

FINANCIAL SUPPORT FORM

This form is not part of the application for admission; it is **required** supplementary information used for issuing your immigration documents. The International Education Services Office issues the immigration form I-20 that allows you to obtain an F-1 visa. In order to issue you an I-20, we need you to show that you have adequate funding to support yourself proof of financial support from you, your sponsor or academic department.

NOTE: Please read carefully and complete all fields that apply as accurately as possible. **An**

incomplete form will result in a delay in processing your I-20.
 STUDENT **INFORMATION**

Female

Male:

 Last Name First Name Middle Name
 (as it appears/will appear on your passport) Last (Family) Name

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

Single Married

Major: _____

Country of Birth

Country of citizenship

Country of Legal Permanent Residence

PERMANENT FOREIGN ADDRESS (in your home country):

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____

State: _____ Country: _____

Postal Code: _____ Email: _____

(Unless you are in the U.S., your immigration documents will be sent to this address)

DEPENDENT INFORMATION

For your spouse and each dependent, please submit a copy of their passport biographical page. This will be required to process their required immigration documents.

SOURCES OF FUNDING

You are required to show that you have at least one year's worth of adequate funding to pay all the necessary expenses while at UMBC. If you have funding from the school via an assistantship or scholarship please include a copy of your award letter. If you are paying through other sources of funding please submit that information. Acceptable sources include checking and savings account bank statements. If the finding is in foreign currency, **please have the foreign bank convert the money in U.S. dollar.**

Unacceptable sources include real estate holdings, stocks, bonds, salary verification letters, retirement funds, and life insurance policies.

If the source of funds belongs to anyone other than yourself, a signed letter of support must accompany the bank documents. The letter must include the name of the sponsor, the sponsor's relationship to you and a statement attesting that they expect to support all your expenses for the duration of your program.

It is recommended that you bring original copies of this document and any additional financial documentation to your visa appointment at the United States Consulate. Make copies of this form for your records.

Below is a breakdown of financial expense for UMBC international Students:

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXPENSE ESTIMATE 2010-2011

The following student expenses are an approximation.

		<u>Tuition</u>	
Undergraduate	\$7,896/semester		\$15,792/year
Graduate	\$6,624/semester		\$13,248/year
		<u>Mandatory Fees</u>	
Undergraduate	\$1194/semester		\$2,388/year
Graduate	\$1194/semester		\$2,388/year*
		<u>Living Expenses</u>	
Housing (estimate)	\$2,835/semester		\$5,670/year
Meals (estimate)	\$1800/semester		\$3,600/year
		<u>Health Insurance</u>	
Fall semester	\$584		
Spring semester	\$713		
	\$1,297/year		
Books & Supplies (estimate)	\$1200/year		
		TOTAL	
Undergraduate			\$29,947
Graduate			\$27,403
Additional expenses for dependents (if applicable)			

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Spouse	\$8,956/year
Child	\$5,981/year

All students are responsible for paying fees. This includes graduate students who have been awarded an assistantship. Be prepared to arrive with enough funds to pay fees at the required time to avoid accruing late charges. For more information please visit <http://www.umbc.edu/bursar/tuition>

Tuition is charged at \$658 a credit for undergraduate students and \$736 a credit for graduate students. Fees breakdown include: \$97 technology fee, \$384 athletics fee, \$176 transportation fee, \$236 Auxiliary Facilities Fee, \$262 University Commons Fee, and \$39 Student Activity. Other funds include cost of supplies and books that varies based on many factors: major, number of classes, level of classes etc. Dependent expenses are as follows: For Spouse, $450 \times 12 = 5400$ plus required spousal health insurance of \$3556 annually. For each child, $300 \times 12 = 3600$ plus required child insurance of \$2381 per child annually. More than one child is \$4766 for all children.