



### Financial Information for International Students

If you will need a student visa to attend IUPUI, then you will need to meet the following financial documentation requirements to receive a **Certificate of Eligibility (I-20 for the F-1 or DS-2019 for the J-1) and apply for your visa.** You must provide documentary evidence that sufficient funds are, or will be, available to cover all expenses during the entire period of intended study. This does not mean that you must have cash immediately available to cover this entire period; however, you must provide actual documentation that you have enough readily available funds to meet all expenses for the first year of study. You must also provide documentary evidence that adequate funds will be available for each subsequent year of study from the same source or from one or more other specifically identified and reliable financial sources. This is the same standard that U.S. visa officers will use to determine your financial ability during your visa interview.

### How to Document Your Funding

Complete both sides of this form and attach documentation of funds, as follows:

1. Bank statements or letters (from financial institutions where sponsor holds an account) must show the actual amount of currency available.
2. Your sponsor(s) must complete the "Financial Support Agreement" on the reverse (page 2) of this form.
3. All documents submitted as financial support must be current or dated within one year of the start of your anticipated first term at IUPUI.
4. You must provide English-language documents; any translations must be verified by an appropriate bank or government official.
5. If your spouse or child(ren) will accompany you using a dependent visa status, add their estimated expenses to the Total Cost to determine the total amount of funding that you must document (see "DEPENDENTS" below).

The Office of International Affairs reserves the right to request additional documentation of funding if deemed necessary.

#### Funding from sponsor other than applicant (Family, Friends and/or Organization Funds):

All financial sponsors must complete the Financial Support Agreement on the reverse (page 2) of this form or provide an equivalent formal statement of sponsorship. Total sponsor support must cover the entire duration of your studies at IUPUI: at least **two years for a master's degree** or **six years for a doctoral degree**.

**Sponsor (Family or Friend):** Each sponsor must provide evidence of sufficient funds for at least the first year of the applicant's study plus verification of income as evidence of sufficient funding to cover the remaining year(s) of promised support.

**Sponsor (Organization):** A promise of sponsorship can be stated on the sponsoring organization's letterhead. The statement should include the duration of sponsorship including the guaranteed dollar amount for a specified period of years or for the duration of study. Alternatively, the statement can specify the specific type of support provided (i.e. Housing).

#### Funding from applicant's personal finances (Self):

As the applicant, you must complete the Financial Support Agreement on the reverse (page 2) of this form. If providing **bank statements that are in your own name only**, you must show enough funds on deposit for the duration of your studies.

If your documented personal finances are not sufficient to cover the entire duration of study, you must provide evidence of ongoing income, such as a letter from an employer or other sponsor that promises funding for your remaining study. Sponsor support agreements to cover the remaining shortfall must meet the guidelines described in the box to the left.

### Estimated Annual Expenses for Graduate degree programs

Degree Program	Tuition and fees	Books and Supplies	Health insurance	Living expenses	Total cost
Engineering	\$13,353	\$1,100	\$1,100	\$13,200	\$28,753
Computer and Information Science	\$11,806	\$1,100	\$1,100	\$13,200	\$27,206

#### Explanation of tuition estimates

The tuition figure is based on graduate tuition rates and fees 2005-2006 academic year. The estimate assumes a course load of 24 hours per semester. Actual expenses will vary depending upon program and number of credit hours taken per semester. Actual tuition rates for the 2006-2007 academic year and beyond can be expected to increase by about 5-7% each year. Summer enrollment is not required for most international students and will depend upon the number of credits for which you register.

#### Explanation of living expenses

The total estimate for living expenses is based on costs of approximately \$1100 per month, itemized as follows:

Housing .....	\$465
Food .....	\$260
Clothing and miscellaneous .....	\$125
Transportation .....	\$250
<b>Monthly expenses subtotal .....</b>	<b>\$1100 × 12 months = \$13,200</b>

#### DEPENDENTS

Married students should anticipate costs of at least \$7,000 per year to support the first dependent (spouse or child) and \$4,500 per year for each subsequent dependent to meet basic needs of rent, food, clothing, and health insurance. If you plan to bring your spouse and dependent child(ren) with you, you must document funding for each dependent.

### Applicant's Personal Information

Last or Family Name \_\_\_\_\_ First or Given Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (month/day/year) \_\_\_\_\_ IUPUI applicant ID number \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

I plan to bring the following **DEPENDENTS** with me:

Name	Relationship to me	Birthdate (month/day/year)	City and Country of Birth	Country of Citizenship
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

# Financial Support Agreement

**Directions:** If you anticipate sponsoring your own studies, you must complete the box(es) below and submit the required documentation. If sponsors other than yourself will be offering financial support, your sponsor(s) must complete one of the box(es) below. If multiple sponsors will be offering support, copy both sides of this form for each sponsor. **A commitment to full or partial support does not exclude you from consideration for scholarship awards.**

- FULL FINANCIAL SUPPORT:** I will provide full financial support for the **Total Costs** (educational and living expenses) for the entire length of the applicant's study at IUPUI. As verification, I have attached original bank statement(s) in my name of adequate funding for the duration of studies.
- PARTIAL FINANCIAL SUPPORT:** I will provide partial financial support for the items marked below. (Check all that apply.)
- Tuition and fees: See page 1 for full amount of tuition and fees **or** \$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - All other costs (includes all items below). To indicate specific sponsorship, please choose from the items listed below:
    - Housing: \$ 5580/year
    - Food: \$3120/year
    - Clothing & miscellaneous: \$ 1500/year
    - Transportation: \$3000/year
    - Health insurance: \$ 1100/year
    - Books and supplies: \$1100/year
    - Other: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of support for items indicated above:  All study years  1 year  2 years  3 years  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

I have attached bank statements for at least the first year of the applicant's study plus verification of income as evidence that I have sufficient funds to cover the remaining year(s) of promised support.

- FULL FINANCIAL SUPPORT for Dependents:** I will provide full financial support for dependents accompanying the applicant to the United States. I have attached original bank statements verification of income as evidence that I have sufficient funds to cover the year(s) of promised support (see "**DEPENDENTS**" on page 1).

**Sponsor Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last or Family name/Surname First or Given

Sponsor's Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

## Applicant's Declaration

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (applicant's printed name), hereby promise that the information provided is correct and complete. I understand that I am ultimately responsible for yearly expenses for the length of my stay in the United States.

### Mandatory Health Insurance Information

All students in F or J visa status are required to enroll in IUPUI's mandatory health insurance program for international students, unless sufficient alternative health insurance is documented. The cost to students for the academic year 2005-2006 is \$1007 per year, regardless of age. Coverage begins from August 15 of one year and continues to August 14 of the following year. Students arriving for the spring semester are covered from January 1. Coverage for dependents is required and is available at an additional cost of \$2,404 for one's spouse and \$1,824 for your child(ren). After you arrive at IUPUI, the Office of International Affairs will provide you with a brochure that contains a detailed description of your insurance coverage.

The IUPUI Office of the Bursar automatically bills students in two installments: currently \$383 for the Fall semester (billed in October) and \$624 for the Spring and Summer (billed in February).

Students with pre-arranged health insurance may request a waiver from the mandatory health insurance plan. To qualify for a waiver, you must provide written evidence (in English) documenting have medical insurance coverage that meets the following requirements:

- coverage of **at least** \$50,000 per accident and per illness,
- deductible not to exceed \$500,
- co-insurance payment not to exceed 80%,
- hospitalization coverage of at least \$1200 per day, and
- repatriation and medical evacuation benefits in the event of death or severe illness.

**Documentation of insurance must include effective dates of coverage. Students who do not file acceptable waiver requests with the Office of International Affairs within the first week of classes are billed for the mandatory insurance and are not eligible for a later credit of this charge. The waiver request form is available at <http://www.iupui.edu/oia/HL/insurancewaiverform.pdf>**