

Application Fees

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| Application Fee (All Students)..... | \$45.00 |
| — <i>Waived for Spring and Fall 2014</i> | |
| International Student Processing Fee..... | \$45.00 |

Enrollment Deposit

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| Enrollment Deposit (See "Refunds") (Spring 2014 forward)..... | \$100.00 |
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Registration Fees

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| Registration Fee (non-refundable/per semester)..... | \$30.00 |
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Tuition

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| Full-time (12-19 hours) | \$9,195.00 |
| Per hour (less than 12 hours) | \$760.00 |
| Per hour (more than 19 hours) | \$555.00 |
| Winter/Summer (per semester hour) | \$370.00 |
| The College Academy (high school concurrent student) | \$380.00 |
| Audit (per semester hour) | \$75.00 |

Room and Board (per semester)

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| Housing Deposit (See "Refunds") | \$100.00 |
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- 3-person room
 - 21 meal/week plan or 200 block meal plan\$ 2,980.00
 - 14 meal/week plan or 165 block meal plan\$ 2,880.00
 - 10 meal/week plan or 120 block meal plan\$ 2,705.00
- 2-person room
 - 21 meal/week plan or 200 block meal plan\$ 3,550.00
 - 14 meal/week plan or 165 block meal plan\$ 3,450.00
 - 10 meal/week plan or 120 block meal plan\$ 3,275.00
- 1-person room
 - 21 meal/week plan or 200 block meal plan\$ 4,235.00
 - 14 meal/week plan or 165 block meal plan\$ 4,135.00
 - 10 meal/week plan or 120 block meal plan\$ 3,960.00

NOTE: Room and board costs do not include mid-semester breaks and the time between semesters (e.g., Thanksgiving, Christmas and Spring Break). Due to the volume of requests, first choice may not be available.

Pine View Apartments at Columbia International University is more than a place to live. It's a place to grow. It's a community offering you the convenience and safety that comes with living on campus, but more importantly, it offers an atmosphere that encourages spiritual formation – a key component of an education at CIU. [Click here for additional information: Pine View Apartments](#)

Music Fees

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| Private Lessons (per semester) | |
| 1/2 hour lesson (1 semester credit) | \$225.00 |
| 1 hour lesson (2 semester credits) | \$450.00 |
| Class Lessons (per semester) | \$112.50 |

NOTE: Practice rooms are available for students taking lessons.

Graduation Expenses

Graduation fees must be paid by the application deadline indicated for each term in the academic calendar.

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| Graduation Application Fee | \$50.00 |
| Late Fee | \$30.00 |
| Any additional certificate or diploma | \$50.00 |

Miscellaneous Fees

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| Student Services and Activity Fee (per semester) | \$120.00 |
| Technology Fee per semester hr. (\$120 max. per semester) | \$10.00 |
| Textbooks/Supplies (annually) | \$1200.00 (approx.) |
| Media Fee (for large amounts of instructional media) | Cost varies |
| Parking Fee | |
| • Per Semester | \$25.00 |
| • Annual | \$40.00 |
| Identification Card Replacement Fee | \$10.00 |
| Diploma/Certificate Replacement Fee..... | \$40.00 |
| Diploma/Certificate Certified Copy Fee | \$90.00 |
| Transcript Fee (per transcript)..... | \$12.00 |

Insurance

All students, who are taking one credit hour or more, and who are on campus, are required to have health insurance coverage. Each semester students must subscribe and pay for health coverage offered by CIU or provide proof of existing coverage. Waivers can be completed online through CIU Online (Student Accounting, My Student Account, CIU Health Coverage). Questions regarding insurance should be directed to the Accounting Office.

Payment Policies

Payment is due no later than the first day of classes. The Accounting Office accepts payments made by cash, personal check, money orders and credit cards (MasterCard, Visa, Discover, and American Express). Make checks payable to Columbia International University. Information about the CIU Automatic Payment Plan is available on the CIU Online Student Accounting page. Students can access their course and fee statement anytime by logging onto CIU Online, selecting Student Accounting, then selecting My Student Account. No paper bill will be mailed.

Columbia International University reserves the right to increase fees and other charges without prior notice.

Estimated Summary of Annual, Full-Time Costs = \$ 26,030

Assumes 12-19 hours per semester. Includes tuition, room and board, registration fee, student services and activity fee, and technology fee.

EXPLANATION OF EXPENSES

Enrollment Deposit

Each new applicant and those re-enrolling must make an enrollment deposit within 21 days following acceptance. This deposit is considered an advance payment and is credited to the student's account. Students who decide not to enroll should notify CIU immediately. If circumstances arise that force an entering student to delay arrival, they must advise the University Admissions Office prior to the first day of orientation or forfeit the deposit (see Refunds). When a husband and wife apply at the same time and are accepted to enter CIU at the same time, the husband pays the enrollment deposit but the wife's deposit is waived.

Tuition

Upon registration, students become financially responsible for their charges for the entire semester. Withdrawal does not relieve any student of these obligations. No diploma or transcript of academic record is granted to students who are financially obligated to the university.

Audit Fee

An audit fee is charged for any audited classes. The fee applies for both full-time and part-time students.

Housing Deposit

A housing deposit is required of all students living in campus residences. For entering students this fee is to be paid at the same time the enrollment deposit is paid, within 21 days following the acceptance. The housing deposit is held to reserve the student's residence hall space as long as the student continues living in the residence hall. It is refunded upon the student's departure from the residence hall (see Refunds).

Room and Board

The room and board fee must be paid in full at the beginning of each term. All students living on campus are required to participate in one of the meal plans offered. (Exceptions are given only on request of a physician.) The 21 meal plan includes all meals Monday through Sunday. The 14 meal and 10 meal plans include any 14 or 10 meals of the student's choice during the one week period from Monday breakfast through Sunday dinner. Block meal plans are available offering 200, 165 and 120 meals over the course of a semester.

Technology, Student Services and Activity Fees

Each student currently enrolled in classes and, taking six (6) credit hours or more, will be assessed student services and activity fees.

All students enrolled in classes, either on campus or online, will be assessed a technology fee of \$10.00 per credit hour (\$120.00 maximum per semester).

Textbooks and Supplies

The cost of textbooks and supplies varies based upon a student's course load.

Transcripts

A charge of \$12 is made for each transcript requested.

REFUNDS

Enrollment Deposit

Should an applicant decide not to attend CIU after they have paid the enrollment deposit, they should notify the university immediately.

Housing Deposit

Should an applicant decide not to attend CIU after they have paid the housing deposit, they should notify the university immediately. A student who decides not to continue at the university or not remain on campus must notify the Residence Life Office of their intent.

The following refund schedule applies to the enrollment and room deposit:

| | FALL SEMESTER | SPRING SEMESTER |
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| Full refund if notification is made before: | April 1 | Nov. 1 |
| One-half refund if notification is made between: | April 1 & July 1 | Nov. 1 & Jan. 1 |
| No refund is made after: | July 1 | Jan. 1 |

Postponement of Enrollment

When the enrollment and room deposits have been paid and a request for postponement is received prior to the originally intended enrollment date, the deposits will be held for use by the applicant to enroll at a subsequent time. No refund, however, is granted on cancellation following a postponed enrollment.

No-Shows

An applicant who fails to appear on the first day of the term for which they were accepted, with no previously approved arrangement with the university for late admission, is considered a "no-show" and forfeits refund of enrollment and room deposits.

Tuition Refund Schedule

All tuition will be refunded* to students who withdraw from the university before classes begin. Students who withdraw from the university after classes begin or who reduce their course load in such a way as to affect total tuition charges for the semester will receive refunds according to the following table:

100% refund — Up to the end of the registration period

90% refund — Up to the seventh business day after the first day of regular classes. In effect, for two days after drop/add.

50% refund — Up to 15 business days after drop/add

20% refund — Up to 25 business days after drop/add

MODULAR COURSES — Schedule published with course registration materials.

NO OTHER REFUNDS ARE MADE.

Students who withdraw – totally or partially – receive (for the portion of their withdrawal) the stated percentage above, based on the date of their official withdrawal (a schedule of actual withdrawal dates for each period of enrollment is available in the CIU Registrar's Office). On-campus students who reduce their loads to fewer than nine semester hours may continue to live on campus, as space is available. No tuition refund shall be made beyond the academic year in which the courses were taken. Registration fee, course fees, student activity fee and other fees are non-refundable.

*** Students receiving financial aid must check with Student Financial Services to determine if any aid or federal loans must be returned. In order to make CIU scholarships available to as many eligible students as possible, all current CIU scholarships are forfeited when a student withdraws before the end of a term.**

Room Rent

The initial payment includes the semester charge for room rent. Since room space once reserved cannot be used for a semester, no room rent is refunded regardless of date of withdrawal.

Board

The initial payment includes the semester charge for board. A refund will be made of board beyond the week of a student's official withdrawal. Should the student owe the university any money, this refund will be applied to their account.

MISCELLANEOUS

Music Lessons

Refund of music fees cannot be made after the drop/add week.