



June 1, 2015

Dear Student,

As approved by the Seminary’s Board of Trustees, charges for the academic year 2015-2016 will be as follows:

1. **Tuition** (based on the fiscal year July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016)

For those students not enrolled in the Academic Management Services Tuition Installment Plan (HigherOne), charges for tuition and fees are due and payable on or before the first class-day of each semester.

A. Ph.D. Candidates

- Annual Tuition for resident study (minimum of two years required) (\$6,750 per fall and spring semester)\$13,500
- Reduced tuition years 3 through 5 of study (\$650 per fall and spring semester)\$1,300
- Reduced tuition years 6 through 9 of study (\$1,000 per fall and spring semester)\$2,000

B. Th.M. Candidates

- Annual tuition for this one year program, assuming 12-15 credits per semester (\$6,750 per fall and spring semester)\$13,500

C. M.Div., M.A., M.A.(T.S.) and M.Div./M.A. (“Dual”) Candidates

- Annual full-time tuition (\$6,750 per fall and spring semester)\$13,500
- For this amount, students in these programs will be allowed to take a maximum of 28 credits, with a further limitation of 15 credits in a semester. Additional credits beyond these limits (28/15) require the advance approval of the Associate Dean for Academic Administration, Academic Affairs and will result in “overload credits” billed at the rate of \$700 per credit. See below for special rules concerning permitted credits in the case of January term enrollment. In addition, students will be allowed to take up to 6 credits during the summer. Any out-of-pocket tuition expense pertaining to summer credits will be refunded in the form of a tuition credit, provided the student maintains full-time status (12 credits minimum) during both the ensuing fall and spring semesters. The reduction of tuition will be applied to the student’s account, one half at the end of each of the fall and spring semesters. Please note that, for graduation purposes, M.Div. candidates are required to be registered as full-time students for 6 semesters and Dual candidates for 8 semesters.

D. January Optional Term

The annual tuition for full-time students will cover January term credits. Likewise, room fees for the term have been incorporated into annual housing costs.

A student will be allowed to take up to 30 credits in an academic year (including the Fall semester, January term, and Spring semester) by virtue of enrolling in a January term course, without advance approval of the Associate Dean for Academic Administration, Academic Affairs. However, only once during a student’s degree program will this be allowed. Should a student take more than 30 credits in an academic year by virtue of enrolling in a January term course, overload credits will be charged for those credits in excess of 30.

E. Interns

- Annual tuition and fees for this year long placement are\$1,380
- \$1,040 for 2 credits, charged \$520 per semester, plus a minimal fee of \$340 charged \$170 per semester, to defray administrative costs, internet (email), student publications, etc.

2. **Annual Comprehensive Fee**\$1,350

Charged \$675 per semester to all full-time students; partially defrays various institutional and instructional costs, such as the cost of student publications, technological services, educational media, cable TV, internet, Tiger Transit transportation system, parking permits, etc.

PhD candidates beginning their program in or after 2011 and residing in Seminary housing during years 3, 4 or 5 of their program will be assessed the comprehensive fee in addition to the reduced tuition. Both fees will be charged at the then- current rate.

3. Annual Basic Fee\$675

Charged \$337.50 per semester to all part-time students; partially defrays various institutional and instructional costs, such as the cost of student publications and technological services, Tiger Transit transportation system, parking permits, etc.

4. Seminary Housing and Board

A. Residence Hall and Board:

Residence Hall Room.....	\$3,280 (\$1,640 per semester)
21 Meal Plan	\$5,020 (\$2,510 per semester)
15 Meal Plan	\$4,040 (\$2,020 per semester)

B. Single Family Apartments (Roberts, Tennent, Dickinson, Hibben):

1 Bedroom.....	\$8,040 (\$1,340/summer and \$3,350/fall and spring)
2 Bedroom.....	\$10,200 (\$1,700/summer and \$4,250/fall and spring)
3 Bedroom.....	\$12,420 (\$2,070/summer and \$5,175/fall and spring)

C. Single Family Apartments (Witherspoon):

1 Bedroom.....	\$8,460 (\$1,410/summer and \$3,525/fall and spring)
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D. Single Family Apartments (CRW):

1 Bedroom.....	\$9,300 (\$1,550/summer and \$3,875/fall and spring)
2 Bedroom.....	\$11,760 (\$1,960/summer and \$4,900/fall and spring)
3 Bedroom.....	\$13,920 (\$2,320/summer and \$5,800/fall and spring)
4 Bedroom.....	\$16,080 (\$2,680/summer and \$6,700/fall and spring)

E. Shared Apartments (Roberts, Tennent, Dickinson, Hibben):

2 Bedroom-Shared-per person	\$5,340 (\$890/summer and \$2,225/fall and spring)
3 Bedroom-Shared-per person	\$4,800 (\$800/summer and \$2,000/fall and spring)

F. Shared Apartments (Witherspoon):

2 Bedroom-Shared-per person	\$5,520 (\$920/summer and \$2,300/fall and spring)
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G. Shared Apartments (CRW)

2 Bedroom-Shared-per person	\$6,000 (\$1,000/summer and \$2,500/fall and spring)
3 Bedroom-Shared-per person	\$5,280 (\$880/summer and \$2,200/fall and spring)

5. Annual Health Insurance

Student health insurance is available as follows:

Single student.....	\$2,800
Student and spouse.....	\$8,210
Family	\$9,220

6. Tuition Installment Plan

For students seeking to pay their educational expenses from current funds, rather than taking loans, the Seminary has contracted with HigherOne to administer a tuition installment plan. The plan allows you to budget your annual tuition and Seminary expenses, such as housing and health insurance, into 9 equal monthly installments starting July 15th, rather than to make one large payment each semester in September and January. To review the plan, please go to:

<https://www.higheroneaccount.com/student/reg/start.do>

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The Seminary makes every reasonable effort to minimize tuition and fee charges without sacrificing the high quality of its academic programs and student services, and strives to raise funds for operating costs and student scholarships. The Seminary offers financial assistance to students to help them defray the cost of their educational program. If you have questions regarding the types of aid offered, application procedures, etc., please contact Matthew Spina, Director of Admissions and Financial Aid, for assistance.

Sincerely,

John W. Gilmore
Senior Vice President

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