\$2,427	\$3,056	\$2,548	\$3,209	5.0%	5.0%
2	\$4,854	\$6,112	\$5,096	\$6,418	5.0%	5.0%
3	\$7,281	\$9,168	\$7,644	\$9,627	5.0%	5.0%
4	\$9,708	\$12,224	\$10,192	\$12,836	5.0%	5.0%
5	\$12,135	\$15,280	\$12,740	\$16,045	5.0%	5.0%
6	\$14,562	\$18,336	\$15,288	\$19,254	5.0%	5.0%
7	\$16,989	\$21,392	\$17,836	\$22,463	5.0%	5.0%
8	\$19,416	\$24,448	\$20,384	\$25,672	5.0%	5.0%
9	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
10	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
11	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
12	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
13	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
14	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
15	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
16	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
17	\$21,843	\$27,504	\$22,932	\$28,881	5.0%	5.0%
18	\$24,270	\$30,560	\$25,480	\$32,090	5.0%	5.0%
Each Add'l Credit	\$2,427	\$3,056	\$2,548	\$3,209	5.0%	5.0%

Current Front Load	\$0	\$0	New Front Load	\$0	\$0

Law JD

— *Academic Year*

<p>2. <i>Student Involvement</i>. Affected students will be advised through their student organizations of all planned tuition and fee initiatives before proposals are submitted to the <i>Tuition and Fee Review Board</i> . The applicable Vice-President or Dean is responsible for including a description of the student consultation process and outcome, reflecting support and/or objections. The requirement applies to all proposals except those exempted by prior agreement or where an alternative process exists.</p>	<u>Required</u>
<p><i>Please describe the consultation process:</i></p>	
<p>After a full review of key competitor tuition rates, the Dean determined that in order to maintain program quality, cover rising operational costs, and continue to invest in the success of the students, she must recommend a 5% tuition increase for the JD program. This was presented to the Dean's Student Advisory Council (DSAC) at the October 24, 2023 meeting. The DSAC is comprised of elected and appointed student leaders from all three programs - the JD, LLM, and the CRES Masters program, and is the body with whom the Dean consults each year about tuition, among other things.</p>	

<p>3. <i>Peer Analysis</i> . For other program-specific initiatives, indicate where the proposed tuition or fee increase will put the institution in comparison with similar programs in the tuition peer group and/or typical competitors for such programs.</p>	<u>Required</u>
<p><i>Please provide comparisons:</i></p>	
<p>A 5% tuition increase for our JD program positions the law school at mid tuition range compared to peer institutions. This comparison includes the law schools at Seattle University, Lewis and Clark College, Willamette University, University of Washington, University of Colorado, and Gonzaga University, in addition to several others. There is no way to know what these peer institutions will do with their tuition models for the next academic year. We are also not aware of any of competitors schools covering the cost of the bar prep course for each of its graduates as we do which is a competitive advantage.</p>	

<p>4. <i>Cost of Instruction</i> . If you are asking for more than a 3% increase, please provide an explanation for why this necessary.</p>	<u>Required</u>
<p><i>Please provide explanation:</i></p>	
<p>Based on our competitive tuition analysis, a 5% tuition increase will still keep us in the mid tuition range compared to peer institutions. This increase is necessary in order to maintain the quality of the program and invest in resources that will improve the academic success of the JD students.</p>	

<p>5. <i>Expected Resulting Revenue</i> . Provide estimates for the first year of the program, based on increase over current rates; if it is a phased multi-year initiative, make a projection over the life of the program, cumulating prior year increases.</p>	<u>Optional</u>
<p><i>Please provide estimates:</i></p>	

2024-25 Tuition Proposal Requirements

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Law Conflict Resolution

— Academic Year Graduate Differential Tuition Rates

	Resident	Nonresident
Percentage Increase in the per Credit Rate:	5.0%	5.0%

Credits	2023-24 Tuition		Proposed 2024-25 Tuition		Pct Increase	
	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident
1	\$963	\$1,300	\$1,011	\$1,365	5.0%	5.0%
2	\$1,926	\$2,600	\$2,022	\$2,730	5.0%	5.0%
3	\$2,889	\$3,900	\$3,033	\$4,095	5.0%	5.0%
4	\$3,852	\$5,200	\$4,044	\$5,460	5.0%	5.0%
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12	\$8,667	\$11,700	\$9,099	\$12,285	5.0%	5.0%
13	\$8,667	\$11,700	\$9,099	\$12,285	5.0%	5.0%
14	\$8,667	\$11,700	\$9,099	\$12,285	5.0%	5.0%
15	\$8,667	\$11,700	\$9,099	\$12,285	5.0%	5.0%
16	\$8,667	\$11,700	\$9,099	\$12,285	5.0%	5.0%
17	\$9,630	\$13,000	\$10,110	\$13,650	5.0%	5.0%
18	\$10,593	\$14,300	\$11,121	\$15,015	5.0%	5.0%
Each Add'l Credit	\$963	\$1,300	\$1,011	\$1,365	5.0%	5.0%

Current Front Load	\$0	\$0	New Front Load	\$0	\$0

Law Conflict Resolution

— Academic Year

2. *Student Involvement*. Affected students will be advised through their student organizations of all planned tuition and fee initiatives before proposals are submitted to the *Tuition and Fee Review Board*. The applicable Vice-President or Dean is responsible for including a description of the student consultation process and outcome, reflecting support and/or objections. The requirement applies to all proposals except those exempted by prior agreement or where an alternative process exists.

Required

Please describe the consultation process:

As described in the Law JD tuition proposal, after a full review of key competitor tuition rates, the Dean determined that in order to maintain program quality, cover rising operational costs, and continue to invest in the success of the students, she must recommend a 5% tuition increase for the CRES program. This was presented to the Dean's Student Advisory Council (DSAC) at the October 24, 2023 meeting. The DSAC is comprised of elected and appointed student leaders from all three programs - the JD, LLM, and the CRES Masters program, and is the body with whom the Dean consults each year about tuition, among other things.

3. *Peer Analysis*. For other program-specific initiatives, indicate where the proposed tuition or fee increase will put the institution in comparison with similar programs in the tuition peer group and/or typical competitors for such programs.

Required

Please provide comparisons:

A 5% tuition increase for our CRES program positions the law school at the middle to upper range compared to tuition at public institutions with similar programs, and at the low end compared to programs at private institutions. There is a significant range within these comparison groups, and it includes six schools. We do not know what these schools will do with tuition for the next academic year as yet, and we do not have information regarding scholarship levels.

4. *Cost of Instruction*. If you are asking for more than a 3% increase, please provide an explanation for why this is necessary.

Required

Please provide explanation:

Based on our competitive tuition analysis, a 5% tuition increase will still keep us in the middle range compared to tuition at peer institutions. This increase is necessary in order to maintain the quality of our program and invest in resources that will improve the academic success of our students and our ability to recruit the next cohort.

5. *Expected Resulting Revenue*. Provide estimates for the first year of the program, based on increase over current rates; if it is a phased multi-year initiative, make a projection over the life of the program, cumulating prior year increases.

Optional

Please provide estimates:

2024-25 Tuition Proposal Requirements

All tuition and fee proposals submitted to the *Tuition and Fee Advisory Board* must include the following components:

1. *Tuition Increase or Differential Tuition.*

Required

Please calculate the increase:

Law LLM

— Academic Year Graduate Differential Tuition Rates

	Resident	Nonresident
Percentage Increase in the per Credit Rate:	8.4%	8.4%

Credits	2023-24 Tuition		Proposed 2024-25 Tuition		Pct Increase	
	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident
1	\$2,959	\$2,959	\$3,209	\$3,209	8.4%	8.4%
2	\$5,918	\$5,918	\$6,418	\$6,418	8.4%	8.4%
3	\$8,877	\$8,877	\$9,627	\$9,627	8.4%	8.4%
4	\$11,836	\$11,836	\$12,836	\$12,836	8.4%	8.4%
5	\$14,795	\$14,795	\$16,045	\$16,045	8.4%	8.4%
6	\$17,754	\$17,754	\$19,254	\$19,254	8.4%	8.4%
7	\$20,713	\$20,713	\$22,463	\$22,463	8.4%	8.4%
8	\$23,672	\$23,672	\$25,672	\$25,672	8.4%	8.4%
9	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
10	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
11	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
12	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
13	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
14	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
15	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
16	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
17	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
18	\$29,590	\$29,590	\$32,090	\$32,090	8.4%	8.4%
<i>Each Add'l Credit</i>	\$2,959	\$2,959	\$3,209	\$3,209	8.4%	8.4%

Current Front Load	\$0	\$0	New Front Load	\$0	\$0

Law LLM

— Academic Year

2. *Student Involvement*. Affected students will be advised through their student organizations of all planned tuition and fee initiatives before proposals are submitted to the *Tuition and Fee Review Board*. The applicable Vice-President or Dean is responsible for including a description of the student consultation process and outcome, reflecting support and/or objections. The requirement applies to all proposals except those exempted by prior agreement or where an alternative process exists. **Required**

Please describe the consultation process:

As described in the Law JD tuition proposal, after a full review of key competitor tuition rates, the Dean determined that in order to maintain program quality, cover rising operational costs, and continue to invest in the success of the students, she recommends aligning the LLM tuition (resident and non-resident are the same) with the JD non-resident tuition. This will mean an 8.4% tuition increase for the LLM program. At the Dean's Student Advisory Council (DSAC) on October 24, 2023 meeting, we presented a 5% increase proposal. LLM students are generally in the degree program for only one year, so this typically impacts new students and recruitment more (though this is changing with additional electives being added). Given the small cohort impacted, we will discount the additional tuition increase above 5% (i.e., 3.4% increase) to align the JD non-resident and LLM tuition for already enrolled students. The Law School will submit merit scholarship/discounts of approximately \$1,833 for a full-time LLM student continuing the entire academic year 24-25 (if only fall 2024 \$916.50 for full time)).

The DSAC is comprised of elected and appointed student leaders from all three programs - the JD, LLM, and the CRES Masters program, and is the body with whom the Dean consults each year about tuition, among other things. Current LLM students are generally in the degree program for only one year, so this typically impacts new students and recruitment more (though this is changing with additional electives being added).

3. *Peer Analysis*. For other program-specific initiatives, indicate where the proposed tuition or fee increase will put the institution in comparison with similar programs in the tuition peer group and/or typical competitors for such programs. **Required**

Please provide comparisons:

A 8.4% tuition increase for our LLM program positions the law school at the mid to upper range compared to tuition at institutions with similar programs. We do not know what competitor schools will do with tuition for the next academic year as yet, and we do not have information regarding scholarship levels but we expect the trend of offering more scholarship dollars to continue next year.

4. *Cost of Instruction*. If you are asking for more than a 3% increase, please provide an explanation for why this is necessary. **Required**

Please provide explanation:

Based on our competitive tuition analysis, a 8.4% tuition increase will still keep us in the mid to upper range compared to tuition at peer institutions. This increase is necessary in order to maintain the quality of our program and invest in resources that will improve the academic success of our students.

5. *Expected Resulting Revenue*. Provide estimates for the first year of the program, based on increase over current rates; if it is a phased multi-year initiative, make a projection over the life of the program, cumulating prior year increases. **Optional**

Please provide estimates:

2024-25 Tuition Proposal Requirements

All tuition and fee proposals submitted to the *Tuition and Fee Advisory Board* must include the following components:

1. Tuition Increase or Differential Tuition.

Required

Please calculate the increase:

Law JD

– Summer 2023 Graduate Differential Tuition Rates

	Resident	Nonresident
Percentage Increase in the per Credit Rate:	24.4%	43.8%

Credits	2023-24 Tuition		Proposed 2024-25 Tuition		Pct Increase	
	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident	Resident	Nonresident
1	\$2,048	\$2,231	\$2,548	\$3,209	24.4%	43.8%
2	\$4,096	\$4,462	\$5,096	\$6,418	24.4%	43.8%
3	\$6,144	\$6,693	\$7,644	\$9,627	24.4%	43.8%
4	\$8,192	\$8,924	\$10,192	\$12,836	24.4%	43.8%
5	\$10,240	\$11,155	\$12,740	\$16,045	24.4%	43.8%
6	\$12,288	\$13,386	\$15,288	\$19,254	24.4%	43.8%
7	\$14,336	\$15,617	\$17,836	\$22,463	24.4%	43.8%
8	\$16,384	\$17,848	\$20,384	\$25,672	24.4%	43.8%
9	\$18,432	\$20,079	\$22,932	\$28,881	24.4%	43.8%
10	\$20,480	\$22,310	\$25,480	\$32,090	24.4%	43.8%
11	\$22,528	\$24,541	\$28,028	\$35,299	24.4%	43.8%
12	\$24,576	\$26,772	\$30,576	\$38,508	24.4%	43.8%
13	\$26,624	\$29,003	\$33,124	\$41,717	24.4%	43.8%
14	\$28,672	\$31,234	\$35,672	\$44,926	24.4%	43.8%
15	\$30,720	\$33,465	\$38,220	\$48,135	24.4%	43.8%
16	\$32,768	\$35,696	\$40,768	\$51,344	24.4%	43.8%
17	\$34,816	\$37,927	\$43,316	\$54,553	24.4%	43.8%
18	\$36,864	\$40,158	\$45,864	\$57,762	24.4%	43.8%
Each Add'l Credit	\$2,048	\$2,231	\$2,548	\$3,209	24.4%	43.8%

Current Front Load	\$0	\$0	New Front Load	\$0	\$0

Law JD

— Summer 2023

2. *Student Involvement*. Affected students will be advised through their student organizations of all planned tuition and fee initiatives before proposals are submitted to the *Tuition and Fee Review Board*. The applicable Vice-President or Dean is responsible for including a description of the student consultation process and outcome, reflecting support and/or objections. The requirement applies to all proposals except those exempted by prior agreement or where an alternative process exists. **Required**

Please describe the consultation process:

JD summer tuition had fallen out of alignment with the academic year. This was not intentional. Therefore, we are submitting a proposal to bring the tuition schedule back in alignment. This is a significant one-year increase of 24.4% for residents and 43.8% for non-residents. To minimize the impact of this alignment on current students, only the proposed 5% increase will be applied to their summer tuition. The Law School will submit summer merit scholarship/discounts of \$397.95 per summer credit hour for resident JD students and \$866.25 per summer credit hour for non-resident students for continuing students in Summer 2025 (future across the board increase will still apply for Summer 2026, but rising 3Ls will still receive the lower summer rate). The rates above will apply to students admitted in Fall 2024 for Summer 2025.

3. *Peer Analysis*. For other program-specific initiatives, indicate where the proposed tuition or fee increase will put the institution in comparison with similar programs in the tuition peer group and/or typical competitors for such programs. **Required**

Please provide comparisons:

Please see Law - JD tab

4. *Cost of Instruction*. If you are asking for more than a 3% increase, please provide an explanation for why this necessary. **Required**

Please provide explanation:

Please see Law - JD tab

5. *Expected Resulting Revenue*. Provide estimates for the first year of the program, based on increase over current rates; if it is a phased multi-year initiative, make a projection over the life of the program, cumulating prior year increases. **Optional**

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Law Conflict Resolution

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13	\$12,519	\$16,900	\$13,143	\$17,745	5.0%	5.0%
14	\$13,482	\$18,200	\$14,154	\$19,110	5.0%	5.0%
15	\$14,445	\$19,500	\$15,165	\$20,475	5.0%	5.0%
16	\$15,408	\$20,800	\$16,176	\$21,840	5.0%	5.0%
17	\$16,371	\$22,100	\$17,187	\$23,205	5.0%	5.0%
18	\$17,334	\$23,400	\$18,198	\$24,570	5.0%	5.0%
Each Add'l Credit	\$963	\$1,300	\$1,011	\$1,365	5.0%	5.0%

Current Front Load	\$0	\$0	New Front Load	\$0	\$0

Law Conflict Resolution

— Summer 2023

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[Please see Law - Conflict Resolution tab](#)

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5	\$14,795	\$14,795	\$16,045	\$16,045	8.4%	8.4%
6	\$17,754	\$17,754	\$19,254	\$19,254	8.4%	8.4%
7	\$20,713	\$20,713	\$22,463	\$22,463	8.4%	8.4%
8	\$23,672	\$23,672	\$25,672	\$25,672	8.4%	8.4%
9	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
10	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
11	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
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15	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
16	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
17	\$26,631	\$26,631	\$28,881	\$28,881	8.4%	8.4%
18	\$29,590	\$29,590	\$32,090	\$32,090	8.4%	8.4%
Each Add'l Credit	\$2,959	\$2,959	\$3,209	\$3,209	8.4%	8.4%

Current Front Load	\$0	\$0	New Front Load	\$0	\$0

Law LLM

— *Summer 2023*

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Please describe the consultation process:

[Please see Law - LLM tab](#)

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Please provide comparisons:

[Please see Law - LLM tab](#)

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Please provide explanation:

[Please see Law - LLM tab](#)

5. *Expected Resulting Revenue*. Provide estimates for the first year of the program, based on increase over current rates; if it is a phased multi-year initiative, make a projection over the life of the program, cumulating prior year increases. **Optional**

Please provide estimates:

[Please see Law - LLM tab](#)