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### DATE: May 29, 2014

TO: Members of the Board of Regents

FROM: Jane S. Radue, Executive Director and Corporate Secretary  $\mathcal{TSR}$ 

#### PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

Meetings of the UW System Board of Regents and Committees, to be held at UW-Milwaukee Union, 2200 East Kenwood Boulevard, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211 on June 5 & 6, 2014

#### Thursday, June 5, 2014

8:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Research, Economic Development, and Innovation Committee – Wisconsin Room
8:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Capital Planning and Budget Committee – Ballroom West
10:15 - 11:45 a.m.	Education Committee – Wisconsin Room
10:15 - 11:45 a.m.	Business and Finance Committee – Ballroom West
11:45 a.m.	Lunch – Ballroom East
12:45 p.m. <u>All Re</u>	egents – Wisconsin Room
•	troduction of new Regents: President Falbo Regent José Delgado Regent Eve Hall Regent Nicolas Harsy Regent Anicka Purath
2. Ot	her Introductions: President Cross
	esolution of Appreciation for Regent Emeritus Gary Roberts' service on the bard of Regents

4. Resolution of Appreciation for Regent Emerita Tracy Hribar's service on the Board of Regents

- 5. Host-campus presentation by UW-Milwaukee Interim Chancellor Mark Mone: "Moving Forward Together: Strategic Directions for UWM"
- 6. President Cross's Introduction to the 2014-15 Annual Budget and 2015-17 Biennial Budget Discussions
- 7. *Presentation, Board Discussion, and Approval*: UW System 2014-15 Annual Operating Budget and Tuition and Fee Schedules [Resolution 7.]
- 8. *Presentation and Discussion*: UW System 2015-2017 Biennial Budget Update
- 9. *Presentation, Board Discussion, and Approval*: Recommendation on Financial Aid for the 2015-17 Biennium [Resolution 9.]
- 10. Closed session

Move into closed session to: (1) consider an amended compensation agreement for the UW-Madison head basketball coach, as permitted by s. 19.85(1)(c) and (e), *Wis. Stats.*; (2) review the appointment and consider the salary of a UW-Oshkosh interim chancellor, as permitted by s. 19.85(1)(f), *Wis. Stats.*; (3) consider a student request for review of a UW-Green Bay decision, as permitted by s. 19.85(1)(a) and (g); (4) confer with legal counsel regarding pending or potential litigation, as permitted by s. 19.85(1)(g), *Wis. Stats.*; (5) consider annual personnel evaluations, as permitted by s. 19.85(1)(c), Wis. Stats.; and (6) consider chancellors' and senior executives' compensation adjustments, as permitted by s. 19.85(1)(c), Wis. Stats.

#### **Friday, June 6, 2014**

8:30 a.m. <u>All Regents – Wisconsin Room</u>

The closed session agenda item may be considered during any recess in the regular meeting agenda on either Thursday or Friday and/or at 7:45 a.m. on Friday. The regular meeting will reconvene in open session following completion of the closed session.

Information about agenda items can be found at <u>http://www.uwsa.edu/bor/meetings.htm</u>

or may be obtained during the week of the meeting from Jane Radue, Executive Director, Office of the Board of Regents, 1860 Van Hise Hall, Madison, WI 53706, (608)262-2324. The meeting will be webcast at <u>http://www.uwex.edu/ics/stream/regents/meetings/</u> on Thursday, June 5, 2014, from approximately 12:45 p.m. p.m. until 4:00 p.m. and on Friday, June 6, 2014, from 8:30 a.m. until approximately noon.

2014-15 Operating Budget including Rates for Academic Tuition, Segregated Fees, Textbook Rental, and Room and Board; Academic Tuition Refund Policy and Schedule; Estimated Expenditures From Fund Balances; and Annual Distribution Adjustments

#### BOARD OF REGENTS

Resolution 7.

That, upon the recommendation of the President of the University of Wisconsin System, the 2014-15 operating budget be approved, including rates for academic tuition, segregated fees, room and board, and textbook rental; the tuition refund policy and schedule; the estimated expenditures from fund balances; and annual distribution adjustments as attached in the document, "2014-15 Operating Budget and Rate Schedules, June, 2014." The 2014-15 operating budget amounts are:

Fund		Percent	Planned
Source	2014-15	of Total	Use of
Category	Budget	Budget	Balances
GPR	\$1,178,197,283	19.3%	
Academic Tuition	\$1,348,961,629	22.1%	\$134,503,700
Subtotal	\$2,527,158,912	41.4%	\$134,503,700
Auxiliary Operations	\$698,110,006	11.5%	\$12,755,200
General Program Operations	\$250,670,103	4.1%	\$12,688,500
Subtotal	\$948,780,109	15.7%	\$25,443,700
Federal Indirect Cost Reimb.	\$149,147,917	2.4%	
Gift, Grants and Contracts	\$1,205,616,063	19.8%	
Other	\$1,267,167,861	20.8%	
Subtotal	\$2,621,931,841	43.0%	
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Total	\$6,097,870,862	100.0%	\$159,947,400

Agenda Item 7.



# 2014-15 Operating Budget and Rate Schedules

The University of Wisconsin System June, 2014

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# 2014-15 OPERATING BUDGET AND FEE SCHEDULES

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

#### **OVERVIEW**

#### Major Transition in Financial Planning

The UW System 2014-15 annual budget reflects dramatic changes in the way institutions have approached the annual budgeting process, and in the way budget information is presented to the Board of Regents. The 2014-15 budget represents the center of a major transition in which the UW System is:

- Routinely incorporating projected fund balance levels into its budget plans
- Routinely incorporating planned one-time expenditures into its operating budget
- Moving to a long-term financial planning model in its major program areas of GPR/tuition, Auxiliary Operations, and General Program Operations
- Moving to a two-sided budgeting strategy that forecasts both expenditures and revenues for the major program areas.

#### **Overall Spending Plan Increase of 1.7%**

The UW System 2014-15 annual budget represents an expenditure plan increase of 1.7% over 2013-14 levels. Funding changes will be derived from a variety of sources, including:

- \$27 million increased GPR to support debt service obligations and costs resulting from the 2013-15 state compensation plan. The funding amount is \$8.6 million less than the full compensation costs incurred. Institutions must reallocate resources to cover these obligations.
- \$30 million in tuition revenue growth due to enrollment changes and program offerings, including continuing education courses.
- \$36 million in general program operations, which is a significant adjustment to more closely align budget to actual performance in that category.
- \$13 million in auxiliary operations, including student segregated fee programs, housing, food services, book stores, parking, and other operations.
- A \$5 million decrease in other fund sources, including a reduction in anticipated Pell grants.

#### 2014-15 Budget Based Upon Prior Year Actuals and Budgets

The UW System annual budget is significantly influenced by how the budget performed during the previous fiscal year. Even though the 2013-14 fiscal year is not yet complete, UW institutions monitor and track actual financial performance and incorporate actual experience into their budget plans. As with any dynamic business, there are variances that occur which are unplanned. Some of those variances between estimated expenditures and the budget plan may be due to:

- Higher or lower enrollments
- Shifts in enrollments between resident/non-resident, part-time/full-time
- Changes in state-imposed costs for compensation, debt service, or other costs outside the immediate control of the UW
- Planning, approval, and construction timelines for capital projects
- Unexpected demand for services

### Fund Balances Incorporated into Budget Plans

Unprecedented attention has been paid to program revenue balance levels recently. The 2014-15 budget plan will reduce balances in the GPR/Tuition, Auxiliary Operations, and General Program Operations categories by an estimated \$112 million (15%), with \$76 million of that reduction occurring in the tuition category. Institutions and UW System Administration are implementing a number of financial strategies to manage balances and incorporate them into budget and financial planning. These strategies include:

- Program Revenue Balance Methodology and Policy. The policy has been approved by the Board of Regents, and subsequently modified and approved by the Legislature. The Board of Regents will receive a report by October 15<sup>th</sup> each year from those institutions required to submit reports because their balances were either above or below the threshold in one of the specified fund categories.
- Program Revenue Balance Reporting. The Board of Regents receives a periodic update on the status of program revenue balances and their year-end projections.
- Level-of-Commitment Reporting. At the end of every fiscal year, institutions and UW System Administration will review all fund balances in the categories of GPR/Tuition, Auxiliary Operations, General Program Operations, Federal Indirect Cost Reimbursement, and Other Unrestricted sources. Balance amounts will be documented under the commitment levels of Obligated, Planned, Designated, Reserved, or Undocumented. The Board of Regents will receive this report by October 15<sup>th</sup>.
- Budget-to-Actual Reporting. The Board of Regents receives a quarterly report which compares planned operating budgets to actual financial performance in the categories of GPR/Tuition, Auxiliary Operations, General Program Operations, Gifts/Grants/Contracts, and Other fund sources.

System-level fund balances received particular scrutiny in 2013-14. The System-level tuition fund balance, which was \$127 million at the beginning of 2013-14, is expected to be \$61 million at the beginning of 2014-15. That reduced balance level is expected to be maintained at the end of the year.

#### **Comprehensive Board of Regents Resolution**

Each year, the Board of Regents considers a resolution to approve the annual operating budget. The 2014-15 resolution reflects budgeted totals in a broader array of fund sources, including GPR, Tuition, Auxiliary Operations, General Program Operations, Federal Indirect Cost Reimbursement, Gifts/Grants/Contracts, and Other funds. The resolution also captures estimated amounts of one-time planned expenditures that institutions were unable to incorporate into their budgets. Therefore, the 2014-15 resolution represents estimated planned expenditures, both budgeted and one-time in nature, for the Regents to approve.

# BACKGROUND

Wisconsin Act 20, the state's 2013-15 biennial budget, is the base upon which the University of Wisconsin System builds its 2014-15 Annual Operating Budget. The biennial budget was passed by the Legislature and signed into law by the Governor in 2013.

The budget required a freeze of resident undergraduate tuition at the 2012-13 levels for the current fiscal year (2013-14) and the upcoming 2014-15 fiscal year, including differential tuition. Because of the tuition freeze University of Wisconsin Colleges, Universities and Extension will be required to base reallocate to cover \$29.1 million in ongoing costs that would normally have been funded from tuition revenues generated through a rate increase, including \$23.9 million for pay plan increases, \$3.9 million for unfunded cost-to-continue, and \$1.3 million for the UW Flex Options program.

The combination of cuts, transfers, mandated funding of new programs and expected compensation increases during this biennium totaled \$202.6 million, of which \$127.7 million was expended in the 2013-14 fiscal year. However, the changes leave UW institutions with a structural shortfall of \$61,985,200 for the next (2015-17) biennium.

Over the last year, the Board of Regents and UW institutions have developed policies and reporting templates that will provide greater transparency of university funding availability and usage. At the Board's request, this budget document includes information about fund balances for program revenue funds (Section A) along with institutional funding that is being committed towards core institutional functions.

This Executive Summary is divided into the following sections:

- 2014-15 GPR/Tuition Changes
- 2014-15 Recommended Annual Tuition Rates
- Auxiliary Operations
- Program Revenue Operations and Balances

#### 2014-15 GPR/Tuition Changes

The budgets for UW Colleges, Universities and Extension have been reduced by \$8.6 million to fund the share of new compensation costs that would normally have been paid through tuition increases. The unfunded compensation amount included in this budget was estimated in Legislative Fiscal Bureau Paper #675, "PR [Program Revenue] Appropriation Balances (UW System)," at \$23.9 million in 2014-15 and includes the cost of a 1% pay plan increase in each year for UW System staff as approved by the Joint Committee on Employment Relations (JCOER) in June, 2013. This is an increase of \$8.6 million over the 2013-14 year. The tuition freeze will not allow the UW System to generate those dollars, resulting in a mandatory reallocation for the institutions.

The GPR/Tuition Annual Distribution Adjustments contained in Section B describe the allocation of base reductions and new or changed GPR/Tuition resources for the 2014-15 fiscal year, as provided in the state's 2013-15 biennial budget. The document also includes anticipated unfunded costs of salary increases and fringe benefits changes.

New GPR resources are not provided as flexible funding, but are directed to specifically pay debt service, previously committed salary adjustments, and the expected costs of health insurance increases. Changes in funding for 2014-15 include:

- An increase of \$9,292,500 in the Legislative budget to pay for GPR debt service (\$9,254,400), and lease and directed moves (\$38,100).
- \$17,502,083 for the funded share of projected increases in compensation and fringe benefit cost increases for the 2014-15 fiscal year. The total funding needed was \$26,102,083, of which institutions will need to base reallocate \$8,600,000 to cover the portion that would normally have been generated by tuition increases.
- \$30,060,414 to re-estimate increases in academic tuition authority for existing differentials, self-supported programs and credit outreach.

	GPR	Tuition (Fees)	Total
2013-14 Operating Budget	\$1,151,402,700	\$1,318,901,215	\$2,470,303,915
Legislative Budget Changes	\$9,292,500	0	\$9,292,500
Estimated Net Compensation and			
Fringe Benefits Changes	\$17,502,083	\$0	\$17,502,083
Academic Tuition Funding			
Changes, including Credit Outreach		\$30,060,414	\$30,060,414
Net 2014-15 Changes	\$26,794,583	\$30,060,414	\$56,854,997
2014-15 Budget	\$1,178,197,283	\$1,348,961,629	\$2,527,158,912

### GPR/Tuition Budget Changes from 2013-14 to 2014-15

After adjustments for estimated compensation and health insurance increases, GPR will increase by \$26.8 million (2.3%), and estimated budgeted tuition revenue will increase by \$30.1 million (2.3%). Many of these tuition dollars are already being generated by institutions and will now be reflected in the institutional budgets. Budgeted tuition revenue increases reflect funding from self-supporting programs like Extension credit activities and distance education programs as well as increases in revenue generated by growth in nonresident enrollment. These changes will vary by institution and are not the result of tuition rate increases. Table B-1 provides a detailed allocation of changes in GPR/Tuition funding by institution from 2013-14 to 2014-15.

#### 2014-15 Recommended Annual Tuition Rates

Tuition rates will, for the second year, remain frozen at the 2012-13 level for all students within the UW System. The biennial budget, Wisconsin Act 20, required a two year freeze on resident undergraduate tuition and differentials.

Increases are not recommended for any other student groups (e.g., nonresident undergraduates, resident graduates, and non-resident graduates). This recommendation reflects a desire to be price competitive and grow revenues from nonresident and international student enrollments that help support resident students.

### **Auxiliary Operations and Other Funds**

Recommended segregated fee rate increases for four-year institutions average 3.6% for 2014-15, due to the need to maintain services with changing enrollments, major projects, student initiated programming, and increases in compensation costs. See Table D-3 for more information.

Recommended segregated fee increases at the UW Colleges average 3.0%, largely due to the need to maintain programming during projected changes in enrollment. Other cost drivers include student initiated programs and compensation costs.

Recommended room and board rates at the four-year institutions would increase an average of 2.7%. Increases are primarily attributed to new and renovated residence halls, facility maintenance projects, and rising food costs. See Table D-4 for more information.

Table C-3 consolidates tuition, segregated fees, and most popular room and board rates by institution for resident undergraduate students. This schedule is designed to show the mandatory cost of education for students along with the additional costs for a typical freshman who lives in a dormitory and participates in the meal plan. Table C-3 also includes the number of students at each institution that are expected to participate in the meal plan and contract for rooms. In most cases, these students represent less than 1/3 of the total headcount population at an institution. For students at a four-year institution, the average increase for 2014-15 is 0.5% for tuition and segregated fees and 2.7% for room and board.

The 2014-15 auxiliary operation budgets will increase by a smaller percentage (1.8%) than they did in 2013-14, when the growth was 2.1%. Auxiliary budgets are increasing from \$685,519,062 in 2013-14 to \$698,110,006, an increase of \$12,590,944. The changes for the current year are due primarily to a 1% pay plan increase, fringe benefits, and student initiated or student supported programs.

Fund Source Category	2013-14 Budget	2014-15 Budget	Percent Change
Auxiliary Operations	\$685,519,062	\$698,110,006	1.8%
General Program Operations	\$214,371,054	\$250,670,103	16.9%
Federal Indirect Cost Reimbursement	\$148,967,821	\$149,147,917	0.1%
Gift, Grants and Contracts	\$1,205,832,815	\$1,205,616,063	-0.0%
Other	\$1,272,081,585	\$1,267,167,861	-0.4%
<b>Total Non GPR/Tuition Funds</b>	\$3,526,772,337	\$3,570,711,950	1.2%

Changes to Other Funds are as follows:

#### **Program Revenue Operations and Balances**

Wisconsin Act 20, the 2013-15 biennial budget bill, required the UW System to develop a methodology for the calculation of program revenue balances and reserves for the UW System as a whole and for individual UW institutions and UW-Extension. The Board of Regents was required to submit its proposed methodology to the Joint Legislative Audit Committee by September 1, 2013, for approval, modification, or disapproval.

In addition, the Board of Regents was required to submit to the Joint Committee on Finance: (1) proposed limits on program revenue account balances for the UW System as a whole and for each individual UW institution and the UW-Extension and proposed reports related to those limits; (2) proposed policies regarding the annual distribution of tuition and fee revenue and state general purpose revenue to each institution and the UW-Extension; and (3) proposed policies regarding the expenditure of tuition and fee revenues and state general purpose revenue by each institution and the UW-Extension.

All of these proposed policies were submitted to the appropriate legislative committees. The Joint Audit and Finance Committees met regarding the methodology and Board policy limits on program revenue accounts and modifications to the Board's suggested policy were approved. The changes resulted in the following:

- The threshold for reporting fund balances to the Board of Regents for approval is 12% for:
  - o Tuition,
  - o Auxiliary Operations,
  - o General Operations, and
  - Other Unrestricted Program Revenue.
- System Administration is required to submit a plan for the entire carry forward balance held in UW Systemwide for Board approval.
- A 0% minimum target carry forward balance for tuition and auxiliary operations was established in order to keep as much funding as possible going into educating students, while ensuring that institutions maintained positive balances.
- The Board is required to report to the Joint Finance Committee (approval is not required) and include in the reports:
  - o specific projects or initiatives for which funds are held,
  - o amount of funds held for each project or initiative,
  - o total amount of funds the institution plans to accumulate for each initiative or project,
  - o total amount expected to be expended on each project or initiative, and
  - the timeframe in which those funds will be expended.

The University of Wisconsin System ended the 2012-13 fiscal year (the most recent audited figures) with the following balances available in areas where fees will be established for the 2014-15 fiscal year.

			2013-14	2014-15
		2012-13	Estimated	Estimated
Fund #	Fund Name	Balance	<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>Ending Balance</b>
	Auxiliary Operations – includes			
128	segregated fees, room, board,			
128	textbook rental, etc.	\$188,731,478	\$222,031,975	\$197,431,795
131/189	Academic Tuition and			
131/189	Extension Student Fees	\$551,499,294	\$381,085,164	\$304,597,305

Auxiliary Operations are self-supporting operations and are responsible for covering the full cost of debt service for its facilities. Institutions are asked to maintain multi-year plans and sufficient resources to smooth anticipated recurring maintenance costs over the years. Revenues and expenditures for auxiliary operations are expected to grow to reflect increased health insurance costs and a 1% increase in pay plan, as approved by JCOER. Balances for UW System institutions vary significantly with two campuses reflecting negative estimated 2013-14 ending balances in Auxiliary Operations. UW institutions estimate they will end the 2014-15 fiscal year with a balance of \$197.4 million, a decrease of \$24.6 million (11%).

The balances for Funds 131 (Academic Tuition) and 189 (Extension Student Fees) are combined as part of the funding categorized as "Tuition" in the GPR/Tuition totals in this document. Credit Extension activities are self-supporting operations and tuition rates are approved by each institution. By Board policy, tuition rates must be at least the resident undergraduate rate for the prior year but may be considerably higher to reflect programming costs and the market. UW institutions estimate they will end the 2014-15 fiscal year with a balance of \$304.6 million, a decrease of \$76.5 million (20%).

# A. BUDGET AND BALANCE SUMMARIES

# **BUDGET AND BALANCE REPORTS**

Over the past year, the University of Wisconsin System has received a great deal of scrutiny, along with requests for more transparency in its reporting of balance information and how those balances tie to budgets. President Ray Cross, at the April 2014 Board of Regents meeting in River Falls outlined a new financial plan that would tie prior year budgets, projected "actuals" for the prior year and projected "fund balances" for the prior year to the proposed annual budgets. The information that is provided in the next pages is the first attempt to provide that information to the Board of Regents and the general public.

UW System Colleges, Universities, and Extension have a strong history of providing long range financial plans for their auxiliary operations as part of their annual budget submissions to System Administration. Their plans include estimated revenues, expenditures, and beginning and ending balances. This type of information has not been requested centrally for any of the other fund categories. System Administration has worked with the institutions to develop estimates for inclusion in the 2014-15 budget materials but we anticipate that the results will not be perfect. The numbers included in these tables represent the best estimates available based on the information known at this time. Better tools and templates for use across the system will help refine future efforts.

		TAB	LE A-1				
		University of V	Visconsin System	1			
		0	alance Summary				
		(Expend	iture Plan)				
					2014-	15 Estimations	
	2013-14				July 1, 2014	June 30, 2015	
	Estimated	2013-14	2014-15		Beginning	Ending	
Fund Source Category	Expenditures	Budget	Budget	Change	Balance	Balance	Change
GPR/Tuition	2,708,512,519	2,470,303,915	2,527,158,912	2.3%	381,085,164	304,597,305	-20.1%
Auxiliary Operations	671,014,635	685,519,062	698,110,006	1.8%	222,031,975	197,431,795	-11.1%
General Program Operations	246,778,166	214,371,054	250,670,103	16.9%	129,109,018	117,728,425	-8.8%
Subtotal	3,626,305,320	3,370,194,031	3,475,939,021	3.1%	732,226,157	619,757,525	-15.4%
Federal Indirect Cost Reimbursement		148,967,821	149,147,917	0.1%	182,888,656		
Gifts, Grants and Contracts		1,205,832,815	1,205,616,063	0.0%	*		
Other		1,272,081,585	1,267,167,861	-0.4%	2,322,193**		
Total		5,997,076,252	6,097,870,862	1.7%	917,437,006		

A table summarizing funding and balances by management report category (those that are used in the quarterly reports that are prepared for the Board) follows:

\* Giffs, Grants and Contracts July 1, 2014 Beginning Balances are not included as they are externally Restricted.

\*\* Other July 1, 2014 Beginning Balance does not include \$7,488,562 in externally Restricted Balances.

Balance and expenditure estimates are included in the table for GPR/Tuition, Auxiliary Operations and General Program Operations. Balance estimates are also provided for Federal Indirect Cost Reimbursement, and those revenues within the "Other" fund source which are not externally restricted. Gift, Grant, and Contract balances are not provided as those revenues are all externally restricted.

This section of the budget includes institutional level budget and balance estimates for the categories included in Table A-1, and reflects the vision of President Cross and the Board of Regents for including a greater connection between budgets and finances for the System.

2014-15 Annual Budget By Management Report Category and Institution University of Wisconsin System **TABLE A-2** 

			General	Gifts,	Federal		
		Auxiliary	Program	Grants, and	Indirect Cost	Other	
	GPR/Tuition	Operations	Operations	Contracts	Reimbursement	Funds	Total
Madison	783,232,172	283,477,921	133,409,477	1,026,183,615	130,690,583	363,491,400	2,720,485,168
Milwaukee	239,538,247	90,303,905	16,702,814	58,215,331	10,013,051	209,719,681	624,493,029
Eau Claire	83,799,078	33,375,908	4,209,073	6,957,674	476,057	61,025,424	189,843,214
Green Bay	44,988,877	19,599,566	3,783,583	4,609,841	538,862	38,787,990	112,308,719
La Crosse	83,607,215	33,633,920	3,109,681	11,978,953	694,387	62,113,298	195,137,454
Oshkosh	83,696,810	42,225,158	10,500,000	15,548,207	532,398	83,206,808	235,709,381
Parkside	39,005,357	8,737,195	1,354,794	1,793,781	009'86	36,702,247	87,691,974
Platteville	67,765,896	32,683,125	4,937,900	3,913,000	118,600	58,107,310	167,525,831
River Falls	45,342,417	23,480,213	3,518,170	2,389,391	129,682	43,655,444	118,515,317
Stevens Point	66,381,839	39,908,501	5,765,296	8,567,383	488,840	73,607,580	194,719,439
Stout	70,310,497	30,603,397	12,795,416	5,743,426	783,654	64,091,476	184,327,866
Superior	29,505,335	8,090,777	1,597,451	3,664,403	217,185	22,156,431	65,231,582
Whitewater	89,206,267	38,886,584	8,182,963	5,072,777	424,813	52,489,553	194,262,957
Colleges	54,869,199	7,686,661	4,550,944	2,258,731	79,785	53,015,008	122,460,328
Extension	100,937,080	4,060,530	5,872,308	45,619,780	968,606	43,788,011	201,246,315
System Admin.	5,396,551	293,293	184,937	1,866,932	2,800,000	0	10,541,713
Systemwide	73,544,615	1,063,352	30,195,296	1,232,838	92,814	1,210,200	107,339,115
GPR/Tuition							
Fringe Benefits	566,031,460						566,031,460
Total	2,527,158,912	698,110,006	250,670,103	1,205,616,063	149,147,917	1,267,167,861	6,097,870,862
Percent of Total	41.4%	11.5%	4.1%	19.8%	2.4%	20.8%	100.0%

<b>GPR/Tuition Summary</b>	narv	% of	
	6	<b>GPR/Tuition</b>	% of Total UW
		Total	System Budget
GPR	1,178,197,283	46.6%	19.3%
Tuition	1,348,961,629	53.4%	22.1%
Total	2,527,158,912	100.0%	41.4%

TABLE A-3 University of Wisconsin System 2014-15 GPR/Tuition Budget and Balance Summary by Institution

				July 1, 2013		2014-15 ESTIMATIONS	IMATIONS		
		BUDGET		Actual	July 1, 2014			June 30, 3015	Balance **
	2013-14	2014-15		Beginning	Beginning	Cash Flow from	Planned Use	Ending	Commitments
	<b>GPR/Tuition</b>	<b>GPR/Tuition</b>	Change	Fund Balance	<b>Fund Balance</b>	Operations	of Balances*	Fund Balance	Beyond 2014-15
Madison	761,547,001	783,232,172	2.8%	143,006,274	80,142,452	3,457,209	(22, 785, 600)	60,814,061	10,375,071
Milwaukee	233,977,782	239,538,247	2.4%	65,671,309	55,891,582	0	(25, 573, 000)	30,318,582	59,702,000
Eau Claire	81,993,775	83,799,078	2.2%	20,787,897	19,222,270	2,405,206	(10,967,300)	10,660,176	6,504,627
Green Bay	42,408,217	44,988,877	6.1%	8,656,999	7,836,980	68,020	(805,000)	7,100,000	108,000
La Crosse	81,595,586	83,607,215	2.5%	25,874,274	25,834,000	740,480	(1,000,000)	25,574,480	24,761,664
Oshkosh	81,703,441	83,696,810	2.4%	15,023,433	15,806,007	3,358,743	(6,256,500)	12,908,250	13,131,013
Parkside	38,682,986	39,005,357	0.8%	6,757,020	6,922,350	3,238,050	(3,764,400)	6,396,000	4,732,000
Platteville	64,480,939	67,765,896	5.1%	17,289,648	13,779,400	2,975,600	(5,294,000)	11,461,000	8,485,400
River Falls	45,838,995	45,342,417	-1.1%	11,387,319	9,792,264	1,750,000	(2,597,600)	8,944,664	2,737,850
Stevens Point	65,098,437	66,381,839	2.0%	16,591,764	17,073,965	8,062,660	(10,805,000)	14,331,625	6,268,988
Stout	68,353,400	70,310,497	2.9%	4,417,320	6,180,000	1,543,000	0	7,723,000	3,014,000
Superior	30,262,777	29,505,335	-2.5%	2,006,125	1,452,453	1,000,000	(1,300,000)	1,152,453	0
Whitewater	90,077,000	89,206,267	-1.0%	34,743,217	31,180,000	8,971,000	(14, 151, 000)	26,000,000	15,500,000
Colleges	54,840,474	54,869,199	0.1%	16,703,620	16,125,392	0	(5,550,500)	10,574,892	6,345,000
Extension	103,181,806	100,937,080	-2.2%	10,805,644	12,556,190	1,816,160	(4, 375, 300)	9,997,050	5,821,128
System Admin.	5,342,012	5,396,551	1.0%	0	0	0	0	0	0
Systemwide	75,052,117	73,544,615	-2.0%	151,777,431	61,289,859	18,629,713	(19, 278, 500)	60,641,072	22,719,383
<b>GPR/Tuition</b>									
Fringe Benefits	545,867,170	566,031,460	3.7%						
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\* Rounded to nearest \$100
\*\* Balance Commiments Beyond 2014-15 include balances estimated to be categorized as <u>Obligated</u>, <u>Planned</u>, or <u>Designated</u>. Does not include balances estimated to be categorized as reserves.

		2014-15	<u>Auxiliary</u>	2014-15 Auxiliary Operations Bu	idget and Bal	ons Budget and Balance Summary by Institution	by Institution		
		BUDGET		July 1, 2013		2014-15 ESTIMATIONS	IMATIONS		
	2013-14	2014-15		Actual	July 1, 2014			June 30, 2015	Balance **
	Auxiliary Operations	Auxiliary Operations	Change	Beginning Fund Balance	beginning Fund Balance	Cash Flow Irom Operations	Planned Use of Balances*	Ending Fund Balance	Commitments Beyond 2014-15
Madison	278,260,600	283,477,921	1.9%	77,970,384	100,240,168	(11, 897, 769)	0	88,342,399	72,349,467
Milwaukee	90,283,908	90,303,905	0.0%	9,512,437	9,871,205	(3,074,254)	0	6,796,951	6,800,000
Eau Claire	32,674,058	33,375,908	2.1%	17,599,709	16,556,062	(1,004,914)	(3,500,000)	12,051,148	10,050,000
Green Bay	19,794,532	19,599,566	-1.0%	5,677,763	6,435,634	1,406,166	(1, 491, 800)	6,350,000	3,313,732
La Crosse	32,404,297	33,633,920	3.8%	25,189,654	27,301,000	595,997	(1,200,000)	26,696,997	26,696,997
Oshkosh	40,129,243	42,225,158	5.2%	15,103,566	16,719,976	(1,929,012)	(400,000)	14,390,964	27,075,009
Parkside	8,862,708	8,737,195	-1.4%	(73,055)	(618,000)	(660,000)	0	(1,278,000)	616,000
Platteville	34,687,482	32,683,125	-5.8%	3,015,772	3,429,000	356,000	0	3,785,000	3,429,000
<b>River Falls</b>	22,723,522	23,480,213	3.3%	8,591,929	7,852,000	750,000	(500,000)	8,102,000	3,906,733
<b>Stevens Point</b>	37,492,803	39,908,501	6.4%	16,064,016	17,894,024	2,769,853	(2, 454, 500)	18,209,377	5,453,959
Stout	28,216,143	30,603,397	8.5%	2,145,475	3,214,000	993,000	0	4,207,000	4,207,000
Superior	8,702,838	8,090,777	-7.0%	(4,598,507)	(4, 300, 000)	300,000	0	(4,000,000)	0
Whitewater	38,897,292	38,886,584	0.0%	6,254,676	10,619,000	639,000	(2,218,000)	9,040,000	5,278,000
Colleges	8,008,746	7,686,661	-4.0%	2,828,505	2,586,000	(498,600)	(234,900)	1,852,500	843,000
Extension	3,036,241	4,060,530	33.7%	2,669,386	2,989,005	(447,546)	(756,000)	1,785,459	664,788
System Admin.	268,207	293,293	9.4%	178,470	552,502	(52,502)	0	500,000	387,716
Systemwide	1,076,442	1,063,352	-1.2%	601,298	690,399	(90, 399)	0	600,000	405,358

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**TABLE A-4** 

\*Rounded to nearest \$100

\*\* Balance Commitments Beyond 2014-15 include balances estimated to be categorized as Obligated, Planned, or Designated. Does not include balances estimated to be categorized as reserves.

171,476,759

197,431,795

(12, 755, 200)

(11, 844, 980)

222,031,975

188,731,478

1.8%

698,110,006

685,519,062

Total

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		2014-15 General Program Operations Budget and Balance Summary by Institution	l Progra	m Operations F	<u>Sudget and Ba</u>	llance Summaı	y by Institutio	on	
		BUDGET	F	July 1, 2013		2014-15 ESTIMATIONS	IMATIONS		
	2013-14	2014-15		Actual	July 1, 2014			June 30, 3015	Balance **
	General Program Operations	General Program Operations	Change	Beginning Fund Balance	Beginning Fund Balance	Cash Flow from Operations	Planned Use of Balances*	Ending Fund Balance	Commitments Beyond 2014-15
Madison	112,166,221	133,409,477	18.9%	67,849,375	34,478,822	21,178	0	34,500,000	34,500,000
Milwaukee	13,318,022	16,702,814	25.4%	11,337,203	10,837,203	(637, 203)	0	10,200,000	0
Eau Claire	4,067,708	4,209,073	3.5%	7,513,614	7,337,228	(1,166,183)	0	6,171,045	0
Green Bay	3,234,956	3,783,583	17.0%	5,002,998	4,747,383	1,220,117	(2, 192, 500)	3,775,000	2,136,885
La Crosse	2,975,383	3,109,681	4.5%	25,993,052	21,831,670	1,802,237	(3,100,000)	20,533,907	20,533,970
Oshkosh	2,596,592	10,500,000	304.4%	16,187,823	15,340,749	(1,156,000)	(3,040,000)	11,144,749	8,415,920
Parkside	1,609,975	1,354,794	-15.8%	1,098,652	955,000	209,000	(270,000)	894,000	0
Platteville	5,225,200	4,937,900	-5.5%	2,000,214	1,792,000	(56,000)	0	1,736,000	1,792,000
<b>River Falls</b>	2,482,397	3,518,170	41.7%	762,907	1,179,000	200,000	(60,000)	1,319,000	250,000
Stevens Point	5,260,977	5,765,296	9.6%	3,794,297	2,702,716	266,567	(318,600)	2,650,683	728,164
Stout	11,640,263	12,795,416	9.9%	8,494,546	8,131,000	(547,000)	0	7,584,000	5,384,000
Superior	1,161,819	1,597,451	37.5%	236,389	225,000	200,000	(225,000)	200,000	0
Whitewater	8,119,038	8,182,963	0.8%	3,400,651	3,500,000	1,403,000	(1,403,000)	3,500,000	543,000
Colleges	4,346,074	4,550,944	4.7%	4,113,446	3,256,200	0	(1,261,300)	1,994,900	528,900
Extension	2,353,125	5,872,308	149.6%	1,603,650	1,758,408	84,833	(818,100)	1,025,141	731,154
System Admin.	176,750	184,937	4.6%	545,739	543,066	(43,066)	0	500,000	399,878
Systemwide	33,636,554	30,195,296	-10.2%	11,868,612	10,493,573	(493, 573)	0	10,000,000	9,373,682

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**TABLE A-5** 

\*Rounded to nearest \$100

\*\* Balance Commitments Beyond 2014-15 include balances estimated to be categorized as <u>Obligated</u>, Planned, or <u>Designated</u>. Does not include balances estimated to be categorized as reserves.

85,317,553

117,728,425

(12,688,500)

1,307,907

129,109,018

171,803,168

16.9%

250,670,103

214,371,054

Total

TABLE A-6 University of Wisconsin System 2014-15 Federal Indirect Cost Reimbursement

		BUDGET	
	2013-14	2014-15	Change
Madison	130,690,673	130,690,583	0.0%
Milwaukee	10,234,454	10,013,051	-2.2%
Eau Claire	459,129	476,057	3.7%
Green Bay	509,757	538,862	5.7%
La Crosse	687,881	694,387	0.9%
Oshkosh	547,853	532,398	-2.8%
Parkside	98,600	98,600	0.0%
Platteville	131,100	118,600	-9.5%
River Falls	129,789	129,682	-0.1%
<b>Stevens Point</b>	417,680	488,840	17.0%
Stout	1,017,408	783,654	-23.0%
Superior	296,962	217,185	-26.9%
Whitewater	437,139	424,813	-2.8%
Colleges	49,251	79,785	62.0%
Extension	667,905	968,606	45.0%
System Admin.	2,500,000	2,800,000	12.0%
Systemwide	92,240	92,814	0.6%
Total	148,967,821	149,147,917	0.1%

TABLE A-7 University of Wisconsin System

Gifts, Grants and Contracts, and Other Funds Budget Summary by Institution

	Gifts, Gra	<b>Gifts, Grants and Contracts</b>	cts		Other*	
	2013-14	2014-15		2013-14	2014-15	
	Budget	Budget	Change	Budget	Budget	Change
Madison	1,026,183,615	1,026,183,615	0.0%	361,693,000	363,491,400	0.5%
Milwaukee	58,165,116	58,215,331	0.1%	216,869,727	209,719,681	-3.3%
Eau Claire	6,988,314	6,957,674	-0.4%	62,969,929	61,025,424	-3.1%
Green Bay	4,279,205	4,609,841	7.7%	41,981,670	38,787,990	-7.6%
La Crosse	11,985,624	11,978,953	-0.1%	61,783,031	62,113,298	0.5%
Oshkosh	14,920,779	15,548,207	4.2%	82,382,195	83,206,808	1.0%
Parkside	2,312,244	1,793,781	-22.4%	38,174,338	36,702,247	-3.9%
Platteville	3,192,000	3,913,000	22.6%	56,695,310	58,107,310	2.5%
River Falls	2,004,112	2,389,391	19.2%	44,305,943	43,655,444	-1.5%
<b>Stevens Point</b>	9,374,412	8,567,383	-8.6%	73,631,474	73,607,580	0.0%
Stout	5,814,596	5,743,426	-1.2%	63,339,235	64,091,476	1.2%
Superior	2,737,031	3,664,403	33.9%	22,594,582	22,156,431	-1.9%
Whitewater	5,181,940	5,072,777	-2.1%	51,942,341	52,489,553	1.1%
Colleges	2,226,314	2,258,731	1.5%	52,415,008	53,015,008	1.1%
Extension	47,555,539	45,619,780	-4.1%	40,093,602	43,788,011	9.2%
System Admin.	1,688,282	1,866,932	10.6%		0	0.0%
Systemwide	1,223,692	1,232,838	0.7%	1,210,200	1,210,200	0.0%
Total	1.205.832.815	1.205.616.063	0.0%	1.272.081.585	1.267.167.861	-0.4%

\* Included in this fund source are Federal Direct Student Loans, Federal Financial Aid Grants, Program Revenue Debt Service, and Segregated State funds.

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# **B. CHANGES IN GPR/TUITION FUNDING**

TABLE B-1 University of Wisconsin System GPR/Tuition Annual Budget Changes by Institution

			Compensation						
		<b>Tuition Targets</b>	and Fringe		Utilities	Unfunded			
	2013-14	and Differential	Benefit	Financial	and	Pay Plan		2014-15	
	<b>GPR/Tuition</b>	Tuition	Adjustments	Aid	Debt Service	Costs	Other (1)	<b>GPR/Tuition</b>	Total Change
Madison	761,547,001	14,978,936	4,793,740	(149,000)	6,028,107	(3, 305, 980)	(660,632)	783,232,172	21,685,171
Milwaukee	233,977,782	0	1,564,370	98,310	4,881,305	(988, 102)	4,582	239,538,247	5,560,465
Eau Claire	81,993,775	74,607	520,156	(32,042)	1,676,427	(435,590)	1,745	83,799,078	1,805,303
Green Bay	42,408,217	2,141,365	249,698	12,239	386,366	(209, 849)	841	44,988,877	2,580,660
La Crosse	81,595,586	1,768,031	419,783	(5, 250)	220,902	(350,846)	(40,991)	83,607,215	2,011,629
Oshkosh	81,703,441	466,341	537,908	27,095	1,381,546	(421, 208)	1,687	83,696,810	1,993,369
Parkside	38,682,986	(46,154)	235,527	11,572	292,179	(171, 542)	789	39,005,357	322,371
Platteville	64,480,939	3,395,264	282,374	11,919	(237,618)	(241, 659)	74,677	67,765,896	3,284,957
River Falls	45,838,995	(258,822)	298,609	(25, 723)	(303,606)	(208,000)	964	45,342,417	(496,578)
Stevens Point	65,098,437	800,000	437,493	9,749	393,678	(358,956)	1,438	66,381,839	1,283,402
Stout	68,353,400	2,465,955	390,493	6,018	(576, 177)	(330, 516)	1,324	70,310,497	1,957,097
Superior	30,262,777	0	160,473	(9, 390)	(775, 270)	(133, 791)	536	29,505,335	(757,442)
Whitewater	90,077,000	854,091	503,514	17,696	(1,688,560)	(367, 810)	(189,664)	89,206,267	(870, 733)
Colleges	54,840,474	0	396,300	26,807	(80,579)	(414, 323)	100,520	54,869,199	28,725
Extension	103,181,806	(3,023,545)	479,604	0	(240,003)	(395,608)	934,826	100,937,080	(2,244,726)
System Admin./Systemwide	80,394,129	$\overline{0}$	110,807	$\overline{0}$	(2,104,297)	(124,048)	664,575	78,941,166	(1, 452, 963)
System Total-Excl. Fringe Benefits	1,924,436,745	23,616,069	11,380,849	0	9,254,400	(8,457,828)	897,217	1,961,127,452	36,690,707
Fringe Benefits	545,867,170	6,444,345	14,721,234	0	0	(142, 172)	(859,117)	566,031,460	20,164,290
System Total	2,470,303,915	30,060,414	26,102,083	0	9,254,400	(8,600,000)	38,100	2,527,158,912	56,854,997

1 - Lease & Directed Moves; Distinguished Professor Non-Renewals; and transfers for the Service Center and Flexible Degree program

# 2014-15 UW SYSTEM ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION ADJUSTMENTS FOR CHANGES IN GPR/TUITION FUNDING

The State of Wisconsin budgets on a two-year budget cycle. Accordingly, the 2013-15 biennial budget included GPR funding for both the 2013-14 and 2014-15 fiscal years.

Changes in GPR/Tuition funding for the 2014-15 fiscal year summarized in Table B-1 are described below.

### **TUITION TARGETS AND DIFFERENTIAL TUITION**

These allocations reflect institutional re-estimates in tuition authority for enrollment changes, existing differentials and self-supporting programs. These changes vary based upon institutional requests and are not the result of tuition rate increases.

#### **COMPENSATION AND FRINGE BENEFIT ADJUSTMENTS**

The allocations that make up this category of changes are:

#### 2013-14 1% Represented Classified Pay Plan

This allocation provides funding for the 2013-14 1% pay plan increases approved by the Legislature for represented classified staff in January 2014. The allocation is based upon the October 2012 payroll.

#### 2013-14 1% Summer Session Pay Plan

This allocation provides funding for the 1% pay plan increase needed to supplement summer session salaries during the summer of 2014.

#### 2014-15 1% Pay Plan for Faculty, Academic Staff, Graduate Assistants, Non-Represented Classified Staff, and Senior Executives

These allocations distribute a 1% increase for the above staff based on the October 2012 payroll base rolled up by 1% for the 2013-14 pay plan.

#### Fringe Benefit Adjustments

The budget contains estimated increases in fringe benefits due to pay plan and anticipated health insurance increases.

## FINANCIAL AID

The allocations that make up this category of changes are:

Lawton Undergraduate Minority Retention Grant/Advanced Opportunity Program (AOP) The budget flat funds the Lawton Undergraduate Minority Retention Grant and the Advanced Opportunity Program in 2014-15. Funding for the AOP is based on each institution's proportion of a three-year rolling average headcount of the statutorily-designated eligible population of minority/disadvantaged graduate students. The Lawton Grant allocation will reflect the second year of three-year conversion from the previous allocation methodology (three-year rolling average of undergraduates from eligible populations who are registered for at least six credits) to reflect a change in the program eligibility criteria (three-year rolling average of resident undergraduates from eligible populations who are registered full-time). Funding will continue to be based on each institution's proportion of a three-year rolling average headcount of the eligible student population. For 2014-15, the three-year rolling average will include two years of the revised methodology and one year of the previous approach. The transition to the revised Lawton Grant allocation methodology will be completed by 2015-16.

#### Tuition Assistance Grant (TAG)

The budget does not increase the GPR funding for the Tuition Assistance Grant, providing \$6.4 million in 2014-15. This program provides grants to students from families with income of less than \$60,000, who do not receive a WHEG award from the Higher Educational Aids Board (HEAB), have unmet financial need and have been continuously enrolled since 2010-11. Funding in 2014-15 will be allocated based on the 2012-13 portion of Pell Grants (dollars) for Wisconsin undergraduate students with expected family contributions (EFCs) below \$4,001 at each institution.

### UTILITIES AND DEBT SERVICE

#### <u>Utilities</u>

The utilities budget does not increase in 2014-15. Institutional budgets will fully fund estimated 2012-13 expenditures increased by amounts required for new space, and the cogeneration power plant at UW-Madison in both 2013-14 and 2014-15, as requested in the biennial budget. The remaining funding will be held centrally.

#### Debt Service

The budget provides a \$9,254,400 increase in 2014-15 for debt service. The total amount 2014-15 debt service allocation is \$245,110,100. The allocation of debt service is prorated based upon 2012-13 actual expenditures.

## UNFUNDED PAY PLAN COSTS

This item reallocates \$8,600,000 to reflect the unfunded pay plan costs related to the tuition share of estimated compensation and fringe benefit adjustments in 2014-15. The tuition share cannot be generated due to a state required tuition freeze. This allocation is distributed based on each institution's share of the UW System's 2012-13 GPR/Tuition budget excluding debt service, utilities, financial aid, separately budgeted tuition, and Extension credit programs.

## **OTHER**

This category contains miscellaneous allocations including GPR funding for lease costs and directed moves, reallocations for distinguished professor non-renewals, and transfers for the Service Center and Flexible Degree program.

# C. ACADEMIC TUITION AND REFUND POLICY AND SCHEDULE

# 2014-15 TUITION RATES

Tuition rates will be frozen at the 2012-13 level for most students within the UW System. The 2014-15 budget includes a freeze on resident undergraduate tuition. Previously approved differential tuition increases of \$300 at UW-Eau Claire to implement the final phase of the BluGold Commitment; \$8.40 at UW-La Crosse for the Academic Excellence Initiative (Undergraduate and Graduate); and \$30 at UW-River Falls to implement the final phase of the Falcon Promise will not be enacted due to the tuition freeze. UW System institutions retain the ability to increase tuition for self-supporting programs that serve graduate students. These self-supporting programs operate without state funding, and the tuition rates are based on the market and must be sufficient to cover the full-costs of offering the programs.

Increases are not recommended for other student groups (e.g. nonresident undergraduates and resident and non-resident graduate students). This recommendation reflects a desire to be price competitive and grow revenues from nonresident and international student enrollments.

Freezing nonresident graduate tuition at 2007-08 rates is recommended at this time. Freezing nonresident graduate tuition reduces the cost of providing remissions, and helps support the research mission of UW System institutions. Nonresident graduate students provide critical support to research activities and provide classroom instruction as teaching assistants at UW System institutions, particularly at UW-Madison and UW-Milwaukee. Providing nonresident tuition remissions is a necessity in order to compete for the best and brightest graduate students. These remissions place a significant financial burden on academic departments.

The freeze on nonresident tuition will provide an opportunity for UW System institutions to actively recruit students from other states by advertising the frozen rates. The number of high school graduates in Wisconsin is expected to continue to decline for the next three years and recruiting nonresident students will provide a stabilizing effect on UW System enrollments and provide additional funds to support quality initiatives at the Colleges and universities.

The UW System has differentiated tuition levels for UW-Madison, UW-Milwaukee, the comprehensive universities (differential tuition programs result in some differentiation between the tuition at comprehensive institutions) and the UW Colleges to increase opportunities for affordable access for citizens at the various institutions. The significantly lower tuition at the UW Colleges allows the System to maintain a lower-cost entry point for students at 13 campuses across the state, and maintain tuition rates that are comparable to the rate for liberal arts programs at Wisconsin Technical College System institutions.

The differential tuition review process includes an evaluation of the current program, which is time intensive for the institutions and may result in a higher differential rate being recommended to the Board for approval. In April 2012, the Board passed a resolution that suspended review of current differential tuition programs until February 2013. The suspension reflected the tuition cap that was imposed for the biennium and prevented increases (beyond those already approved) to differentials. With the freeze on differentials, there was a concern that the Board would be asked to review a differential tuition program in one year and then be asked to consider an increase to that same differential a year or two later. With a freeze on tuition for two years, differential programs have not been brought forward for review for the same reason.

<u>Tuition Tables</u>: The recommended 2014-15 tuition schedule, including all UW System differential tuition programs/rates and summer session rates, is shown in Table C-1. Table C-2 shows the consolidated schedule of tuition and segregated fees for 2014-15. The UW System tuition refund policy and schedule follows on page 24.

#### Table C-1

			Summer
	Annual	Semester	Summer
JW-Madison	Tuition	Tuition	Tuition <sup>1</sup>
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$9,273	\$4,637	\$2,318
Bachelor's of Business Administration	\$10,273 \$9,573	\$5,137	\$2,568
Certificate in Business Engineering	\$9,575	\$4,787 \$5,337	\$2,393 \$2,668
Graduate			,
	\$10,728	\$5,364	\$2,682
Business Masters <sup>2</sup>	\$13,184	\$6,592	\$3,296
Law School	\$20,235	\$10,118	\$5,059
Medical School	\$23,807	\$11,904	N/A
Veterinary School	\$17,925	\$8,963	\$4,481
Pharmacy	\$15,157	\$7,578	\$3,789
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$25,523	\$12,762	\$6,381
Bachelor's of Business Administration	\$26,523	\$13,262	\$6,631
Certificate in Business	\$25,823	\$12,912	\$6,456
Engineering	\$26,923	\$13,461	\$6,731
Graduate	\$24,054	\$12,027	\$6,014
Business Masters <sup>2</sup>	\$26,678	\$13,339	\$6,670
Law School	\$38,932	\$19,466	\$9,733
Medical School	\$33,704	\$16,852	N/A
Veterinary School	\$24,769	\$12,385	\$6,192
Pharmacy	\$27,614	\$13,807	\$6,904
W-Milwaukee			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$8,091	\$4,046	\$2,023
Graduate	\$10,387	\$5,193	\$2,597
Communication Science & Disorders	\$12,464	\$6,232	\$3,116
Occupational Therapy	\$12,464	\$6,232	\$3,116
Business Masters	\$11,781	\$5,890	\$2,945
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$17,820	\$8,910	\$4,455
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$12,137	\$6,068	\$3,034
Graduate	\$22,852	\$11,426	\$5,713
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$15,580	\$7,790	\$3,895
Communication Science & Disorders	\$27,423	\$13,711	\$6,856
Occupational Therapy	\$27,423	\$13,711	\$6,856
Business Masters	\$24,316	\$12,158	\$6,079
Midwest Student Exchange - Business Masters	\$15,580	\$7,790	\$3,895
Resident and Nonresident Students <sup>3</sup>			
Sheldon B. Lubar School of Business Administration		\$21	\$21
College of Engineering and Applied Science		\$22	\$22
College of Nursing		\$32	\$32
Peck School of the Arts		\$22	\$22
School of Architecture 100 Level Courses		\$12	\$12
School of Architecture 200-800 Level Courses		\$43	\$43

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	Annual	Semester	Summer
	Tuition	Tuition	Tuition <sup>1</sup>
UW-Eau Claire			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$7,361	\$3,681	\$1,840
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Business Masters	\$8,195	\$4,097	\$2,276
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$14,934	\$7,467	\$3,734
Return to Wisconsin Program	\$11,466	\$5,733	\$2,867
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$10,511	\$5,255	\$2,628
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,461	\$5,730	\$3,184
Business Masters	\$17,351	\$8,676	\$4,820
Midwest Student Exchange - Business Masters	\$12,015	\$6,007	\$3,337
<u>UW-Green Bay</u>			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$6,298	\$3,149	\$1,575
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Neurosident			
Nonresident Undergraduate	\$13,871	\$6,936	\$3,468
Return to Wisconsin	\$13,871	\$5,202	\$3,408
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$9,448	\$4,724	\$2,362
Graduate <sup>4</sup>		* ).	* 1
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$16,771 \$11,461	\$8,386 \$5,730	\$4,659 \$3,184
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,401	\$5,750	\$5,104
UW-La Crosse			
Resident			
Undergraduate (Enrolled Prior to Fall 2008)	\$6,438	\$3,219	\$1,610
Undergraduate (Enrolled After Fall 2008)	\$7,585	\$3,792	\$1,896
Graduate	\$7,780	\$3,890	\$2,161
Occupational Therapy	\$9,309	\$4,654	\$2,586
Business Masters	\$8,334	\$4,167	\$2,315
Physical Therapy/Physician Assistant	\$9,309	\$4,654	\$2,586
Physical Therapy - Doctoral Program	\$10,387	\$5,193	\$2,597
Nonresident	<i>,</i>	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	,
Undergraduate (Enrolled Prior to Fall 2008)	\$14,011	\$7,006	\$3,503
Undergraduate (Enrolled After Fall 2008)	\$15,158	\$7,579	\$3,789
Return to Wisconsin (Enrolled Prior to Fall 2008)	\$10,543	\$5,272	\$2,636
Return to Wisconsin (Enrolled After Fall 2008)	\$11,690	\$5,845	\$2,922
Midwest Student Exchange - UG (Prior to Fall 2008)	\$9,588	\$4,794	\$2,397
Midwest Student Exchange - UG (After Fall 2008)	\$10,734	\$5,367	\$2,684
Graduate	\$16,911	\$8,456	\$4,698
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,601	\$5,800	\$3,222
Occupational Therapy	\$20,265	\$10,133	\$5,629
Business Masters	\$17,491	\$8,746	\$4,859
Midwest Student Exchange - Bus Masters	\$12,155	\$6,077	\$3,376
Physical Therapy/Physician Assistant	\$20,265	\$10,133	\$5,629
Physical Therapy - Doctoral Program	\$22,852	\$11,426	\$5,713

	Annual Tuition	Semester Tuition	Summer Tuition <sup>1</sup>
<u>UW Oshkosh</u>			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$6,422	\$3,211	\$1,606
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Business Masters	\$8,195	\$4,097	\$2,276
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$13,995	\$6,998	\$3,499
Return to Wisconsin Program	\$10,527	\$5,264	\$2,632
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$9,571	\$4,786	\$2,393
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,461	\$5,730	\$3,184
Business Masters	\$17,351	\$8,676	\$4,820
Midwest Student Exchange - Business Masters	\$12,015	\$6,007	\$3,337
UW-Parkside Resident Undergraduate	\$6,298	\$3,149	\$1,575
Graduate	\$0,298	\$3,820	\$1,575
Business Masters	\$7,040	\$3,820	\$2,122
	\$6,195	φ-,097	\$2,270
Nonresident	¢12.071	\$6.026	¢2.4(0
Undergraduate Return to Wisconsin	\$13,871 \$10,404	\$6,936 \$5,202	\$3,468
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$9,448	\$3,202	\$2,362
Graduate	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,461	\$5,730	\$3,184
Business Masters	\$17,351	\$8,676	\$4,820
Midwest Student Exchange - Business Masters	\$12,015	\$6,007	\$3,337
UW-Platteville			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$6,418	\$3,209	\$1,605
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$13,991	\$6,996	\$3,498
Undergraduate Tri-State Initiative	\$10,418	\$5,209	\$2,605
Midwest Student Exchange Program Undergraduate	\$9,567	\$4,784	\$2,392
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659

	Annual Tuition	Semester Tuition	Summer Tuition <sup>1</sup>
W-River Falls			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$6,428	\$3,214	\$1,607
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology	\$9,000	\$4,500	\$2,500
Nonresident	· · ·		· · · · ·
Undergraduate	\$14,001	\$7,001	\$3,500
Return to Wisconsin Program	\$10,534	\$5,267	\$2,633
Midwest Student Exchange Program Undergraduate	\$9,578	\$4,789	\$2,394
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659
Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology	\$9,000	\$4,500	\$2,500
W-Stevens Point Resident			
Undergraduate	\$6,298	\$3,149	\$1,575
Graduate	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Collaborative Audiology	\$10,728	\$5,364	\$2,682
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$13,871	\$6,936	\$3,468
Return to Wisconsin	\$10,404	\$5,202	\$2,601
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$9,448	\$4,724	\$2,362
Graduate	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,461	\$5,730	\$3,184
Collaborative Audiology	\$24,054	\$12,027	\$6,014
W-Stout <sup>5</sup>			
Resident			
Undergraduate		\$234	\$234
Graduate		\$367	\$367
Nonresident			
Undergraduate		\$492	\$492
Return to Wisconsin		\$372	\$372
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate		\$345	\$345
Graduate		\$778	\$778
Midwest Student Exchange		\$542	\$542

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	Annual Tuition	Semester Tuition	Summer Tuition <sup>1</sup>
<u>UW-Superior</u>			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$6,535	\$3,268	\$1,634
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$14,108	\$7,054	\$3,527
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$9,685	\$4,842	\$2,421
Graduate <sup>4</sup>	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,461	\$5,730	\$3,184
Resident and Nonresident Students <sup>3</sup>	,	,	
Natural Sciences Department		\$12	\$12
<u>UW-Whitewater</u>			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$6,519	\$3,259	\$1,630
Graduate	\$7,640	\$3,820	\$2,122
Business Masters	\$8,195	\$4,097	\$2,276
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$14,092	\$7,046	\$3,523
Return to Wisconsin Program	\$10,624	\$5,312	\$2,656
Midwest Student Exchange - Undergraduate	\$9,668	\$4,834	\$2,417
Graduate	\$16,771	\$8,386	\$4,659
Midwest Student Exchange - Graduate	\$11,461	\$5,730	\$3,184
Business Masters	\$17,351	\$8,676	\$4,820
Midwest Student Exchange - Business Masters	\$12,015	\$6,007	\$3,337
UW Colleges			
Resident			
Undergraduate	\$4,750	\$2,375	\$1,188
Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences (BAAS) <sup>6</sup>		\$262	\$262
Nonresident			
Undergraduate	\$11,734	\$5,867	\$2,934
Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences (BAAS) <sup>6</sup>		\$578	\$578
Midwest Student Exchange	\$7,126	\$3,563	\$1,781

<sup>1</sup>Represents tuition for a "full-time" summer session student, which is defined as half of the full-time academic year semester load.

<sup>2</sup>Includes the full-time MBA, Masters of Accountancy, Global Real Estate Master, and the MS in Applied Security Analysis.

<sup>3</sup>These per-credit amounts are in addition to the regular tuition for students taking courses in these disciplines.

<sup>4</sup>Graduate students at UW-Eau Claire, UW-Green Bay, UW Oshkosh, UW-Platteville, UW-River Falls, and UW-Superior pay summer tuition on a per-credit basis.

<sup>5</sup>UW-Stout charges a per-credit tuition rate.

<sup>6</sup>The Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences (BAAS) is a degree completion program that charges a per-credit rate. The total tuition charge will not to exceed the plateau rate at the partner institution. The BAAS program offered in partnership with UW-Stout will not exceed the tuition charged by UW-Stout.

#### Table C-2

#### University of Wisconsin System 2014-15 Consolidated Schedule of Tuition and Segregated Fees

	Tui	tion	Segregated	Total Tuitio	n and Fees
Doctoral Universities	Resident	Nonresident	Fees <sup>1</sup>	Resident	Nonresident
Undergraduate					
UW-Madison	\$9,273	\$25,523	\$1,137	\$10,410	\$26,660
UW-Milwaukee	\$8,091	\$17,820	\$1,300	\$9,391	\$19,119
	40,091	\$17,020	\$1,500	ψ,551	ψ19,119
Graduate	¢10.700	¢24.054	¢1 127	¢11.0 <i>C</i> 4	¢25 101
UW-Madison	\$10,728	\$24,054	\$1,137	\$11,864	\$25,191
UW-Milwaukee	\$10,387	\$22,852	\$1,300	\$11,686	\$24,152
Law	\$20,235	\$38,932	\$1,137	\$21,372	\$40,068
Medicine	\$23,807	\$33,704	\$1,137	\$24,944	\$34,840
Veterinary Medicine	\$17,925	\$24,769	\$1,137	\$19,062	\$25,906
Comprehensive Universities					
Undergraduate					
UW-Eau Claire	\$7,361	\$14,934	\$1,180	\$8,541	\$16,114
UW-Green Bay	\$6,298	\$13,871	\$1,460	\$7,758	\$15,331
UW-La Crosse	\$7,585	\$15,158	\$1,036	\$8,620	\$16,193
UW Oshkosh	\$6,422	\$13,995	\$1,015	\$7,437	\$15,010
UW-Parkside	\$6,298	\$13,871	\$1,028	\$7,326	\$14,899
UW-Platteville	\$6,418	\$13,991	\$908	\$7,326	\$14,899
UW-River Falls	\$6,428	\$14,001	\$1,176	\$7,604	\$15,177
UW-Stevens Point	\$6,298	\$13,871	\$1,189	\$7,488	\$15,061
UW-Superior	\$6,535	\$14,108	\$1,459	\$7,994	\$15,567
UW-Whitewater	\$6,519	\$14,092	\$923	\$7,442	\$15,015
UW-Stout <sup>2</sup>	\$234	\$492	\$34	\$267	\$526
Graduate					
UW-Eau Claire	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$1,180	\$8,820	\$17,951
UW-Green Bay	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$1,460	\$9,100	\$18,231
UW-La Crosse	\$7,780	\$16,911	\$1,036	\$9,100	\$17,947
UW Oshkosh	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$1,015	\$8,655	\$17,786
UW-Parkside	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$1,013	\$8,668	\$17,799
UW-Platteville	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$908	\$8,548	\$17,679
UW-River Falls	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$1,176	\$8,816	\$17,947
UW-Stevens Point	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$1,189	\$8,830	\$17,961
UW-Superior	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$1,109	\$9,099	\$18,230
UW-Whitewater	\$7,640	\$16,771	\$923	\$8,563	\$17,694
UW-Stout <sup>2</sup>	\$367	\$778	\$46	\$413	\$824
	\$307	\$770	\$40	\$415	\$024
UW Colleges					
UW-Baraboo/Sauk	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$429	\$5,179	\$12,163
UW-Barron	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$421	\$5,172	\$12,155
UW-Fond Du Lac	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$442	\$5,193	\$12,176
UW-Fox Valley	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$269	\$5,019	\$12,003
UW-Manitowoc	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$333	\$5,083	\$12,067
UW-Marathon	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$371	\$5,121	\$12,105
UW-Marinette	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$350	\$5,101	\$12,084
UW-Marshfield/Wood	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$359	\$5,109	\$12,093
UW-Richland	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$493	\$5,244	\$12,227
UW-Rock	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$368	\$5,119	\$12,102
UW-Sheboygan	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$354	\$5,105	\$12,088
UW-Washington	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$344	\$5,095	\$12,078
UW-Waukesha	\$4,750	\$11,734	\$352	\$5,102	\$12,086

<sup>1</sup>Excludes textbook rental fees.

<sup>2</sup>UW-Stout charges per-credit tuition and segregated fees. The E-Stout fee is not included.

Tuition and segregated fee rates shown in this table have been rounded to the dollar. Campus fee schedules and student billing statements will include actual rates that will be within a dollar of these rates.

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	FY14	FY15		FY14	FY15		FY14	FY15		FY14	FY15		FY14	FY15	Total	-	# of Room	# of Meal	Fall
<b>Campus</b> Madison	Tuition 9,273	Tuition 9,273	Change 0	Seg Fee 1,130	Seg Fee 1,137	Change 7	Room Rate 5,384	Room Rate 5,546	Change 162	Meal Plan 2,903	Meal Plan 3,000	Change 97	<b>Total</b> 18,690	<b>Total</b> 18,956	Increase 266	Increase 1.4%	Contracts 7,470	<b>Plans</b> 7,470	Headcount 43,312
Milwaukee	8,091	8,091	0	1,209	1,300	16	5,170	5,170	0	3,666	3,724	58	18,136	18,285	149	0.8%	2,264	3,269	27,813
Eau Claire	7,361	7,361	0	1,146	1,180	34	3,415	3,655	240	3,050	3,120	70	14,972	15,316	344	2.3%	3,565	3,729	10,775
Green Bay	6,298	6,298	0	1,378	1,460	82	4,000	4,000	0	2,200	2,200	0	13,876	13,958	82	0.6%	493	709	6,444
La Crosse (1)	7,585	7,585	0	1,010	1,036	25	3,500	3,500	0	2,450	2,410	(40)	14,545	14,531	(15)	-0.1%	3,387	4,573	10,379
Oshkosh	6,422	6,422	0	679	1,015	36	3,864	4,016	152	2,596	2,686	90	13,861	14,139	278	2.0%	3,011	3,761	13,902
Parkside	6,298	6,298	0	1,018	1,028	10	4,276	4,320	44	2,296	2,376	80	13,888	14,022	134	1.0%	763	1,236	4,617
Platteville	6,418	6,418	0	901	908	7	3,700	3,890	190	3,070	3,160	90	14,089	14,376	287	2.0%	3,506	3,855	7,525
River Falls	6,428	6,428	0	1,149	1,176	26	3,879	3,995	116	2,319	2,389	70	13,775	13,988	212	1.5%	2,239	2,786	6,173
Stevens Point	6,298	6,298	0	1,109	1,189	80	3,588	3,660	72	2,650	2,730	80	13,645	13,877	232	1.7%	3,388	2,966	9,352
Stout (2)	6,687	6,687	0	962	1,010	47	3,750	3,890	140	2,484	2,544	09	13,883	14,131	247	1.8%	2,941	3,028	9,243
Superior	6,535	6,535	0	1,411	1,459	48	3,360	3,595	235	2,420	2,490	70	13,726	14,079	353	2.6%	856	675	2,200
Whitewater	6,519	6,519	0	906	923	17	3,600	3,744	144	2,300	2,400	100	13,325	13,586	261	2.0%	4,044	4,166	10,698
Average	6,939	6,939	0	1.101	1.140	39	3,960	4,075	115	2.646	2.710	63	14,647	14.865	218	1.5%	37.927	42.233	162.433

**TABLE C-3** 

(1) The UW-La Crosse tuition rate is for students starting at UW-La Crosse in Fall 2008 or later. Students starting Fall 2008 or later pay a higher rate as part of the Growth, Quality, and Access differential tuition program. (2) UW-Stout is the only UW institution to charge a per-credit tuition rate. The full-time tuition rate shown is the per-credit rate multiplied by the average full-time, resident, undergraduate credit load in Fall 2013 (14.3 credits per semester). The actual tuition increase paid by a student will vary based on the number of credits taken.

2014-15 CONSOLIDATED SCHEDULE OF TUITION, SEGREGATED FEES, AND ROOM AND BOARD Reflecting the Typical Costs of a Resident Freshman Living on Campus

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		Fall	Headcount						1,250	488							1,738
		# of Meal	Plans						140								140
		# of Room	Contracts						140	47							187
	Ī	Total %	Increase	0.4%	0.2%	0.4%	-0.1%	0.2%	0.6%	4.1%	-0.3%	1.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.6%
		Total	Increase	20	11	19	(9)	6	61	355	(15)	64	10	8	0	10	42
		FY15	Total	5,179	5,171	5,192	5,019	5,083	9,842	9,000	5,109	5,243	5,118	5,104	5,094	5,102	5,789
		FY14	Total	5,159	5,161	5,173	5,025	5,074	9,781	8,645	5,124	5,179	5,108	5,096	5,094	5,092	5,747
			Change						55	•							28
		FY15	<b>Meal Plan</b>						1,772								886
UW Colleges	Ī	FY14	Meal Plan						1,717	•							859
			Change						0	350							175
	-	FY15	Room Rate						2,949	3,900							3,425
		FY14	Room Rate						2,949	3,550							3,250
			Change	20	11	19	(9)	6	9	5	(15)	64	10	8	0	10	11
		FY15	Seg Fee	429	421	442	269	333	371	350	359	493	368	354	344	352	376
		FY14	Seg Fee	409	411	423	275	324	365	345	374	429	358	346	344	342	365
			Change	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		FY15	Tuition	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750
		FY14	Tuition	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750	4,750
			Campus	Baraboo	Barron	Fond du Lac	Fox Valley	Manitowoc	Marathon	Marinette	Marshfield	Richland	Rock Cty	Sheboygan	Washington	Waukesha	Average

#### UW System Tuition Refund Policy and Schedule

Refunds shall be made in accordance with Section Q. Refunds/Withdrawals/Drops and Attachment C of the <u>Financial and Administrative Policy F44.</u>

#### Q. <u>Refunds/Withdrawals/Drops</u>

UW System institutions are responsible for complying with federal regulations governing participation in the student financial assistance programs authorized under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended. To the extent that these regulations require a larger refund to federal funding sources than the amount specified by the refund policy stipulated below, the student will be responsible for the difference.

For refund, withdrawal, drop/adds and late payment purposes, the first session week is defined to end as of the close of regular business on Friday of the first full calendar week or, at the institution's option, after five class days.

Up to the end of the second session week (as institutionally defined) or the end of the 10th day of class, refunds for any credit reduction shall be at 100 percent (less the optional withdrawal fee). During the third and fourth session week, the refund shall be reduced to 50 percent and after the fourth session week, there shall be no refunds of tuition. At the institution's option, a flat add/drop fee as approved by the Vice President for Business and Finance may be assessed after the 100 percent refund period to cover administrative costs. The fee shall be deposited to Fund 128.

The burden of proof in determining the date of withdrawal/drop shall be on the student. The same refund schedule shall apply to both withdrawals and class drops. During the 100 percent refund period, a student who adds and drops credits of concurrently offered classes within the same session week shall be assessed additional fees or receive a refund based on the net result of those adds and drops. After the 100 percent refund period, students will be assessed for all adds and drops. If a part-time student only adds credits during the session week, the credits should be assessed at the full per-credit rate disregarding any previous refunds. Undergraduate students who take 12 through 18 credits and graduate students should not pay more than full-time student fees. Undergraduates who take more than 18 credits shall have the refund schedule applied to those credits which exceed the 18 credit plateau. Exceptions to this provision must have the prior approval of the Vice President for Business and Finance or designee.

In those instances in which a student can document nonattendance at the institution after having enrolled in one or more courses, the student shall be assessed fees equal to 20 percent of the original fees due, reduced to resident rates, plus the late payment fee.

The refund policy may be adjusted for differences in starting dates and session lengths. Exceptions may be made, at the institution's option, for changing sections within a course.

At the institution's option, a withdrawal fee not to exceed \$50 may be assessed during the first session week and up to \$100 during the second session week. The withdrawal fee shall be deposited to Fund 128 and used to support the fee collection operations and defray the cost of processing withdrawals.

# D. AUXILIARY OPERATIONS

# 2014-15 AUXILIARY RATES

Auxiliary operations are self-supporting programs whose primary purpose is to provide services to the students (e.g., residence halls, student centers/unions, student health clinics, bookstores) and whose secondary purpose is to provide services to staff (e.g., parking, clinics, conferences, printing and duplicating services), and occasionally the general public. User fees, segregated fees, merchandise sales, and interest earnings generate revenues for auxiliary operations, and the operations are allowed to maintain reserves with funds used for new facilities, remodeling/additions, deferred maintenance, high cost equipment, debt service obligations, and to ensure adequate funding for current operations. Students participate in the programming and budgeting process through institutional Segregated University Fee Allocations Committees (SUFACs).

Based on direction from the Business, Finance, and Audit Committee at the December 9, 2010 Board of Regents meeting, increases in major auxiliary rates are subject to a reporting threshold equal to the 3-year rolling average change in Wisconsin Disposable Income Per Capita or 3.0 percent, whichever is greater (3.0 percent for 2014-15). Institutions with rate increases below that threshold have reduced annual budget paperwork and those above must provide detailed reporting on their rate increases. The threshold applies separately to the following major auxiliary categories: Segregated Fees (in total), Room and Board rates, and Textbook Rental rates.

#### SEGREGATED FEES

The average segregated fee increase (excluding UW Colleges) is \$39 (3.6 percent); institutional rates range from \$908 to \$1,460 with changes ranging from \$7 to \$91 (0.6 percent to 7.5 percent).

UW Colleges average segregated fee increase is \$11 (3.0 percent); institutional rates range from \$269 to \$493 with changes ranging from -\$15 to \$64 (-4.0 percent to 15.0 percent).

Table D-1 shows the 2014-15 total segregated fee, percent increase, and dollar change for each of the four year institutions. Table D-3 provides an explanation for the top five four-year institutions above the 3.0 percent threshold and the UW Colleges institutions whose rates increased more than the threshold. Table D-3 also identifies the portion of the rates that are associated with major projects and lists the rates for the remaining institutions.

Factors influencing the segregated fee increases include the need to maintain services during changing enrollments, increasing compensation costs, student initiated programming, maintenance projects, and major projects.

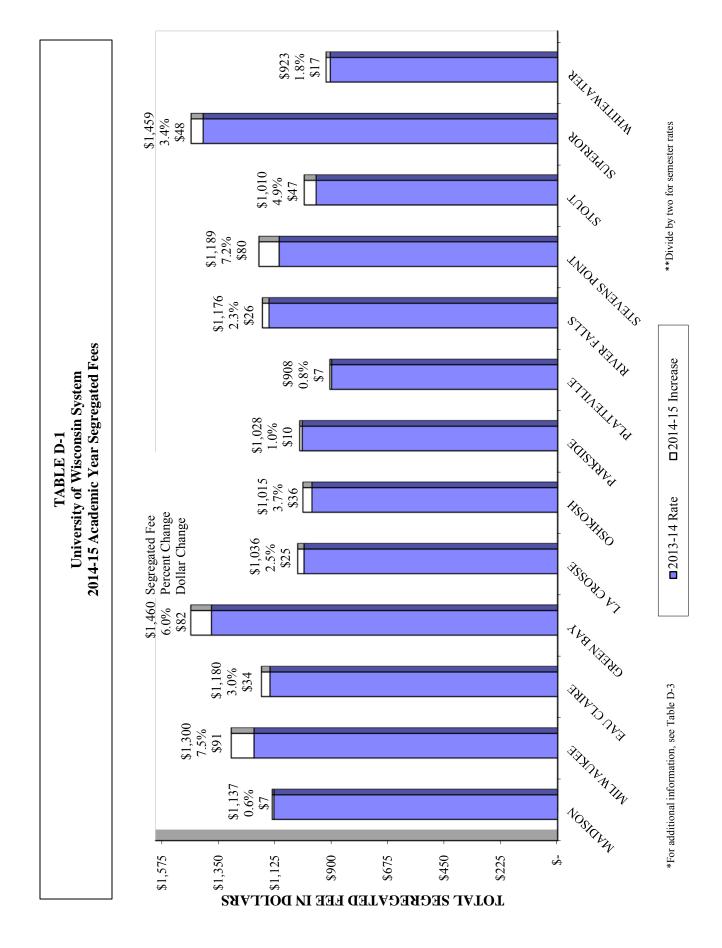
#### **ROOM AND BOARD**

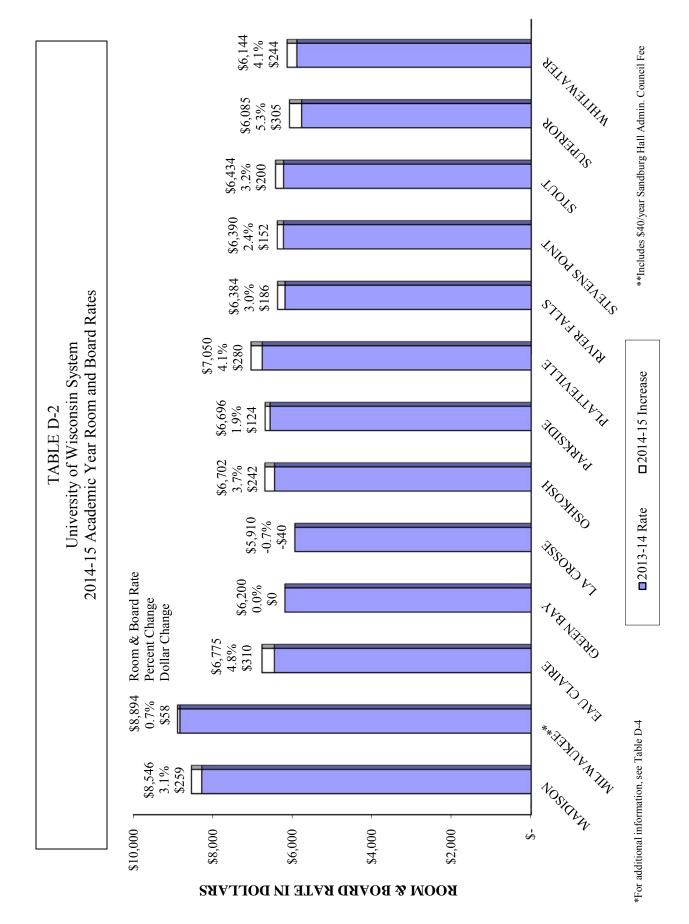
The average most popular room and board rate increase (excluding UW Colleges) is \$178 (2.7 percent); institutional rates range from \$5,910 to \$8,894 with changes ranging from -\$40 to \$310 (-0.7 percent to 4.8 percent).

Table D-2 shows the 2014-15 most popular room and board rates, percent increase, and dollar change for each of the four-year institutions. Table D-4 provides an explanation for the top five four-year institutions above the 3.0 percent threshold and lists the rates for the remaining institutions, including the two UW Colleges that offer room and board.

Factors influencing the room and board increases include debt service, renovation and maintenance projects, vendor contract rate increases, and increasing compensation costs.

Table D-5 summarizes the 2014-15 textbook rental rates and provides an explanation for the two institutions whose rates are increasing more than the 3% threshold.





			201. Toj	Universit 4-15 Academic Y p Five Four-Yean	TABLE D-3 University of Wisconsin System 2014-15 Academic Year Segregated Fee Explanations Top Five Four-Year Institutions Over the Threshold
<u>Institution</u>	<u>2013-14 Rate</u>	<u>2014-15 Rate</u>	Increase	<u>% Change</u>	Explanation
<b>Milwaukee</b> - Operations - Major Projects	<b>\$1,209.10</b> \$1,112.80 \$96.30	<b>\$1,299.70</b> \$1,203.40 \$96.30	<b>\$90.60</b> \$9.00 \$0.00	<b>7.5%</b> 8.1% 0.0%	The \$91 increase in Operations includes \$77 to maintain services to students due to projected enrollment decreases of 3.6% from 2013-14 to 2014-15. \$39 will be used to reduce the structural deficit in the Intercollegiate Athletics, and \$14 will support the Children's Center move to the Northwest Quadrant with additional operational and facility costs. \$16 will be used to provide improved oversight and leadership in student programming at the Union. There is a decrease of \$86 due to base expense reductions and to better align reserve balance with operational needs.
Stevens Point - Operations	<b>\$1,109.20</b> \$870.20	<b>\$1,189.34</b> \$900.34	<b>\$80.14</b> \$30.14	<b>7.2%</b> 3.5%	The \$30 increase in Operations includes \$20 for salary and fringe benefit increases, a Marketing Specialist, and three graduate assistants, as well as increased operational costs at the Union. An increase of \$7 requested by SUFAC for University Health will better align reserve balances with operational needs.
- Major Projects	\$239.00	\$289.00	\$50.00	20.9%	The \$50 increase in Major Projects is for a Health and Wellness Facility that was approved by Student Referendum in April, 2014. The fee will increase to \$125 in 2015-16, and \$275 in 2016-17 which will remain through the life of the bond. Currently, it is anticipated the facility will be on-line in 2017-18.
<b>Green Bay</b> - Operations - Major Projects	<b>\$1,378.00</b> \$1,205.26 \$172.74	<b>\$1,460.00</b> \$1,267.63 \$192.37	<b>\$82.00</b> \$62.37 \$19.63	<b>6.0%</b> 5.2% 11.4%	The \$62 increase in Operations includes \$128 to maintain services to students as a result of enrollment decreases of nearly 400 undergraduate FTE through 2014-15. This increase is being offset with a decrease of \$58 utilizing reserve balances and \$8 which will result in reduced programming. The \$20 increase in Major Projects is for for debt service associated with the Kress Events Center due
<b>Stout</b> - Operations - Major Projects	<b>\$962.40</b> \$780.43 \$181.97	<b>\$1,009.80</b> \$827.83 \$181.97	<b>\$47.40</b> \$47.40 \$0.00	<b>4.9%</b> 6.1% 0.0%	to enrollment decreases. The \$47 increase in Operations includes \$20 for student-supported maintenance of the athletics and recreation facilities which will include items such as door replacements, bleacher and multipurpose room repairs, and repairs to the Williams Stadium stands and cement. \$11 of the increase is for a new student-initiated green fee for campus-wide sustainability projects, and \$5 of the increase will be used in Health Services to hire medical staff and assist in third-party billing operations on campus.
<b>Oshkosh</b> - Operations - Major Projects	<b>\$979.00</b> \$766.80 \$212.20	<b>\$1,015.00</b> \$802.80 \$212.20	<b>\$36.00</b> \$36.00 \$0.00	<b>3.7%</b> 4.7% 0.0%	The \$36 increase is primarily related to a student approved one-time \$28 increase for turf replacement at the Oshkosh Sports Complex. Other increases include \$6 for increased compensation costs, and \$4 for student initiated programing including new student organizations and intranural programs, new transit routes, and increased Athletics team travel costs. There is also a decrease in the fee for the Student Union due to programming modifications.

<u>Institution</u>	2013-14 Rate	2013-14 Rate 2014-15 Rate Increa	<u>Increase</u>	<u>% Change</u>	<u>Narrative</u>
Richland	\$428.92	\$493.38	\$64.46	15.0%	The \$65 increase includes \$53 for a student-initiated increase for the writing center which includes the addition of a professional tutor. \$6 is for a student-initiated increase of services including additional support from a Student Activities Coordinator. \$10 will maintain services to students as a result of enrollments projected to decrease by more than 100 students. There is a decrease of \$5 to better align reserve balances with operational needs.
Baraboo	\$408.64	\$428.86	\$20.22	4.9%	The \$20 increase will be used for a student-initiated increase in mental health counseling hours.
Fond du Lac	\$423.38	\$442.40	\$19.02	4.5%	The \$19 increase includes \$10 for a student-allocated increase to bring resources for women's basketball in line with men's basketball. \$8 of the increase is to offset an anticipated decrease in concessions revenue for Athletics.

# TABLE D-3University of Wisconsin System2014-15 Academic Year Segregated Fee ChangesFour-Year Institutions not Previously Reported

Institution	<u>2013-14 Rate</u>	<u>2014-15 Rate</u>	Increase	<u>% Change</u>
Madison	\$1,130.08	\$1,136.88	\$6.80	0.6%
- Operations	\$898.00	\$892.80	-\$5.20	-0.6%
- Major Projects	\$232.08	\$244.08	\$12.00	5.2%
Eau Claire	\$1,145.68	\$1,179.68	\$34.00	3.0%
- Operations	\$802.33	\$835.67	\$33.34	4.2%
- Major Projects	\$343.35	\$344.01	\$0.66	0.2%
La Crosse	\$1,010.39	\$1,035.70	\$25.31	2.5%
- Operations	\$872.81	\$878.12	\$5.31	0.6%
- Major Projects	\$137.58	\$157.58	\$20.00	14.5%
Parkside	\$1,017.60	\$1,027.68	\$10.08	1.0%
- Operations	\$541.77	\$554.43	\$12.66	2.3%
- Major Projects	\$475.83	\$473.25	-\$2.58	-0.5%
Platteville	\$901.00	\$908.00	\$7.00	0.8%
- Operations	\$704.00	\$711.00	\$7.00	1.0%
- Major Projects	\$197.00	\$197.00	\$0.00	0.0%
<b>River Falls</b>	\$1,149.44	\$1,175.73	\$26.29	2.3%
- Operations	\$800.44	\$826.73	\$26.29	3.3%
- Major Projects	\$349.00	\$349.00	\$0.00	0.0%
Superior	\$1,410.82	\$1,458.71	\$47.89	3.4%
- Operations	\$862.82	\$910.71	\$47.89	5.6%
- Major Projects	\$548.00	\$548.00	\$0.00	0.0%
Whitewater	\$906.32	\$922.93	\$16.61	1.8%
- Operations	\$697.88	\$714.47	\$16.59	2.4%
- Major Projects	\$208.44	\$208.46	\$0.02	0.0%

# TABLE D-3University of Wisconsin System2014-15 Academic Year Segregated Fee ChangesTwo-Year Institutions not Previously Reported

<u>Institution</u> Barron	<u>2013-14 Rate</u> \$410.90	<u>2014-15 Rate</u> \$421.40	<u>Increase</u> \$10.50	<u>% Change</u> 2.6%
Fox Valley	\$275.10	\$268.58	-\$6.52	-2.4%
Manitowoc	\$323.70	\$332.98	\$9.28	2.9%
Marathon	\$364.84	\$370.62	\$5.78	1.6%
Marinette	\$345.26	\$350.18	\$4.92	1.4%
Marshfield	\$373.74	\$358.80	-\$14.94	-4.0%
Rock	\$358.32	\$368.18	\$9.86	2.8%
Sheboygan	\$345.92	\$354.22	\$8.30	2.4%
Washington	\$344.34	\$344.34	\$0.00	0.0%
Waukesha	\$341.56	\$351.82	\$10.26	3.0%

			To	p Five Four-Yea	Top Five Four-Year Institutions Over the Threshold
Institution	<u>2013-14 Rate</u>	<u>2014-15 Rate</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>% Change</u>	Explanation
UW-Superior - Residence Halls	<b>\$5,780</b> \$3,360	<b>\$6,085</b> \$3,595	<b>\$305</b> \$235	<b>5.3%</b> 7.0%	The \$235 increase in room rates includes \$225 to pay for debt service related to the Ross and Hawkes Halls renovation projects, and \$10 for increased compensation costs for Residence Hall staff.
- Meal Plans	\$2,420	\$2,490	\$70	2.9%	The \$70 increase in meal plans includes \$48 due to the increase in contract costs, and \$22 for inflationary and overhead increases.
UW-Eau Claire - Residence Halls	<b>\$6,465</b> \$3,415	<b>\$6,775</b> \$3,655	<b>\$310</b> \$240	<b>4.8%</b> 7.0%	The \$240 increase in room rates includes \$132 for anticipated debt service toward the building of 2 new residence halls as enumerated in the 2013-15 Capital budget. \$98 of the increase is for future renovations to Towers Hall and Governors Hall, as well as maintenance and renovations for additional housing capacity. \$10 of the increase will pay for furnishings in new residence halls and regular maintenance in other buildings.
- Meal Plans	\$3,050	\$3,120	\$70	2.3%	The \$70 increase in meal plans includes \$46 due to the increase in food and contract costs. \$17 will be used for new equipment and repairs for the food service operation and \$7 is for additional compensation costs.
UW-Platteville - Residence Halls	<b>\$6,770</b> \$3,700	<b>\$7,050</b> \$3,890	<b>\$280</b> \$190	<b>4.1%</b> 5.1%	The \$190 increase in room rates includes \$150 to pay for ongoing costs of the new Bridgeway Commons building's lease. \$27 of the room rate increase is to pay for maintenance improvements across campus housing. \$13 of the increase will pay for furniture replacements at Hugunin Hall.
- Meal Plans	\$3,070	\$3,160	890	2.9%	The \$90 increase in meal plans includes \$64 for increased compensation costs. \$23 of the increase will pay for higher food costs, and \$3 of the increase will pay for higher utility and overhead costs.
<b>UW-Whitewater</b> - Residence Halls	<b>\$5,900</b> \$3,600	<b>\$6,144</b> \$3,744	<b>\$244</b> \$144	<b>4.1%</b> 4.0%	The \$144 increase in room rates includes \$135 for bonding and furmiture costs associated with the West Campus Development project. The remaining \$9 of the increase will be used for an additional custodial position and increased operating costs.
- Meal Plans	\$2,300	\$2,400	\$100	4.3%	Due to a reporting error in 2013-14, an incorrect rate of \$2,300 was provided to, and approved by, the Board of Regents for the 14-meal plan (the plan that requires \$50/semester in dining dollars that was not added to the 2013-14 rate). The intent was to increase the rate by \$70 to \$2,400 in 2013-14 and hold that rate steady in 2014-15. Instead, the rate as approved by the Board of Regents shows a decrease of \$30 in 2013-14 and a subsequent increase in 2014-15 of \$100, which results in the same total increase over the two years of \$70. The rate published on the campus website and charged to students for the 14-meal plan was the \$2,400 rate. In response to charging the higher rate in 2013-14, all students who have meal plans where the dining dollars are required as part of the plan have been refunded the \$50/semester amount.
<b>UW-Oshkosh</b> - Residence Halls	<b>\$6,460</b> \$3,864	<b>\$6,702</b> \$4,016	<b>\$242</b> \$152	<b>3.7%</b> 3.9%	The \$152 increase in room rates includes \$70 to provide cash and debt service toward the renovation of Fletcher Hall. \$50 of the increase will be used to update computer labs in the residence halls and renovate the office space for the Management Information Office, who provide IT services to those in the residence halls, and \$17 of the room rate increase will be used for administrative cost increases such as administrative systems and utilities.
- Meal Plans	\$2,596	\$2,686	06\$	3.5%	The \$90 increase in meal plans includes \$75 to pay for maintenance and capital improvements such as concept changes in the dining hall, elevator replacements, and dishroom repairs. \$5 will be used for increasing compensation and utility costs and \$2 is the result of meal plan modifications and costs.

# TABLE D-4University of Wisconsin System2014-15 Academic Year Room and Board ExplanationsInstitutions not Previously Reported

<u>Institution</u>	<u>2013-14 Rate</u>	2014-15 Rate	<b>Increase</b>	<u>% Change</u>
Madison	\$8,287	\$8,546	\$259	3.1%
- Residence Halls	\$5,384	\$5,546	\$162	3.0%
- Meal Plans	\$2,903	\$3,000	\$97	3.3%
Milwaukee	\$8,836	\$8,894	\$58	0.7%
- Residence Halls	\$5,170	\$5,170	\$0	0.0%
- Meal Plans	\$3,666	\$3,724	\$58	1.6%
Green Bay	\$6,200	\$6,200	<b>\$0</b>	0.0%
- Residence Halls	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$0	0.0%
- Meal Plans	\$2,200	\$2,200	\$0	0.0%
La Crosse	\$5,950	\$5,910	-\$40	-0.7%
- Residence Halls	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$0	0.0%
- Meal Plans	\$2,450	\$2,410	-\$40	-1.6%
Parkside	\$6,572	\$6,696	\$124	1.9%
- Residence Halls	\$4,276	\$4,320	\$44	1.0%
- Meal Plans	\$2,296	\$2,376	\$80	3.5%
<b>River Falls</b>	\$6,198	\$6,384	\$186	3.0%
- Residence Halls	\$3,879	\$3,995	\$116	3.0%
- Meal Plans	\$2,319	\$2,389	\$70	3.0%
Stevens Point	\$6,238	\$6,390	\$152	2.4%
- Residence Halls	\$3,588	\$3,660	\$72	2.0%
- Meal Plans	\$2,650	\$2,730	\$80	3.0%
Stout	\$6,234	\$6,434	\$200	3.2%
- Residence Halls	\$3,750	\$3,890	\$140	3.7%
- Meal Plans	\$2,484	\$2,544	\$60	2.4%
Colleges (Marathon)	\$4,666	\$4,721	\$55	1.2%
- Residence Halls	\$2,949	\$2,949	\$0	0.0%
- Meal Plans	\$1,717	\$1,772	\$55	3.2%
Colleges (Marinette)	\$3,550	\$3,900	\$350	9.9%
- Residence Halls	\$3,550	\$3,900	\$350	9.9%
- Meal Plans	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0%

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<b>Institution</b>	<u>2013-14</u>	<u>2014-15</u>	<b>Change</b>	<u>% Change</u>
Eau Claire	\$202.80	\$202.80	\$0.00	0.0%
La Crosse	\$173.92	\$173.92	\$0.00	0.0%
Platteville	\$165.00	\$165.00	\$0.00	0.0%
River Falls	\$143.30	\$147.60	\$4.30	3.0%
Stevens Point	\$170.40	\$181.20	\$10.80	6.3%
Stout (based on 30 credits)	\$181.80	\$190.80	\$9.00	5.0%
Whitewater	\$153.12	\$157.78	\$4.66	3.0%
UW Colleges				
Barron*	\$200.00	\$0.00	-\$200.00	-100.0%
Manitowoc	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$0.00	0.0%
Marshfield*	\$250.00	\$0.00	-\$250.00	-100.0%
Richland*	\$200.00	\$0.00	-\$200.00	-100.0%

\*Barron, Marshfield, and Richland will end their textbook rental programs in for 2014-15 and move to a multi-College contract for books.

#### **Explaination of Textbook Rental Increases that Exceed the Threshold**

**Stevens Point:** The increase of \$10.80 is part of a two-year increase that began in 2013-14 due to increased textbook prices, continued implementation of Stevens Point's General Education requirements, and the increasing use of adjunct faculty to replace retiring faculty.

**Stout:** The increase of \$9 is a result of the institution responding to student requests and using more E-texts as opposed to physical textbooks.

## APPENDIX A. SUMMARY OF DIFFERENTIAL TUITION PROGRAMS

Institution	Tuition Program	Description	Pricing	Annual Increase
	School of Business - Undergraduate	Implemented Fall 2007. The differential rate applies to all undergraduate students enrolled in the Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) major and Certificate in Business (CIB) program. The differential will be reviewed by the campus and students after the 2011-12 academic year.	BBA tuition increased by \$500 per semester (\$1,000 per year). CIB tuition increased by \$150 per semester (\$300 per year).	None
UW- Madison	School of Engineering – Undergraduate Differential Tuition	The differential applies to all undergraduate students enrolled in the Engineering major beginning in Fall 2008. The differential increases the number of faculty, expands student services, and funds new programs. The College of Engineering committed to raising funds for need-based financial aid.	The differential is \$700 per semester (\$1,400 per year).	None
	The Madison Initiative for Undergraduates	Approved in May 2009. The differential applies to all undergraduate students. The differential will improve quality by increasing student access to key courses and majors; introducing curricular and pedagogical change; improving vital student services; and enhancing access and affordability. The Initiative will add faculty and instructional support while increasing need-based financial aid. Students from families with an adjusted gross income of \$80,000 or less and with unmet financial need will be held harmless from the differential increase.	The differential is \$1,000 for residents and \$3,000 for nonresidents.	None

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Differential Tu	Differential Tuition (continued)			
Institution	Tuition Program	Description	Pricing	Annual Increase
		Implemented Fall 2004. Differential rate	The differential is \$21.80 per	None
	Peck School of the Arts - Undergraduate		credit in 2014-15.	
	College of	Implemented Fall 2004. Applies to all	The differential is \$21.63 per	None
	Engineering and Applied Science –	undergraduate and graduate courses provided by the college.	credit in 2014-15.	
	Undergraduate and Graduate	)		
-WU	Sheldon B. Lubar	Implemented Fall 2004. Differential rate	The differential is \$21.22 per	None
Milwaukee	School of Business	applies to all 200- to 600-level courses provided	credit in 2014-15.	
	Administration – Undergraduate			
		Implemented Fall 2004. Applies to all	The differential is \$31.52 per	None
	Undergraduate	undergraduates enrolled in clinical major courses within the College.	credit in 2014-15.	
	School of	Implemented Fall 2006. Supports a desktop	\$11.55 per credit for all	May increase by
	Architecture and	computer workstation program with enhanced	Department of Architecture	5% annually
	Urban Planning	support services for architecture students.	courses and an additional \$31.45	
	(SARUP) –		per credit (\$43 per credit total)	
	Undergraduate and Graduate		for all courses at the 200 through 800 levels.	
		In 2010, UW-Eau Claire expanded their	For full-time resident and	None
		existing differential in support of the Blugold	nonresident undergraduate	
UW-Eau	I ne Blugola	Commument – a commument to extraordinary		
Claire	Commitment -	learning, arrordable education, and globally	\$1,003 per year in 2014-15. The	
	Undergraduate	prepared graduates from Wisconsin. The	board-approved increase to	
		differential supports nign-impact practices, additional faculty, and financial aid.	\$1,505 per year in rall 2015 was prevented by the tuition freeze.	

Differential Tu	Differential Tuition (continued)			
Institution	Tuition Program	Description	Pricing	Annual Increase
	Academic Excellence Initiatives – Undergraduate and Graduate	Implemented Fall 2003 and reviewed in 2010. The differential provides financial support for academic advising, diversity initiatives, undergraduate research, and international education. The differential must be merged with the Growth, Quality, and Access differential in 2013.	The rate is \$69.96 per semester in Fall 2014. The Board- approved increase to \$74.16 per semester in Fall 2013 was prevented by the tuition freeze.	None
UW- La Crosse	Growth, Quality, and Access - Undergraduate	Approved by the Board of Regents in 2007. The differential does not apply to students enrolled before Fall 2008. The differential is used to hire additional faculty and staff and to purchase instructional supplies and equipment.	The differential is \$573.24 per semester (\$1,146.48 per year) in 2014-15.	Increase will be sufficient to cover salary and fringe increases and is not expected to be larger than the percent increase in resident undergraduate tuition.
UW Oshkosh	Oshkosh Personal Development Compact – Undergraduate	Implemented Fall 2003 to enhance assessment, advising, co-curricular involvement, and emotional wellness. Emphasis is placed on student retention, reduced time to graduation, and increased graduation rates.	The undergraduate tuition differential is \$61.92 per semester (\$123.84 per year) in 2014-15.	None
-WU Plottorillo	Regional Enrollment Plan – Undergraduate	Implemented Fall 2005. Offers a differential tuition rate to nonresident, undergraduate students from Illinois and Iowa who enroll in fields that address the workforce needs of both new and established Wisconsin businesses.	Eligible students will be charged the resident tuition rate plus a premium of \$4,400 per year.	After Fall 2010, the premium may increase up to the resident undergraduate tuition rate.
	Academic and Support Services – Undergraduate	Approved in April 2008. The differential expands student services (e.g., Writing Center and Tutoring Center), supports additional mental health staff, funds career services staff, and provides financial support to students completing their senior capstone project.	Differential tuition will be 1.9% of the resident undergraduate tuition rate for all undergraduates. In 2014-15, this is \$59.88 per semester (\$119.76 per year).	As a percent of tuition, the differential increases with tuition

Differential Tui	Differential Tuition (continued)			
Institution	Tuition Program	Description	Pricing	Annual Increase
UW-River Falls	The Falcon Promise - Undergraduate	This institution-wide differential was initially implemented in Fall 2007 and was reviewed in 2011. The Falcon Promise supports enhanced library services, a testing center, tutoring services, undergraduate research and engagement opportunities, learning space upgrades, and the Falcon Scholars financial aid program.	The differential is \$65 per semester (\$130 per year). The Board-approved increase to \$160 per year in Fall 2013 was prevented by the tuition freeze.	None
	Customized Instruction	Implemented Fall 1999. Provides tuition flexibility to determine and charge market rates for customized programs, certificates, and courses to meet the needs of business and industry. Courses will be typically provided in alternative time frames (i.e., summer, evenings, and/or weekends.)	Market tuition rates will vary by program.	Variable based on market rates
10016- 000	Access to Learning – Undergraduate and Graduate	Implemented Fall 1999. The differential tuition provides access to active learning programs that promote critical and creative thinking abilities in students. The differential provides expanded access to campus laboratories, cooperative education programs, field trips, and instructional materials.	Both residents and nonresidents pay the same differential tuition amount, which equals 5% of undergraduate and graduate tuition. In 2014-15, this was \$11.13 per credit for undergraduates and \$17.50 per credit for graduates.	As a percent of tuition, the differential increases with tuition

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Institution	Tuition Program	Description	Pricing	Annual Increase
	The Superior Experience - Undergraduate	First approved in 2003. The Superior Experience supports technology for Swenson Hall, Jim Dan Hill Library acquisitions, and Career Services.	All undergraduate students are assessed an additional \$119 per semester (\$237 per year). The differential fee is prorated for part-time students.	None
UW-Superior	Natural Science Per- Credit Differential – Undergraduate	Implemented in Fall 2011. The per-credit differential on Department of Natural Sciences courses will support laboratory equipment, field trips, student assistants, and capstone research projects. The differential will replace all special course fees in the Department of Natural Sciences.	Undergraduate tuition increased by \$12.00 per credit on courses offered in the Department of Natural Sciences.	None
UW- Whitewater	Advising and Integrated Freshman Experience Program – Undergraduate	Implemented Fall 2002 to promote continual student success through a multilevel advising model and an integrated freshman experience program.	Undergraduate tuition increases by an amount equal to 3.5% of the resident undergraduate tuition rate. In 2014-15, this is \$110.28 per semester (\$220.56 per year).	As a percent of tuition, the differential increases with tuition

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#### **2015-17 BIENNIAL BUDGET**

#### BACKGROUND

The Board of Regents is required by statute to submit a biennial budget request to the State of Wisconsin no later than September 15 of even numbered years. In order to submit the budget on time, the Board will consider and approve a biennial budget request at its August 21-22, 2014 meeting.

At the February and April Board of Regents meetings, the Board discussed the University's needs for the future. During the June meeting, the Board will discuss the components of the request and provide direction for moving forward with the budget.

#### **REQUESTED ACTION**

No action is being requested in June on the UW System's 2015-17 biennial budget request. During the summer, Board members will have the opportunity to meet with staff to discuss the budget proposal, and will have an opportunity to provide feedback on how to proceed in finalizing the budget for the August meeting.

#### DISCUSSION

The UW System operates under a block grant approach which allows funding to be prioritized by the institutions in a way that best meets their strategic goals while addressing the top priorities of the Board of Regents. The biennial budget typically provides funding to cover anticipated cost increases for standard budget adjustments such as utilities and health insurance, and for debt service for academic buildings. The biennial budget also includes new funding, allocated from the State's compensation reserve, for any state approved pay plan increases.

The Board of Regents typically requests additional resources for new initiatives that will enhance services to students and to Wisconsin businesses and communities. Potential 2015-17 initiatives are in development, and will incorporate the Board of Regents' input prior to the August meeting. Standard budget adjustments (also known as cost-to-continue), will be developed based upon guidance provided by the Department of Administration (DOA).

#### **RELATED REGENT POLICIES**

Not applicable

Financial Aid: 2015-17 WHEG-UW Funding Recommendation

#### UW SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

Resolution 9:

That, upon the recommendation of the President of the University of Wisconsin System, the Board of Regents submits the following 2015-17 WHEG-UW funding request to the Wisconsin Higher Educational Aids Board (HEAB), for inclusion in HEAB's 2015-17 Biennial Budget request:

"That the funding for the WHEG-UW program increase by \$6,382,696 in 2015-16 to provide grants to the current wait list of eligible students, and by an additional \$2,223,206 in 2016-17 to return the average award level for all eligible students to the 2012-13 level of \$1,837, providing a biennial increase of \$14,988,598."

Agenda Item 9.

# RECOMMENDATION ON FINANCIAL AID FOR THE 2015-17 BIENNIUM

#### BACKGROUND

The Wisconsin Higher Education Grant Program for students attending University of Wisconsin institutions (WHEG-UW), Wisconsin's largest financial aid program, has been flat funded in recent budgets. WHEG-UW provides state-funded grants to undergraduate resident students who demonstrate financial need and are enrolled at least half-time. Award amounts are determined by a formula, which is revised annually with input from UW financial aid directors.

The budget request for WHEG-UW is approved in even-numbered years by the Board of Regents and then forwarded to the Higher Educational Aids Board (HEAB) for inclusion in that agency's biennial budget submission to the Department of Administration.

A resolution has been developed for submission to the Higher Educational Aids Board, supporting a request to increase the Wisconsin Higher Education Grant for UW Students (WHEG-UW) program to support the current number of students plus an additional 3,581 students who were on a wait list for the 2013-14 year. A resolution needs to be acted upon to meet the budget development timeline of the Higher Educational Aids Board. It has normally asked that the Board of Regents submit its WHEG-UW recommendations by the end of June.

#### **REQUESTED ACTION**

Approval of Resolution 9. That, upon the recommendation of the President of the University of Wisconsin System, the Board of Regents submits the following 2015-17 WHEG-UW funding request to the Wisconsin Higher Educational Aids Board (HEAB), for inclusion in HEAB's 2015-17 Biennial Budget request:

"That the funding for the WHEG-UW program increase by \$6,382,696 in 2015-16 to provide grants to the current wait list of eligible students, and by an additional \$2,223,206 in 2016-17 to return the average award level for all eligible students to the 2012-13 level of \$1,837."

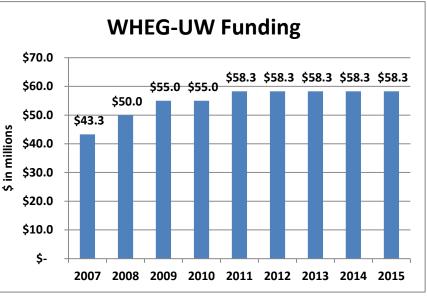
#### **RELATED REGENT POLICIES**

Not applicable.

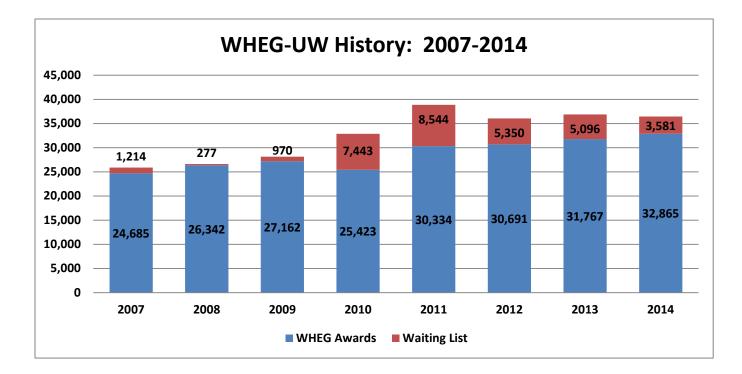
# 2015-17 WHEG-UW Funding Request

## **Impacts of Flat Funding**

WHEG-UW funding for the UW System has remained at \$58,345,400 since 2010-11. This has had significant impacts on grant sizes and the waiting list of eligible students who do not receive awards due to insufficient funding. Flat funding coupled with the economic recession resulted in a significant waiting list starting in 2009-10. Without additional funding, the UW System began making changes to the funding formula starting in 2010-11 to reduce the wait-list and make awards to a greater number of needy students.



The funding formula used to award grants to students has remained unchanged since 2012-13. Changes to the funding formula have reduced the waiting list; however, this has resulted in a gradual decrease in the size of WHEG-UW awards. The average WHEG-UW award decreased from approximately \$1,901 in 2011-12 to \$1,776 in 2013-14. While more students with financial need are receiving aid through this program, the size of these awards has not increased to help address rising costs. Even with the 2013-15 tuition freeze, the other costs associated with college attendance (housing, food, books, travel, etc.) have all increased.



### WHEG-UW Funding Request - Eliminate Waiting List and Gradual Award Increases

The following 2015-17 WHEG funding request strikes a delicate balance between eliminating the waiting list and gradually increasing average award sizes.

- The request eliminates the projected 2013-14 waiting list of 3,581, thereby funding all WHEG-UW eligible students.
- The average award is projected to remain at the 2013-14 level of \$1,776 in 2015-16.
- Awards are projected to then return to the 2012-13 level of \$1,837 in 2016-17.

	2014-15	2015-16 Increase	Final 2015-16	2016-17 Increase	Final 2016-17	Biennial Request
WHEG	\$58,345,400	\$6,382,696	\$64,728,096	\$2,223,206	\$66,951,302	\$14,988,598

## **Funding Request Considerations**

UW System Administration considered multiple WHEG-UW funding request options. These options were shared and discussed with financial aid directors at UW institutions and with UW System staff. Below is a brief summary of two of the options that were considered.

One option that was considered would have eliminated the projected 2013-14 waiting list of 3,581 students and funded all WHEG-UW eligible students. This option would have kept the average award at the 2013-14 level of \$1,776. This would have required a WHEG-UW program funding increase of \$6,382,696 in both 2015-16 and 2016-17, for a total biennial request of \$12,765,392. This option would not have provided funding to return average award levels to those seen in previous years. The recommended request builds upon this option and starts to return award levels to the 2012-13 average instead of holding them at the lower 2013-14 level.

The UW System also considered an option that would have eliminated the projected 2013-14 waiting list of 3,581 students and raised awards to the 2009-10 average of \$2,161. It would reverse the trend of lower WHEG-UW average award sizes and return to the 2009-10 average award level; however, it would also require a WHEG-UW program funding increase of \$20,414,406 in both 2015-16 and 2016-17, for a total biennial request of \$40,828,812. The funding required to accomplish both of these goals in one biennium was thought to be prohibitive.