

CONNECTUGA FEE FACT SHEET

Purpose of the fee:

- This fee supports the tracking and management of student outcomes through the implementation and ongoing support of the student academic information system (BANNER).

Fee amount and annual budget:

- Academic Year 2019 – 2020 - \$30 per semester
 - o Academic Year 2019 – 2020 Budget - \$2.5 million

How the fee revenue is used to support students:

- The ConnectUGA Fee provides technology and support for information systems, analytics, and software packages that track student degree progress, enhance the advising experience through data reports and analytics, provide Web and mobile access to key student processes such as course registration, and enhance student services. These services are available through the Office of the Registrar, the Office of Financial Aid, and the Bursars Office. The fee revenue also covers direct administrative support, including salaries and benefits, for these services.

Annual fee review and approval:

- The fee is approved annually by members of the Mandatory Student Fee Committee. This committee consists of 4 UGA administrators and 4 UGA students. The students are appointed on behalf of the Student Government Association and the Graduate Student Association, and include undergraduate and graduate representation. The committee reviews the annual fee recommendation and associated budget and makes recommendations to the President of UGA, who ultimately recommends the fee to the Board of Regents.
- Once approved by the Board, the fee is implemented for the associated academic year.

Other information:

- For more information, please visit http://www.busfin.uga.edu/bursar/tuition_mandatory_fee_policy.pdf
- Contact: Enterprise IT Services - Vice President for Information Technology (vpit@uga.edu)