Overview of UTM Campus Operating Budget for 2023-24

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UTM Operating Budget Overview



Executive Summary





Budget Challenges

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Budget Guiding Principles

 Align with the university's core business of teaching, learning, and research

 Ensure all operating and capital spending advances UTM's Strategic Framework



 Invest in academic delivery, support services, & essential facilities • Ensure investments contribute to UTM's strategic enrolment strategy

 Ensure contractual obligations and legislative requirements are fulfilled



Budget Strategies

- Increase international recruitment by 100
 students annually from 2023-2024
- Explore an increase in future summer enrolment

- Reduce non-compensation budgets across the board, starting 2023-24
- Reduce academic carry-forward allowances*
- Retain balances over allowance limits from academic carry-forwards



- Continue to cap professional managerial and unionized staff numbers
- Hire fewer net new faculty positions (from >30 to <20 over 5 years)
- Defer hires for select vacant staff positions

- Reduce/defer future capital development budgets
- Decrease OTO annual budget for new strategic initiatives



UTM Enrolment Targets 2023-24: (a) Student Intake

Undergraduate Intake (excluding Specials) Headcount



Highlights

- No change to Domestic intake target
- Additional 100 International intake



UTM Enrolment Targets 2023-24: (b) Total Headcount



UTM - Graduate





Key Revenue Assumptions

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Ongoing negative impact of flat revenues for at least the next five years



2023-24 Balanced Operating Budget





Faculty & Staff Complement

FACULTY

- Current 2022-23 Search Schedule includes a total of 27 FTE's:
 - 11 Replacements
 - 16 Growth
- These FTE's will impact the 2023-24 Budget.
- U of T Diversity in Academic Hiring Fund & Indigenous Hiring Fund

STAFF Future hires include: Several attached to the Academic Plan Increased facilities staff to maintain the New Science Building Limited approved administrative • staff: - 1.5 continuing positions (1 Exam Assistant: 0.5 Senior Financial Officer - 7.5 OTO positions (2 year term)

Indigenous Hiring Fund

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Foster Students Success: Student Intake and Scholarships

- New Intake target 2023-24 = 3,942
- International share of intake is 32.5% of intake target
- International diversification efforts (via an International Scholarship)
- UTM contributes a percentage of our international tuition, reducing revenues:

2021-22 - 3.0% 2022-23 - 4.5% 2023-24 - 6.0% (\$14.2M)

- Awards on entrance are \$25K or \$45K and renewable for 3 years
 - New scholarships for entering class, plus
 - Renewing those who are in their second year and qualify





Foster Students Success: UTM Mental Health & Wellness





Other UTM Initiatives





Base:

- 1 Admin Assistant Exam Services
- 0.5 Student Services Financial Officer

<u>OTO:</u>

- 1 Intake Coordinator Student Crisis Support
- 1 Student Conduct Manager
- 1 Certified International Immigration Advisor
- 0.5 Student Services Hub
 Support



- Eagle Connect & UTM Connect programs
- Enhance Student Recruitment

 Increase virtual connections
 with students via online
 tools/services



Other UTM Initiatives





- Modernization of 8 growth chamber facilities
- Increase funding for UTM Postdoctoral Fellowship Award & Teaching Research Activity Fund



- Share and promote the UTM Strategic Framework
- Community Sponsorship Pilot



Other UTM Initiatives





- Student Financial Aid for students from equity-deserving groups:
 - Study groups
 - Personal advising & counseling
 - Tutoring
 - Summer research internships

STAFF

<u>OTO:</u>

- 1 Administrative and Data Collection Coordinator to support:
 - Increase in Indigenous community services
 - Inclusive Community
 Wellness



Other UTM Initiatives





- 1 HR Payroll Assistant
- 2 Project Management Office supports



- Equipment, software & hardware, and service upgrades related to:
 - Legacy T-cards
 - UTM Digital Ambition Initiative
 - I&ITS Infrastructure Modernization
- Increased Facilities staff to maintain the New Science Building



Build Efficient & Sustainable Operations: Space -New Buildings, Renovations & Maintenance

CAPITAL

- F2 Site Build
- Residence Building
- Parking Structure
- Athletic Fields
- Spigel Hall Renovation
- Pre Engineered Building

INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN

• State of Good Repair Spending

RENOVATIONS

DEFERRED MAINTENANCE



- Science Building
- Indigenous House
- Student Service Hub
- Renovated Space
- Vivarium
- Davis Teaching Labs



Conclusion

Includes financial Addressing impact of Budget Capital Plan Challenges

Operations tied to delivery of enrolment plans Includes Key Spending Priorities Balanced Budget







Questions

