

**WESTERN ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES  
THE SENIOR COMMISSION  
Schedule of Dues and Fees  
2011-2012**

**ANNUAL DUES**

<u>FTE Enrollment</u>	<u>2011-12 Dues</u>
1-100	\$5,725
101-500	\$8,159
501- 1,000	\$8,774
1,001- 2,000	\$11,690
2,001- 5,000	\$14,713
5,001-10,000	\$18,538
10,001-15,000	\$22,845
15,001-20,000	\$25,129
20,001-25,000	\$27,642
25,001 - 30,000	\$30,406
30,001 - 35,000	\$33,447
35,001 - 40,000	\$36,791
40,001 - 45,000	\$40,470
45,001 - 50,000	\$44,517
50,000 +	\$48,969

Applies to newly accredited institutions only

Site Maintenance Fee \$100 per site

**INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW PROCESS**

(Institutional Proposal, Capacity and Preparatory Review and Educational Effectiveness Review)

Institutional Proposal	\$3,000
Proposal Resubmission Fee	\$500
Capacity and Preparatory Review	\$3,000
Educational Effectiveness Review	\$3,000
Multi-site Visit Surcharge ( for visits to offsite locations)	\$500 per site

*Institutions are also responsible for the expenses of all site visits*

**OTHER REPORTS AND VISITS**

Interim Reports	\$1,000	
Special Visit Fee	\$3,000	and visit expenses

**ELIGIBILITY**

Eligibility Application	\$10,000 **
Eligibility Reapplication Within Two Years	\$5,000
Eligibility Reapplication After Two Years	\$10,000
Eligibility Appeal	\$500
Eligibility Addendum (New degree programs)	\$1,000

*Eligible institutions also pay expenses associated with the review of the application by the Eligibility Review Committee and the relevant fees and costs of visits as set forth above under Institutional Review Process.*

*\*\*The institution may withdraw formally from the Eligibility process without prejudice at any time prior to an ERC panel review and receive a refund of 50 percent of the Eligibility Application fee.*

*All other fees are non refundable.*

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**CANDIDACY AND INITIAL ACCREDITATION**

Candidacy Period/Initial Accreditation Fee	\$12,000
Candidacy Reapplication Within Two Years	\$6,000
Candidacy Reapplication After Two Years	\$12,000

*All fees are nonrefundable.*

**Initial Accreditation of Institutions Currently Accredited by a USDOE-Recognized accrediting Agency**

Currently accredited by ACCJC	\$15,000
Currently accredited by another DOE recognized accrediting agency	\$20,000

**Supplemental Fees**

Additional surcharge fees for each of the following elements that require special review during the structural change process: \$7,500 - \$10,000 per each supplemental factor  
multiple entities; off campus sites; online programs; and others as determined by staff

*Candidate institutions also pay fees and costs of visits as set forth under Institutional Review Process.*

**SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE**

Substantive Change Application - Committee Review	\$1,000
Substantive Change Application - Committee and Commission Review	\$3,000
Substantive Change Meeting Re-schedule (1)	\$500
Review Following a "Not Accept" Action	\$750
Fast Track Authorization (Per Modality)	\$1,500
Fast Track Renewal	\$1,000
Expedited Review from Institutions	\$250
Expedited Review Following a "Not Accept" Action	\$250
Federally- or WASC-mandated Site Visit Fee	\$500 + Visit team expenses
Merger; Change in Legal Status; Change in Ownership Requiring Legal Review	\$7,500 + Legal fees and visit team expenses
Change in Mission, No Legal Review Required	\$3,000
International Site Visit Fee	\$500 + Visit team expenses

(1) A fee will be applied when an institution cancels a confirmed time on the Substantive Change Committee agenda and requests a re-scheduled time when the notification is received less than 3 weeks prior to the Committee date.

Affiliation with another WASC-accredited entity	\$12,000 + Legal fees and visit team expenses
Affiliation with another regionally accredited entity	\$15,000 + Legal fees and visit team expenses
Affiliation with a new entity not previously accredited by a regional accrediting agency	\$20,000 + Legal fees and visit team expenses
Affiliation with a system that includes institutions that are regionally accredited	\$20,000 + Legal fees and visit team expenses

**REVIEW OF COMMISSION SANCTIONS**

Review Processing	\$3,500
Deposit Against Expenses	\$5,000