

# **Budget and Payment Schedule**

Instituto Tecnologico de Monterrey Exchange Spring Semester 2026

|                                       | OREGON   |                     |
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| PROGRAM FEES                          | RESIDENT | NON-RESIDENT AMOUNT |
| UO Exchange Program Fee               | \$4,885  | \$11,550            |
| Study Abroad Fee (\$500 per semester) | \$500    | \$500               |
| Estimated UO Insurance*               | \$368    | \$368               |
| TOTAL PROGRAM FEES PAID TO GEO        | \$5,753  | \$12,418            |

\*Estimated insurance cost per program, based on program length

| ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL EXPENSES                    | AMOUNT  |
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| Estimated housing                                | \$3,200 |
| Estimated meals                                  | \$1,600 |
| Estimated airfare from Eugene to Queretaro       | \$800   |
| Estimated books & course supplies                | \$175   |
| Estimated cost of acquiring passport             | \$150   |
| Estimated cell phone expenses                    | \$100   |
| Estimated travel clinic & pre-departure physical | \$50    |
| Estimated local transportation                   | \$750   |
| Estimated additional living expenses             | \$1,550 |
| ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL EXPENSES TOTAL              | \$8,375 |

<sup>1</sup>There are seven dormitoris (owned by housing companies), and your rent will depend on the type of room you have (single or shared, with or without a kitchen). Fees are calculated using a number of factors including room size, whether you have an ensuite bathroom, and facilities. The price of rent per month can range from approximately \$675 to \$1,400. For more information, visit CBS's website.

<sup>2</sup>There is an on-campus canteen (cafeteria) where students can eat. Each meal costs approximately \$6 to \$8. However, eating out at restaurants will cost more.

|  | OREGON<br>RESIDENT<br>AMOUNT | NON-RESIDENT AMOUNT |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>TOTAL ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION</b><br>(Program fees + estimated additional expenses) | \$14,128                     | \$20,793            |

See payment schedule and cancellation policies below.

## PAYMENT SCHEDULE (What is due when?)

**UO students:** GEO will charge all program fees to your UO Student Billing Account.

#### **Billing and Payment Schedule for UO Students**

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| When you are offered acceptance  | A non-refundable program deposit of \$500 is due within one week of acceptance<br>or nomination offer to confirm your space on the program. The program deposit<br>is not an additional fee but is part of the total GEO program fee.<br>Once a student has authorized GEO to charge the deposit to their UO student<br>account, or has submitted the deposit directly to GEO, the program deposit is non-<br>refundable except in cases where a student is denied acceptance to the program<br>for which he or she has applied. If the required application materials are not<br>completed by the deadline, the application will be considered abandoned and<br>cancelled by GEO. In such cases, the deposit will not be refunded. Students who<br>fail to pay the program deposit by the first cancellation/deferral date listed below<br>will have their program application canceled. |
| 4 – 7 weeks before you<br>depart | GEO will bill your UO Student Billing Account for the remainder of your program<br>fee. This amount will be due according to standard UO Payment and Due Dates.<br>For programs that take place over multiple terms, GEO will bill you a percentage<br>of your fee over each term. For more information about UO Payment and Due<br>Dates, see this link:<br><u>https://ba.uoregon.edu/content/payments</u>   |

Note: You will pay your housing costs according to the payment schedule of the host university or housing company. These costs may be due up to several months before the start of your program.

We encourage you to visit the following page to learn about scholarship and funding opportunities:

https://geo.uoregon.edu/scholarships

Also, you should speak with a financial aid counselor regarding your current financial aid package.

#### CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY INFORMATION:

*Important:* The GEO Cancellation and Deferral Policy is effective from the time a student agrees to pay their non-refundable deposit or electronically signs the program commitment form, regardless of application or acceptance status. It is essential to read this policy before a potential cancellation or deferral takes place, in order to understand the ramifications.

### Cancellation/Deferral Penalty Dates:

| CANCELLATION/DEFERRAL DATE                 | PENALTY AMOUNT  |
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| Upon acceptance to the program             | Student agrees to pay non-refundable \$500 deposit      |
| 8 weeks before program start               | Student is responsible for 50% of the GEO program fees  |
| Program start date or after program begins | Student is responsible for 100% of the GEO program fees |

**Cancellation/Deferral Process: Students who cancel or defer their participation must notify both GEO and the program provider or the host institution in writing.** Fax (GEO: 541-346-1232) or email is acceptable (GEO: geoinfo@uoregon.edu). Verbal notification to GEO or notification given to a non-UO campus study abroad office is not sufficient.

• If a student has committed to participate in a full academic year exchange program, this policy will apply for the full academic year fees.

• If one of the deadlines in the Student Budget posted on the program page of the GEO website falls on a weekend or holiday, GEO will accept written notifications received on the following business day.

• A student can defer their application for up to twelve months from the term in which their original program was scheduled to start, and upon approval by the GEO advisor. Beyond twelve months, a student must cancel their application and re-apply. The student will be responsible for payment of any unrecoverable costs. In some cases, a student may be able to apply their non-refundable application fee and deposit to a future GEO program upon GEO approval.

#### **Cancellation/Deferral Policy and Penalty:**

• This cancellation and deferral policy applies to all cancellations and deferrals regardless of the reason for cancellation or deferral, including but not limited to inability to secure proper legal status (i.e. passport, visa, etc.) in the host country of the participating program.

• If the program fee has not been received by GEO at the time of cancellation or deferral, the penalty amount will be billed by GEO.

• GEO fees include: the GEO program fee, the UO Study Abroad fee (UO students only), and/or any other fees that are billed by GEO.

• GEO and the program provider or the host institution reserve the right to cancel a program due to low enrollment, natural disaster, public health emergency, political unrest, terrorism, acts of war or any other reasons beyond GEO's control. If a program is cancelled prior to the start date for any of these reasons, GEO will refund all payments received by GEO including the application fee, program deposit, and program fee. GEO assumes no further financial responsibility and is not responsible for airfare, visa fees, or any other fees related to the program that may have been paid. GEO strongly recommends that students purchase travel cancellation/interruption insurance.