

International Applicant - Certification of Finances

Required only if a student needs an F-1 or J-1 Visa.

TOTAL FUNDING REQUIREMENT
(per SFA International Admissions)

\$ _____

APPLICANT: Name (Last, First): _____ SFA ID Number : _____

Signature: _____ Date (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

This form **MUST** be accompanied by documentation verifying that the sponsor or student has the available funding in an account (or multiple accounts) to support in full or a portion of the applicant's first-year expenses at Stephen F. Austin State University. Any documents must clearly indicate the financial institution, the account holder's name, the currency, and the account type.

Financial documents must be current, in English, and issued within the past **nine months (We do NOT need 9-months of statements, only the most recent statement with a current balance)**.

Student should retain originals of documents to show as proof of funding at the time of the visa application/interview.

Examples of acceptable documents (accessible/liquid funds) – Statements issued directly from a bank (checking or savings account); education loans certified by lending institution; bank letters signed by bank official; bonds with maturity date before the first day of the semester. Internet printouts must include the web link/URL.

Examples of UNACCEPTABLE documents – Bank documents without account holder name; insurance policies; salary or retirement statements; cryptocurrency; credit cards; or investment/real estate portfolios.

SPONSOR: Name (Last, First): _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____ Funding pledge per year US \$ _____

I hereby state that I will provide funds to support the student during their entire degree program. I understand that the expenses are subject to change without prior notice.

Signature: _____ Date (MM/DD/YYYY): _____



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