



UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
The Graduate School

FINANCIAL CERTIFICATE FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

Applicants to the Graduate School must certify that they have at least \$29,573.00* available for each twelve-month period of study. ***Refer to the 'Financial Resources Requirement' Sheet for the programs with differential tuition rates.** Summer school fees are not included. It is estimated that this amount will cover the cost of tuition, fees, books and supplies, room and meals, health insurance and incidentals for a single person. The applicant must certify \$6,500.00 per year for a spouse and \$4,500.00 per year for each child entering the United States. These amounts do not include travel expenses. An I-20 or a DS-2019 cannot be issued prior to receipt of acceptable financial information. Attach a copy of your passport or passport application if available.

All students need to arrive with a minimum of \$1500 or \$2000 if bringing dependent(s). Self-supported students must have on hand at the beginning of each registration period \$ 14,787.00 to pay for fees, room rent, meals and health insurance. **I-20 (or DS-2019) will be sent to your present address unless otherwise noted.**

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

SSN or ID# _____

Name on your PASSPORT: Family Name (Surname): _____

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____

Present Address _____

Permanent Address _____

If you will be bringing dependents, complete the following:

NAME	DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YY)	PLACE OF BIRTH	RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT

Total number of dependents _____

Will you require an I-20 (for F-1 Visa) or a DS-2019 (for J-1 Visa) ?

If you require a DS-2019, give the following information:

City and country of birth _____

Country of citizenship _____

Country of legal permanent residence _____

Occupation in your home country _____

Place of employment _____

Because it is unlawful for non-immigrant students to work in the United States, do not plan to supplement your educational funds in this manner. F-2 visa holders are not permitted to work in the United States and may not enroll in classes under any circumstances.

FORM CONTINUES ON OTHER SIDE

SOURCES OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT

One or more of the following support sources must be indicated.

A. PERSONAL FUNDS

Provide currently dated and signed letter (ORIGINAL COPY) from your bank verifying the amount available to you if you are supported by your own funds. The bank must indicate in the letter the equivalent amount in U.S. dollars if the account is held in a currency other than U.S. dollars.

B. SPONSOR

Sponsor's Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____

Sponsor's Address _____

Provide a currently dated and signed letter (ORIGINAL COPY) from your sponsor's bank verifying the amount of his/her funds. The bank must indicate in the letter the equivalent amount in U.S. dollars if the account is held in a currency other than U.S. dollars.

The following is to be signed by your sponsor:

I certify that I am willing and financially able to maintain this prospective student; that I agree to be responsible for the maintenance and support of said prospective student and agree, if necessary, to deposit a bond to guarantee that such prospective student will not become a public charge during his/her stay in the United States.

This affidavit is made by me for the purpose of assuring the University of Kentucky that:

_____ (name of prospective student) will not find it necessary to appeal to the University for scholarship or other material or financial aid. I have attached a copy of a currently dated bank statement or letter from my bank to verify my holdings.

(Signature)

(Date)

C. YOUR GOVERNMENT

Print name of agency _____

Enclose with this form an original and currently dated copy of your award. The letter must state that you are authorized to pursue your degree at the University of Kentucky and the amount of your award in U.S. dollars.

D. OTHER

Attach explanation of source.

Two years are allowed for a Master's program and five years for a Doctoral program.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS CORRECT AND COMPLETE AND THAT I SHALL NOTIFY THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY OF ANY CHANGE IN MY FINANCIAL CIRCUMSTANCES. I UNDERSTAND THAT GIVING FALSE INFORMATION MAKES ME INELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION AND ENROLLMENT.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

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