

**Costs for the Master of Science in Business Administration
Major in Tourism**

2011/12 academic year

The following table provides an overview of the approximate outlay during the course and is intended as an aid in drawing up an individual costs. The figures are based on the ordinance on school fees (SRL 544) issued by the Canton of Lucerne and the fee regulations of Lucerne School of Business. The university reserves the right to change its fees; all other figures are reference values.

- The application fee will be charged after the application by invoice. There will be no return of the money if you cancel the application.
- Course fees must be paid in full by all students who are registered at the beginning of the semester.

Outlay	Type	Amount (in CHF)	
Application fee	once	515	
Graduation fee	once	220	
Possible fee for an additional module as part of the Bachelor's course	once	1,600 ¹	(max. 800.- per semester)
Study-Trip / Excursion	once	3,000	(guide)
Fee for legitimation card / Deposit for locker: each CHF 50		100	
Course fees	per semester	800 ²	
Flat rate for photocopies / services: CHF 8 per ECTS credit	per semester	240	(max.)
Module examinations: CHF 5 per ECTS credit	per semester	100	(guide)
Fund for damage and loss	annual	15	
Learning resources	annual	1'000	(guide)
Student-union membership fee	annual	10	

¹A semester fee of CHF 150 per contact hour

²The amount shown is valid for students living in any canton in Switzerland except the Canton of Jura but including the Principality of Liechtenstein.

For all other students, the fees range from CHF 8,000 to CHF 30,000 per academic year. The fees are set on the basis of tariffs laid out in the Agreement on Universities of Applied Sciences. For the time being, Lucerne School of Business will assume these costs as part of a scholarship. These students will thus have the same status as those living in the Canton of Lucerne or in another canton that is subject to the agreement and their fees will amount to CHF 800 per semester.

Frequently asked questions concerning financial matters:

What are the costs for living?

The costs for living (including expenses for school, insurances, living, food, transportation, limited leisure activities etc.) range from CHF 20'000.- to 25'000.- per year.

Are there any student dormitories?

The school owns some student homes with sleeping rooms. You will have to apply for it and pay around CHF 500.- - 600.- per month. You might also find a flat together with two or three other students for about CHF 1'800.- - 2'200.- per month per flat.

Am I allowed to work in Switzerland with a students' visa?

Yes, you are. EU-nationals can work up to 30% of a normal workload from the first day on. Non-EU-nationals can work from the seventh month onwards.

Is it possible to find work without speaking German?

Some of our non-native-German students were successful in finding a job without major German knowledge. However, it is not easy to find something. If you find a job, you can expect a salary of about CHF 500.- - CHF 1000.- per month when working 30% of a normal workload.

Are there scholarships to apply for?

Please find detailed information on: <http://www.eda.admin.ch/eda/en/home/repn/nameri/vusa/wasemb/scitec/study/sch.html>