Hunter College, School of Arts and Sciences - Academic Excellence Fees for Graduate Programs:

RESOLVED, that The City University of New York adopt a schedule of academic excellence fees for students in graduate programs in the School of Arts and Sciences at Hunter College, effective with the Spring 2013 semester and as detailed below:

Masters of Science in Accounting

Resident Full-time students:	\$500 per semester
Resident Part-time students:	\$50 per credit
Non Resident Full-time and Part-time students:	\$90 per credit

<u>EXPLANATION</u>: Since its inception in 2006, our MS in Accounting program has grown considerably and now has over 100 active students. The demand for the program continues to be strong as ever more potential employers look for students who have fulfilled the CPA education requirement. We anticipate the demand for this program to remain strong in the future. The College will continue to administer financial aid to assist students with the completion of their studies.

The expertise of the professors, the relevant and practical curriculum, and the excellent location of the School increases the attractiveness of the program. Additional funding would be used to improve and augment the program with technology skills workshops, expanded access to research databases and digital tools, research workshops and career development, including networking events.

In conclusion, across the School of Arts and Sciences at Hunter College the quality of our faculty, the reputations of our programs and the low cost of attendance further enhance the desirability among New York, as well as out-of-state, residents to attend Hunter College. Students will continue to receive a Hunter education that is not only of exceptional quality, but that is also very reasonable and financially affordable.