



# INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL CERTIFICATION

**PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.**

You may type in your answers and sign electronically, or print, complete with legible handwriting, and scan as a PDF. Return the completed form by email to: Intlstud@SDSTATE.edu.

Level of study:  Undergraduate  Graduate Student ID (if assigned) \_\_\_\_\_

Below, please type in your Family/Surname and First/Given Name as it appears on your passport.

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Family/Surname) (First/Given Name) (Middle Name) (Other names used)

2. Permanent home address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number and street)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Town or City) (Province or State) (Postal Code) (Country)

3. Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number and street)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Town or City) (Province or State) (Postal Code) (Country)

4. Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax number: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
(If applicable)

6. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month/Day/Year, i.e. January 21, 19##) (City and Country)

7. Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Are you currently studying on a U.S. Student Visa? Yes  No  If yes, indicate current visa type I-94 number.

Visa type: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Name of  Parent  Legal Guardian  Other Relative \_\_\_\_\_  
(Family/Surname) (First/Given Name)

Person in the US to whom Admission Status updates information and/or immigration documents may be released:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

10. Sex:  Male  Female Marital Status:  Single  Married Number of Dependents: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any dependents who will come with you to the U.S. please list name, relationship, birth date and birth place for each dependent. (You must show sufficient funds to cover your dependents' living expenses while in the U.S. in addition to your own funds. Refer to the Cost Estimate sheet. This is required for Visa application.)

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**Refer to the Table of Cost Estimates and indicate the amount of money in U.S. dollars that will be available to you for all years of attendance/degree.** A Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20) may only be issued when the student has been admitted and shows satisfactory financial arrangements for meeting the expenses of his/her entire program of study at South Dakota State University. See the appropriate cost estimate (graduate or undergraduate) for estimated costs of attendance by education level. Funds for dependents accompanying you must also be included for the total years that you will be studying. SDSU retains the right to require an advance deposit from students in countries that are experiencing difficulties in foreign exchange. **The I-134 will NOT be accepted by SDSU as financial certification.**

11. Source and amount of funds in U.S. Dollars for each year of attendance/degree:

- Self Support\* \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Scholarship/Fellowship/Assistantship \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Sponsor/Family \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Describe relationship of sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Describe other source: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total amount certified from sources above\*\* \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

\* Self support students must show evidence of funding for the entire duration of the program (Not just one year.)

\*\* The amount certified must equal or exceed the annual costs of attendance.

Refer to <https://www.sdstate.edu/international-affairs/estimated-costs-students>.

12. Official Certification of Sponsor / Family

Please note: If your sponsor has completed AND signed a letter of financial support you do not need to have this part completed. This is to certify that I have read the information furnished by the applicant on this form, that it is a true and accurate statement, and that the funds are available and will continue to support the student for the duration of studies.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Sponsor PLEASE PRINT

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

13. I certify that the information provided here is correct and complete. (If sponsoring self, sponsor's signature above is not necessary.)

Signature of prospective student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Submit Financial Certification with an Original (Hard Copy) Bank Statement or Bank Letter with original signatures and bank seal or stamp. The bank document must:

- Clearly list the type of currency and amount of funds
- Match the name of the signor on the Financial Certification
- Have an issue date within 6 months of the receipt of the application
- Written in English or provided with a certified translation

Please return this form and all financial documents via email ([Intlstud@SDSTATE.edu](mailto:Intlstud@SDSTATE.edu)), or mail to:

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Dakota State University  
H.M. Briggs Library  
Box 2115 - Briggs Library, Suite 119 1300  
North Campus Drive Brookings, SD  
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