

Authorization of Tuition for 2009-10

The following RESOLUTION for the 2009-10 academic year reflects the tuition increases that have been proposed by the campuses. Chancellors recommended tuition rate increases consistent with the tuition and fee guidelines established by the Board of Governors at the October 2006 meeting.

## RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TUITION

WHEREAS, G.S. 116-143 requires that the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina shall fix the tuition and fees, not inconsistent with the actions of the General Assembly, at the constituent institutions of the University.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that, effective with the Fall Term, 2009 the constituent institutions are authorized to charge and collect the following tuition rates.

## I. 2009-10 Tuition Rates

The tuition and fee policy of the Board of Governors provides a framework for the Board to use in reviewing and approving increases in tuition and fees on an annual basis. Additionally, in October 2006, the Board adopted a four-year plan for campuses to follow in recommending **undergraduate resident tuition and general fees rate** increases.

The Board held a policy discussion about tuition and fees at its January meeting. A special question and answer session was also held on January 30, 2009. It is recommended that the Board consider and approve tuition rates as presented below:

### *A. Previously Board-approved Tuition Increases in Professional Schools:*

The following tuition increases for professional schools were approved by the Board of Governors during its February 2007 and February 2008 meetings for the 2009-10 fiscal year. At those meetings, the Board approved tuition increases for professional schools for multi-year periods. These rates will become effective in the fall semester 2009.

#### **North Carolina Central University**

School of Law	\$1,000 for 2009-10 & 2010-11
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#### **UNC-Chapel Hill**

School of Law (enrolled Fall 2008)	\$500 increase (residents) & \$1,000 (nonresidents) for 2009-10
Masters of Health Administration (MHA)	\$500 increase for 2009-10
Masters of Science in Public Health (MSPH)	\$500 increase for 2009-10
School of Dentistry (DDS Candidate)	\$1,500 (residents only) for 2009-10

#### **UNC Charlotte**

Masters of Accountancy	\$2,500 increase for 2009-10
Masters of Science in Economics	\$2,500 increase for 2009-10
Masters of Science in Mathematical Finance	\$2,500 increase for 2009-10

### ***B. Increases in Tuition for Professional Schools***

Two campuses propose tuition increases for 2009-10 at their professional schools. The rates require Board of Governors' approval.

#### **East Carolina University**

##### School of Business

Masters of Business Administration \$720 for 2009-10

Masters of Science in Accounting \$720 for 2009-10

ECU requests an increase of \$40 per SCH to \$100 (\$720 annual increase) in 2009-10. This is in addition to the \$69 campus-initiated tuition increase proposed for all graduate students. The additional revenue will be used to improve the quality of the graduate business programs by providing need-based and merit-based scholarships for incoming students, providing distinguished community engagement fellowships for faculty, providing funds to cover increased operational expenses and student support services.

##### School of Medicine

\$1,000 for 2009-10

ECU requests a \$1,000 increase in tuition for all medical school students in 2009-10. This is in addition to the \$69 campus-initiated tuition increase proposed for all graduate students. The additional revenue will be used to support faculty retention and recruitment, need-based financial aid, and academic support infrastructure costs.

#### **UNC-Chapel Hill**

##### School of Business

Masters of Accounting \$600 (residents) & \$1,600 (nonresidents) in 2009-10

Masters of Business Administration \$600 (residents) & \$1,600 (nonresidents) in 2009-10

The UNC-CH School of Business requests \$600 for residents and \$1,600 for nonresidents for the MBA and MAC programs in 2009-10. These increases are in addition to the proposed campus-based tuition increase of \$400 for all graduate students. The funds will be used to address faculty retention, recruit additional faculty members and increase the number of student fellowships. Increased financial support in these areas is essential for Kenan-Flagler Business School to continue to improve their position as a top tier business school in an increasingly complex, competitive global educational market.

##### School of Pharmacy

Pharm D \$589 (residents) & 1,406 (nonresidents) in 2009-10

The UNC-CH Eshelman School of Pharmacy requests \$589 for residents and \$1,406 for nonresidents enrolled in the PharmD curriculum. These increases are in addition to the proposed campus-based tuition increase of \$400 for all graduate students. Funds generated by the tuition increase will be used in three areas that are crucial to the continued growth and development of the School: (1) assessment of the PharmD program that is required for continuing accreditation, (2) expansion of experiential sites at UNC Hospitals, and (3) financial assistance for PharmD students.

***C. Increases in Regular Tuition Rates***

<b>Institution</b>		<b>North Carolina</b>			<b>Nonresidents</b>		
		<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>	<b>%</b>
North Carolina State University	<i>Undergraduate</i>	\$3,860	\$3,953	2.4%	\$16,158	\$16,438	1.7%
	<i>Graduate</i>	4,268	4,408	3.3%	16,316	16,456	0.9%
School of Veterinary Medicine							
D.V.M. Candidate	<i>Graduate</i>	9,212	9,352	1.5%	31,975	32,115	0.4%
Veterinary Graduate	<i>Graduate</i>	4,268	4,408	3.3%	16,316	16,456	0.9%
School of Management							
Masters of Accounting	<i>Graduate</i>	11,080	11,220	1.3%	23,066	23,206	0.6%
Masters of Business Admin.	<i>Graduate</i>	12,393	12,533	1.1%	24,316	25,066	3.1%
Masters of Global Innovation Management	<i>Graduate</i>	12,393	12,533	1.1%	24,316	25,066	3.1%
College of Design							
Bachelor of Architecture (5th year)	<i>Undergraduate</i>	4,760	4,953	4.1%	16,958	17,438	2.8%
Masters of Architecture	<i>Graduate</i>	5,268	5,408	2.7%	17,316	17,456	0.8%
Masters of Landscape Architecture	<i>Graduate</i>	5,268	5,408	2.7%	17,316	17,456	0.8%
Masters of Art and Design	<i>Graduate</i>	5,268	5,408	2.7%	17,316	17,456	0.8%
Masters of Graphic Design	<i>Graduate</i>	5,268	5,408	2.7%	17,316	17,456	0.8%
Masters of Industrial Design	<i>Graduate</i>	5,268	5,408	2.7%	17,316	17,456	0.8%
UNC-Chapel Hill							
Academic Affairs	<i>Undergraduate</i>	3,705	3,865	4.3%	20,603	21,753	5.6%
	<i>Graduate</i>	5,013	5,413	8.0%	19,411	19,811	2.1%
School of Journalism & Mass Comm.	<i>Graduate</i>	7,596	7,996	5.3%	20,835	21,235	1.9%
School of Law	<i>Graduate</i>	10,602	11,002	3.8%	23,420	23,820	1.7%
School of Law (enrolled Fall 2008)	<i>Graduate</i>	12,102	13,002 *	7.4%	24,920	26,320 *	5.6%
School of Business							
Masters of Accounting	<i>Graduate</i>	15,733	16,733 **	6.4%	31,466	33,466 **	6.4%
MBA Candidate	<i>Graduate</i>	19,525	20,525 **	5.1%	39,049	41,050 **	5.1%
School of Government (MPA)	<i>Graduate</i>	5,013	5,413	8.0%	19,411	19,811	2.1%
School of Social Work (MSW)	<i>Graduate</i>	5,313	5,713	7.5%	19,461	19,861	2.1%
Health Affairs							
School of Pharmacy	<i>Graduate</i>	5,013	5,413	8.0%	19,411	19,811	2.1%
Pharm D Candidate	<i>Graduate</i>	11,780	12,769 **	8.4%	28,115	29,921 **	6.4%
School of Nursing	<i>Undergraduate</i>	3,705	3,865	4.3%	20,603	21,753	5.6%
	<i>Graduate</i>	5,013	5,413	8.0%	19,411	19,811	2.1%
School of Public Health	<i>Undergraduate</i>	3,705	3,865	4.3%	20,603	21,753	5.6%
	<i>Graduate</i>	5,879	6,279	6.8%	19,520	19,920	2.0%
MPH	<i>Graduate</i>	6,879	7,279	5.8%	20,520	20,920	1.9%
MHA, MSPH (enrolled Fall 2008)	<i>Graduate</i>	6,379	7,279 *	14.1%	20,020	20,920 *	4.5%
School of Dentistry							
D.D.S. Candidate	<i>Graduate</i>	14,535	16,435 *	13.1%	28,917	29,317	1.4%
Dental Hygiene	<i>Undergraduate</i>	3,705	3,865	4.3%	20,603	21,753	5.6%
Dental Auxiliary	<i>Undergraduate</i>	3,705	3,865	4.3%	20,603	21,753	5.6%
Dental Graduate	<i>Graduate</i>	6,614	7,014	6.0%	21,133	21,533	1.9%
School of Medicine							
M.D. Candidate	<i>Graduate</i>	11,207	11,607	3.6%	35,273	35,673	1.1%
AuD, DPT, and MPT	<i>Graduate</i>	7,513	7,913	5.3%	20,961	21,361	1.9%
Medical Technology	<i>Undergraduate</i>	3,705	3,865	4.3%	20,603	21,753	5.6%
Medicine Graduate	<i>Graduate</i>	5,013	5,413	8.0%	19,411	19,811	2.1%
Rehabilitation Counseling & Psychology	<i>Graduate</i>	7,513	7,913	5.3%	20,961	21,361	1.9%
Occupational Therapy (MS-OT)	<i>Graduate</i>	7,513	7,913	5.3%	20,961	21,361	1.9%
Speech-Language Pathology (MS-SLP)	<i>Graduate</i>	7,513	7,913	5.3%	20,961	21,361	1.9%
East Carolina University	<i>Undergraduate</i>	2,445	2,491	1.9%	12,959	13,325	2.8%
	<i>Graduate</i>	2,926	2,995	2.4%	13,242	13,311	0.5%
Masters of Business Admin.	<i>Graduate</i>	4,006	4,795 **	19.7%	14,322	15,111 **	5.5%
Masters of Science in Accounting	<i>Graduate</i>	4,006	4,795 **	19.7%	14,322	15,111 **	5.5%
School of Medicine							
Med Students (Fall 2006, 2007 & 2008)	<i>Graduate</i>	7,144	8,213 **	15.0%	32,134	33,203 **	3.3%
Med Students (Fall 2005)	<i>Graduate</i>	6,444	7,513 **	16.6%	31,434	32,503 **	3.4%

***C. Increases in Regular Tuition Rates (continued)***

Institution		North Carolina			Nonresidents			
		From	To	%	From	To	%	
N.C. A & T State University	Undergraduate	1,994	1,994	0.0%	11,436	11,436	0.0%	
	Graduate	2,066	2,266	9.7%	11,651	11,851	1.7%	
UNC-Charlotte	Undergraduate	2,516	2,516	0.0%	12,928	13,128	1.5%	
	Graduate	2,919	2,919	0.0%	13,126	13,326	1.5%	
College of Business								
	Masters of Business Admin.	Graduate	7,919	7,919	0.0%	18,126	18,326	1.1%
	Masters of Accountancy	Graduate	5,419	7,919 *	46.1%	15,626	18,326 *	17.3%
	Masters of Science in Economics	Graduate	5,419	7,919 *	46.1%	15,626	18,326 *	17.3%
	Masters of Science in Mathematical Finance	Graduate	5,419	7,919 *	46.1%	15,626	18,326 *	17.3%
UNC-Greensboro	Undergraduate	2,507	2,590	3.3%	14,001	14,351	2.5%	
	Graduate	2,899	3,044	5.0%	14,170	14,524	2.5%	
School of Business								
	Masters of Accounting	Graduate	4,579	4,724	3.2%	15,850	16,204	2.2%
	Masters of Business Admin.	Graduate	4,579	4,724	3.2%	15,850	16,204	2.2%
	Masters of Science in Info. Technology & Management	Graduate	4,579	4,724	3.2%	15,850	16,204	2.2%
Appalachian State University	Undergraduate	2,263	2,341	3.4%	12,322	12,962	5.2%	
	Graduate	2,642	2,779	5.2%	12,541	13,193	5.2%	
Fayetteville State University	Undergraduate	1,826	1,905	4.3%	12,008	12,248	2.0%	
	Graduate	2,118	2,255	6.5%	11,708	11,942	2.0%	
North Carolina Central University	Undergraduate	2,218	2,264	2.1%	11,962	12,333	3.1%	
	Graduate	2,757	2,936	6.5%	12,578	13,395	6.5%	
	School of Law	Graduate	4,737	5,916 *	24.9%	16,837	18,654 *	10.8%
UNC Pembroke	Undergraduate	2,007	2,060	2.6%	11,267	11,267	0.0%	
	Graduate	2,079	2,159	3.8%	11,486	11,486	0.0%	
UNC Wilmington	Undergraduate	2,459	2,565	4.3%	12,626	13,447	6.5%	
	Graduate	2,769	2,949	6.5%	12,829	13,663	6.5%	
School of Business								
	Masters of Accounting	Graduate	3,272	3,452	5.5%	13,328	14,162	6.3%
	Masters of Business Admin.	Graduate	3,272	3,452	5.5%	13,328	14,162	6.3%
Western Carolina University	Undergraduate	2,078	2,106	1.3%	11,661	11,703	0.4%	
	Graduate	2,372	2,414	1.8%	11,957	11,999	0.4%	
	Certified RN Anesthetist	Graduate	4,673	4,715	0.9%	14,258	14,300	0.3%
Winston-Salem State University	Undergraduate	1,701	1,769	4.0%	10,341	10,755	4.0%	
	Graduate	2,142	2,228	4.0%	10,975	11,414	4.0%	
UNC Asheville	Undergraduate	2,339	2,389	2.1%	13,669	14,106	3.2%	
	Graduate	2,743	2,831	3.2%	13,949	14,395	3.2%	
Elizabeth City State University	Undergraduate	1,611	1,681	4.3%	10,625	10,730	1.0%	
	Graduate	1,675	1,785	6.6%	10,855	10,965	1.0%	
UNC School of the Arts								
	College	Undergraduate	3,224	3,357	4.1%	15,104	15,303	1.3%
		Graduate	3,797	3,996	5.2%	15,670	15,869	1.3%
	High School		0	0	N/A	7,562	7,761	2.6%

\* This amount includes an increase previously approved by BOG for 2009-10.

\*\* This amount includes the proposed rate for all graduate students and an additional proposed professional school increase.

## **II. Special Tuition Rates**

### ***A. Nonresident Undergraduate Students***

Consistent with the General Statutes and by authorization of the Board of Governors through a resolution passed by the Board in 1983, the campuses are authorized to charge special tuition rates for nonresident undergraduate students.

To qualify for the special rate, a student must have a special talent in academics, the performing arts, or athletics. For these students, the nonresident tuition rate is reduced by either \$834 or \$950 depending on the Carnegie classification of the institution in 1983. At the time, these amounts approximated half of the nonresident tuition charged to students but do not nearly have the same impact today. Appropriations were made by the legislature to each campus to offset the cost of the tuition waiver.

Effective with the Fall Term of 2009, the special tuition rates for qualifying nonresident undergraduates are shown on the following page. The new rates reflect the tuition increases proposed in Section I.

**Special Tuition Rates for Qualifying  
Nonresident Undergraduate Students  
2009-10**

<b>Institution</b>	<b>Regular Rate</b>		<b>Special Rate Partial Tuition Waiver</b>	
	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>
North Carolina State University	\$16,158	\$16,438	\$15,208	\$15,488
College of Design				
Bachelor of Architecture (5th year)	16,958	17,438	16,008	16,488
UNC-Chapel Hill				
Academic Affairs	20,603	21,753	19,653	20,803
School of Nursing	20,603	21,753	19,653	20,803
School of Public Health	20,603	21,753	19,653	20,803
School of Dentistry				
Dental Hygiene	20,603	21,753	19,653	20,803
Dental Auxiliary	20,603	21,753	19,653	20,803
School of Medicine				
Medical Technology	20,603	21,753	19,653	20,803
East Carolina University	12,959	13,325	12,009	12,375
N.C. A & T State University	11,436	11,436	10,486	10,486
UNC-Charlotte	12,928	13,128	11,978	12,178
UNC-Greensboro	14,001	14,351	13,051	13,401
Appalachian State University	12,322	12,962	11,372	12,012
Fayetteville State University	12,008	12,248	11,058	11,298
North Carolina Central University	11,962	12,333	11,012	11,383
UNC Pembroke	11,267	11,267	10,317	10,317
UNC Wilmington	12,626	13,447	11,676	12,497
Western Carolina University	11,661	11,703	10,711	10,753
Winston-Salem State University	10,341	10,755	9,391	9,805
UNC Asheville	13,669	14,106	12,835	13,272
Elizabeth City State University	10,625	10,730	9,791	9,896
UNC School of the Arts	15,104	15,303	14,270	14,469

## **II. Special Tuition Rates (continued)**

### ***B. Nonresident Graduate Students***

Consistent with the General Statutes and by authorization of the Board of Governors through a resolution passed by the Board in 1983, the campuses are authorized to charge special tuition rates for nonresident graduate students.

For nonresident graduate students that are awarded a graduate teaching or research assistantship and who are paid a stipend of at least \$2,000 per academic year, the institution may award tuition remission to reduce the nonresident tuition rate to the in-state rate. For an example, the nonresident graduate student tuition rate is proposed to increase from \$12,541 to \$13,193 at ASU. ASU graduate nonresident students that are eligible to receive tuition remission will be charged the resident tuition rate, which is proposed to increase from \$2,642 to \$2,779 for the 2009-10 academic year.

Each campus has a state budget for graduate tuition remissions and some campuses supplement state funds from non-state sources. Institutions may not provide graduate tuition remissions to all students. The number of awards is limited to those that meet the criteria and the budget availability.

Effective with the Fall Term of 2009, the special tuition rates for qualifying nonresident graduates are shown on the following two pages. The new rates reflect the tuition increases proposed in Section I.

**Special Tuition Rates for Qualifying  
Nonresident Graduate Students  
2009-10**

<b>Institution</b>	<b>Regular Rate</b>		<b>Special Rate Tuition</b>	
	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>
North Carolina State University	\$16,316	\$16,456	\$4,268	\$4,408
School of Veterinary Medicine				
D.V.M. Candidate	31,975	32,115	9,212	9,352
Veterinary Graduate	16,316	16,456	4,268	4,408
School of Management				
Masters of Accounting	23,066	23,206	11,080	11,220
Masters of Business Admin.	24,316	25,066	12,393	12,533
Masters of Global Innovation Management	24,316	25,066	12,393	12,533
College of Design				
Masters of Architecture	17,316	17,456	5,268	5,408
Masters of Landscape Architecture	17,316	17,456	5,268	5,408
Masters of Art and Design	17,316	17,456	5,268	5,408
Masters of Graphic Design	17,316	17,456	5,268	5,408
Masters of Industrial Design	17,316	17,456	5,268	5,408
UNC-Chapel Hill				
Academic Affairs	19,411	19,811	5,013	5,413
School of Journalism & Mass Comm.	20,835	21,235	7,596	7,996
School of Law	23,420	23,820	10,602	11,002
School of Law (enrolled Fall 2008)	24,920	26,320	12,102	13,002
School of Business				
Masters of Accounting	31,466	33,466	15,733	16,733
MBA Candidate	39,049	41,050	19,525	20,525
School of Government (MPA)	19,411	19,811	5,013	5,413
School of Social Work (MSW)	19,461	19,861	5,313	5,713
Health Affairs				
School of Pharmacy				
Graduate	19,411	19,811	5,013	5,413
Pharm D Candidate	28,115	29,921	11,780	12,769
School of Nursing	19,411	19,811	5,013	5,413
School of Public Health				
Graduate	19,520	19,920	5,879	6,279
MPH	20,520	20,920	6,879	7,279
MHA, MSPH (Fall 2008)	20,020	20,920	6,379	7,279
School of Dentistry				
D.D.S. Candidate	28,917	29,317	14,535	16,435
Dental Graduate	21,133	21,533	6,614	7,014
School of Medicine				
M.D. Candidate	35,273	35,673	11,207	11,607
AuD, DPT, and MPT	20,961	21,361	7,513	7,913
Medicine Graduate	19,411	19,811	5,013	5,413
Rehabilitation Counseling & Psychology	20,961	21,361	7,513	7,913
Occupational Therapy (MS-OT)	20,961	21,361	7,513	7,913
Speech-Language Pathology (MS-SLP)	20,961	21,361	7,513	7,913

**Special Tuition Rates for Qualifying  
Nonresident Graduate Students  
2009-10**

<b>Institution</b>	<b>Regular Rate</b>		<b>Special Rate Tuition</b>	
	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>
East Carolina University	13,242	13,311	2,926	2,995
Masters of Business Admin.	14,322	15,111	4,006	4,795
Masters of Science in Accounting	14,322	15,111	4,006	4,795
School of Medicine				
Med Students (Fall 2006, 2007 & 2008)	32,134	33,203	7,144	8,213
Med Students (Fall 2005)	31,434	32,503	6,444	7,513
N.C. A & T State University	11,651	11,851	2,066	2,266
UNC-Charlotte	13,126	13,326	2,919	2,919
School of Business				
Masters of Business Admin.	18,126	18,326	7,919	7,919
Masters of Accountancy	15,626	18,326	5,419	7,919
Masters of Science in Economics	15,626	18,326	5,419	7,919
Masters of Science in Mathematical Finance	15,626	18,326	5,419	7,919
UNC-Greensboro	14,170	14,524	2,899	3,044
School of Business				
Masters of Accounting	15,850	16,204	4,579	4,724
Masters of Business Admin.	15,850	16,204	4,579	4,724
Masters of Science in Information Technology & Management	15,850	16,204	4,579	4,724
Appalachian State University	12,541	13,193	2,642	2,779
Fayetteville State University	11,708	11,942	2,118	2,255
North Carolina Central University	12,578	13,395	2,757	2,936
School of Law	16,837	18,654	4,737	5,916
UNC Pembroke	11,486	11,486	2,079	2,159
UNC Wilmington	12,829	13,663	2,769	2,949
Masters of Accounting	13,328	14,162	3,272	3,452
Masters of Business Admin.	13,328	14,162	3,272	3,452
Western Carolina University	11,957	11,999	2,372	2,414
Certified RN Anesthetist	14,258	14,300	4,673	4,715
Winston-Salem State University	10,975	11,414	2,142	2,228
UNC Asheville	13,949	14,395	2,743	2,831
Elizabeth City State University	10,855	10,965	1,675	1,785
UNC School of the Arts	15,670	15,869	3,797	3,996

### **III. Tuition for Students Enrolled in Degree-Credit Distance Education Courses**

Distance education students are charged on a per-credit-hour basis, rather than a “stair-step” methodology charged to regular-term students. The Distance Education per-credit-hour tuition rate is derived by dividing regular term tuition costs by 29.6 for undergraduates and 20.4 for graduate students. Since distance education students are not charged athletic, health, and student activity fees, the cost of education is considerably lower than students that are taking courses using face-to-face instruction.

It is proposed that, effective with the fall semester 2009, resident students and nonresident students taking courses within North Carolina that are enrolled in distance education courses be charged the regular-term tuition rates established in Section I. It is further proposed that tuition rates for these students be implemented on a per-credit-hour basis and that the charge per credit hour be calculated as follows:

- For undergraduate courses, the rate per student credit hour would be the annual rate divided by 29.6 hours.
- For graduate courses, the rate per student credit hour would be the annual rate divided by 20.4 hours.

It is further proposed that the Board delegate to the President the authority to set tuition rates for nonresident students taking courses outside North Carolina. These are students who primarily take courses via the Internet.