Student exchange cost estimates for Hong Kong Polytechnic and City University Hong Kong

Costs You Will Pay Directly to UWEC*:
CIE Program Fee includes:
UW-Eau Claire Tuition/Fees 5425
CISI Insurance 170
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST YOU PAY DIRECTLY TO UWEC: 5595

Total Additional Costs to Anticipate: In HK Dollars Dollars *
Housing (dbl room on campus) 4840 604.8064
Food 12000 1499.52
Books/Supplies 1500 187.44
Local Transportation 1500 187.44
Personal Expenses ($300/month) 1500
Passport/Photos 170
Student Visa 500 62.48
Est. Round-Trip Air; Mpls-Hong Kong 1700
TOTAL ADDITIONAL ESTIMATED COSTS: 5911.686

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Additional information via 4/25/2013 Email:

1. Since these are tuition exchange programs, UWEC students pay home campus (UWEC) tuition and fees, then room/board/personal expenses abroad. We have estimated the same amount for both programs, since they are quite close and we are relying on information from the two universities as well as other information about cost estimates for programs in Hong Kong.
2. At City University the accommodations are either on campus or within two kilometers (roughly one mile), depending on the particular building in question. Both campuses will guarantee housing, but City University made it clear housing was tight, and that could be a limitation for a larger exchange. HKPU has ample housing on campus with no limitations.
3. I don’t see any “cons” with these programs.