VERIFICATION OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES

FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS REQUESTING F-1 AND J-1 STUDENT VISAS ONLY

IMPORTANT: All international applicants must prove that they have sufficient funds to cover all tuition, fees and living expenses while a student at Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW). Students requesting F-1 or J-1 student visa status must complete the reverse side of this form or provide a similar substitute and return to the Office of International Education.

U.S. visa regulations require that certification of admission be based upon both academic acceptance and satisfactory evidence of adequate funds to meet the expenses involved in the student’s proposed program of study. You should complete all requested information and submit documentary evidence of the amount of financial support that will be available to you from personal resources or other sources. Statements or letters from banks and from the persons or sponsoring organization(s) that will be providing funds for your educational and living expenses at IPFW should be sent to the Office of International Education well in advance of the date of intended enrollment. Affidavits of support alone are not acceptable documentation.

All applicants must show adequate funds on deposit for at least one year of study. Students should not expect to rely on earnings from part-time on-campus employment.

REQUIRED FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS FROM SPONSORS AND BANKS MUST:

- be written in English or in the original language and accompanied by an official English translation.
- show all money amounts in local currency with conversions into US dollars.
- include sponsor and applicant’s full names as they appear on the application.

Estimated Expenses: EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Living Expenses (includes housing, food, and personal expenses) $11,676.00
Health Insurance and Books $2,924.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR NINE MONTHS $14,600.00

All tuition/fee amounts and living expenses are ESTIMATES. Amounts typically increase each year. Expenses do not include tuition/fees for the optional summer term. Transportation to/from IPFW is not included. Room/Board estimates are for on-campus housing and individual food/meal expenses.

SOURCE OF SUPPORT AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Check each type of sponsor and complete all of the information requested. Send financial institution verification letters and the sponsor’s letter of intent to the IPFW Office of International Education. You may use the OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION OF SOURCE OF FUNDS AND AMOUNTS for your convenience.

- **Personal Funding**
  Complete attached “CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT” and provide a letter and/or statement from the bank to verify the amount on deposit

- **Personal Sponsors (Relative / Friend / Employer)**
  Complete attached “CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT” or provide a letter from the sponsor(s) to verify intent to cover all expenses and letter and/or statement from sponsor’s bank to verify the amount on deposit

- **Other Sources of Sponsorship (government funding, scholarships, etc.):** Include letter of intent and qualifying documents
CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT

I, ________________________________, certify that the amount of money that I have available for my first academic year of study at Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW), including any scholarships or grants to be received, is $ __________ (amount of sponsorship) and that the total amount available for each subsequent year of study will be adequate to cover all academic and living expenses. Further, I certify that the above information provided is correct and complete, and that I shall notify IPFW of any change in my financial circumstances.

Student’s Signature: ____________________________ Date: _________

FOR PARENTS AND/OR SPONSOR(S):

This is to certify that I have read the information given by the applicant on this form, that it is true, accurate, and that the funds to cover his/her academic and living expenses are available and will be provided as specified. Please include any information for additional sponsors on an additional sheet of paper.

SPONSOR’S NAME (printed): ____________________________

Sponsor’s signature: ____________________________ Date: _________

Address: _______________________________________
          _______________________________________
          _______________________________________

Relationship of sponsor to applicant: ____________________________

THE SPONSOR’S LETTER OF INTENT AND THE FINANCIAL VERIFICATION FORM SHOULD BE COMPLETED WITH ALL DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE, BANK STATEMENTS, ETC. AND RETURNED TO: