Reduced Tuition for New England Residents

The NERSP-Qualifying Programs tuition cost, is less than the current out-of-state tuition costs. Please visit Student Financial Services for specific information regarding tuition and fees.

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**NERSP = New England Regional Student Program

Details:

- No additional application is required but you must contact the Office of Graduate Admissions to indicate your interest. Graduate_Admissions@uml.edu
- You must be enrolled in a qualifying degree or certificate program
- You must be a U.S citizen or Permanent Resident

Qualifying Graduate Programs at UMass Lowell: