Study Fees 2027 – 2028

Bachelor's and Master's degree programmes

Basics

The amounts are based on the corresponding regulation and directive of the Lucerne University of Applies Sciences & Arts*.

- The registration fee will be charged at the time of registration. In case of possible deregistration / rejection this fee will not be refunded.
- An already confirmed study place can be cancelled or postponed until 31 July without additional fees. If the cancellation takes place after 31 July, the semester fee of CHF 800 / CHF 1'300 will be charged.

*Ordinance on fees at the Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts,
FH Zentralschweiz of 14th December 2012 (Gebührenverordnung, SRL Nr. 520e)
*Order on Administrative Fees charged by the Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts,
FH Zentralschweiz of 3rd June 2014 (Gebührenweisung)
* Retrievable in the legal collection of the Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts

https://www.hslu.ch/en/lucerne-university-of-applied-sciences-and-arts/about-us/systematische-rechtssammlung/

One-time Fees

Admission procedure fee	CHF	200.–
Inscription fee[1]	CHF	150.–
HSLU-Card/Student ID	CHF	50.–
Fee for a possible student exchange	CHF	200.–
Diploma fee after graduation	CHF	220.–

[1] In the case of a direct transfer from the Bachelor's to the Master's programme within the Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts, the enrolment fee is waived. The admission fee will be refunded with the first semester invoice.

Fees per Semester (excl. material costs[2], costs for study trips etc.)

Tuition fees [3]	CHF	800.–
Tuition fees for foreign students [4]	CHF	1'300.–
Examination fee [5] are also charged during any semester abroad	CHF	150.–
Offers University Sports (HSLU Hochschulsport Campus Luzern)	CHF	25.–
Service fee [5]	CHF	60.–
Membership fee for student organization FRAME[6]	CHF	9.–
Total per semester	**CHF**	**1'044.–**
Total per semester for foreign students	**CHF**	**1'544.–**

[2] For the degree programme Textile Design, an additional materials fee of CHF 50.- per semester is charged.

[3] The tuition fees are invoiced from the beginning of the respective semester. In case of cancellation after the beginning of the semester, the fees are still owed or will not be refunded (even without class attendance).

[4] Students who enter Switzerland for the purpose of studying, have their legal residence abroad at the time of enrollment, or enter with a residence permit that is not supported by a Swiss canton under the Intercantonal Agreement on Universities of Applied Sciences (FHV).

[5] This fee is charged a maximum of six times per degree programme for Bachelor students and a maximum of four times for Master students. Once the maximum amount has been reached, this fee is waived.

[6] The FRAME fee is compulsory for new students in their first semester. After that, membership may be cancelled at the end of each semester:

Autumn term: by 15 January at the latest
Spring term: by 15 August at the latest

Notice of cancellation must be submitted by email to the FRAME Executive Committee; the Secretariat must be copied in (CC). Notices of cancellation submitted after the deadline will only take effect at the end of the following term.

Notebook

Students are required to have their own notebook for their studies. Appropriate hardware recommendations are given before the start of the semester. Depending on the model, costs of CHF 1'300 to CHF 2'500 can be expected.
Discounted models can be obtained via the Neptun project. You can find more information about ordering options etc. here.

Costs for study trips and excursions per semester
(partly optional)

Bachelor Animation	ca. CHF	150.–
Bachelor Camera Arts	ca. CHF	600.–
Bachelor Creative Transformation	ca. CHF	350.–
Bachelor Data Design + Art	ca. CHF	350.–
Bachelor Design Management, International	ca. CHF	120.–
Bachelor Digital Ideation	ca. CHF	300.–
Bachelor Film	ca. CHF	150.–
Bachelor Graphic Design (study trip 2nd BA year: ca. 600.–)	ca. CHF	500.–
Bachelor Illustration Fiction (study trip 3rd BA year: ca. 600.–)	ca. CHF	400.–
Bachelor Illustration Nonfiction (study trip 1st BA year: 600.–)	ca. CHF	400.–
Bachelor Art & Education	ca. CHF	300.–
Bachelor Object Design		
Travel expenses as part of the study modules	ca. CHF	200.–
Optional study trip 1st to 3rd BA year	ca. CHF	600.–
Bachelor Spatial Design	ca. CHF	350.–
Bachelor Textile Design	ca. CHF	130.–
Master Design	ca. CHF	400.–
Master Film | Animation	ca. CHF	250.–
Master Art		
Travel expenses as part of the study modules	ca. CHF	200.–
Optional study trip	ca. CHF	400.–

In addition to the amounts mentioned above, individual costs may apply for projects or for working materials. (approx. CHF 1'000 to CHF 2'000 for the entire programme)

Subsequent issuance duplicates

Certificates per piece (for example Transcript of Records)	CHF	50.–
Diplomas per piece	CHF	150.–

Individual costs/fees

Guest auditor in Bachelor's and Master's programmes per ECTS point (min. CHF 200.– to max. CHF 800.– per semester)	CHF	75.–
Guest students in Bachelor's and Master's programmes per ECTS point with use of workshops	CHF	350.–
Guest students in Bachelor's and Master's programmes per ECTS point without use of workshops	CHF	300.–

These fees apply to all study programmes, as well as to all time models (full time, part time and extra-occupational). The enrollment fee is not refundable in the event of withdrawal from the programme.

Approved by the Vice Dean of Teaching, Klaus Marek, on 30 October 2026