Edumeter: Who Uses It?
[Expected Context of Use]

Edumeter will be used by students, faculty and administrations of research universities to track educational services and payments. Students can use this system to view professor statistics, and based on these statistics make an informed decision about which classes to take for their program. In addition, students can view the prices of educational services and decide which services to utilize based on available information. Students working on campus can choose to have their paycheck automatically applied to outstanding balances on Edumeter.

Instructors can use the system to track student usage of university resources for easy grading of their students. Edumeter would import information from other systems such as Web of Knowledge and course evaluation systems to determine how an instructor is classified and paid for their work. If an instructor is well published, they will be better compensated than a professor that publishes fewer articles. Seniority will be taken into account. Instructors would also be paid based on the time spent lecturing, providing office hours, and participating in other university and field related activities. This pay scale will encourage professors to have longer office hours, which will benefit students seeking assistance outside of class.

Administrators will be able to analyze the statistics provided by the activities of students and instructors to determine which programs are being utilized within the university. Using these statistics, administrators will be able to determine which programs are valuable to the university and should be additionally funded. Universities will continue to grow with Edumeter. Student records will be automated and class sizes will be able to expand as professors are able to easily grade and track the university resources exploited by students—resources that can be physically accessed on campus or offsite via a student login.