

# CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CFR)

**\*\*This form is necessary for the preparation of a Form I-20/DS-2019 for The University of Texas at Austin\*\*  
(If you do not plan to enroll at the University in F-1 or J-1 status, you are not required to submit the CFR)**

- This form is valid for ONE YEAR from date of signature. The appropriate immigration document will be issued **AFTER** you have:
  - (1) been officially admitted to The University of Texas at Austin AND
  - (2) submitted this form along with proof of financial support for your studies
- Questions about the completion of this form may be directed to **hotline@austin.utexas.edu**
- Return the completed form to International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS) in **one** of the following ways:
  - (1) Email: cfr@austin.utexas.edu OR
  - (2) Fax: Domestic - (512) 471-8848; International - +001(512)471-8848 OR
  - (3) Mail: P.O. Box A, Austin, Texas 78713-8901 USA
- As you may need this documentation to prove to the United States consulate that you have sufficient funds, please keep your original documents and submit photocopies to ISSS. **Please note: ALL statements of support must be in English.**

STUDENT UTEID : \_\_\_\_\_

NAME AS LISTED IN YOUR PASSPORT: \_\_\_\_\_  
(family name) (given name) (middle name)

CITY & COUNTRY OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_ MARITAL STATUS: Married \_\_\_\_ Single \_\_\_\_ Gender: Male \_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_

ADDRESS WHERE IMMIGRATION DOCUMENTS SHOULD BE SENT:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL DOCUMENT BY EXPRESS COURIER: NO \_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_ If yes, you will be contacted by ISSS upon admission to UT Austin with further instructions.

THIS APPLICATION IS FOR: Semester \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Level Sought: Bachelors \_\_\_\_ Master's \_\_\_\_ PhD \_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF VISA DESIRED: Student (F-1) \_\_\_\_ Exchange Visitor (J-1) \_\_\_\_ If J-1, indicate your occupation at home (e.g. teacher, graduate student.):  
\_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU ARE ALREADY IN THE U.S., indicate your current visa status: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be transferring to UT Austin from another US institution? \_\_\_\_\_

LIST THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR ALL DEPENDENTS YOU PLAN TO BRING WITH YOU (INCLUDING YOUR FUTURE SPOUSE, IF YOU PLAN TO MARRY BEFORE TRAVELING TO THE UNIVERSITY). The statement of financial support must include sufficient support for any dependents that will accompany you or plan to join you at a later date. **Please note, a dependent is defined as a spouse or child.**

Name (Last, First)	Relationship	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	City & Country of Birth	Citizenship	Gender
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

UT EID: \_\_\_\_\_

**You are required to certify that you will have sufficient funds available for your first year of expenses at The University of Texas at Austin.** The cost, based on 2009 estimates is: \$44,500 for undergraduates, \$30,300 for graduates, \$54,000 for the Graduate School of Business and \$50,500 for the School of Law. For more information see: <http://www.utexas.edu/international/iss/students/new>. Estimates include tuition and fees for one academic year and 12 months of living expenses. They do not include summer tuition. **The cost of tuition is determined by the legislature of the State of Texas and is subject to change without notice.** You should be prepared to show the U.S. Consulate/Embassy how you will meet your program expenses. When computing your expenses, remember that students should not look to employment as a means of support unless an offer of an academic appointment (teaching or research assistantship) accompanies admission to a graduate department. Financial aid is generally not available to new international students, and financial assistance to continuing students is extremely limited.

If you are a married applicant who plans to bring your spouse and/or child(ren), you must certify the availability of at least an additional \$7,500 per year for your spouse and \$3,000 for each child. The spouse of an F-1 student visa holder is not permitted to work; the spouse of a J-1 exchange visitor visa may apply for permission to work upon arrival in the U.S.

Students enrolled at the University are required to have health and accident insurance, which is included in the cost of tuition and fees. It is advisable for all dependents to have health and accident insurance. Dependents of J-1 exchange visitors are required to have health and accident insurance which could cost an additional \$3,204 (spouse); \$1,728 (children) per year.

SOURCES OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT	AMOUNTS IN U.S. DOLLARS			
	First Year <i>(required)</i>	Second Year <i>(optional)</i>	Third Year <i>(optional)</i>	Fourth Year <i>(optional)</i>
<b>Personal and/or family savings</b> (a bank official's signature below or on an attached letter of certification is required if the applicant will be supported in whole or part by personal family savings). Support is available for a total of _____ years or time required to complete one degree.	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>Government sponsor</b> (print name of agency and attach signed copy of letter from agency certifying sponsorship) _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>University of Texas at Austin Assistantship/Fellowship/Scholarship</b> (attach copy of award letter from department)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>Other</b> (Specify below and attach a signed certification) _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

**BANK AND/OR SPONSOR'S OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION OF SOURCES OF FUNDS**

This is to certify that I have read the information given by the applicant on this form, that it is true and accurate, and that the funds are available and will be provided as specified:

Parent or Sponsor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Sponsor's Name (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship of Sponsor to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that I have read the information given by the applicant on this form, that it is true and accurate, and that the funds are available:

Bank Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Bank Official's Name (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Address of Bank: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the above information provided is correct and complete and that I shall not require additional financial assistance from The University of Texas at Austin. If any of the information changes prior to my enrollment at the University, I will immediately notify ISSS. I understand that making false or fraudulent statements within this *Certification of Financial Responsibility* may result in disciplinary action.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_