



International Financial Statement Instructions

USCIS requires evidence of sufficient financial resources for the duration of studies and sponsorship verification before issuing the I-20. To satisfy this requirement, the student must submit a bank statement showing sufficient liquid funding for the duration of their studies at TCU. See below for details.

If the student is sponsored, in addition to the bank statement, the applicant and their sponsor must read, complete, sign and date the financial statement. The following document also must be submitted along with the bank statement:

- A letter on company letterhead from the sponsor's employer, written in English, verifying employment and annual salary in U.S. dollars. Salary should be sufficient to sustain the sponsor's family and the student's expenses at TCU for the duration of studies. If your sponsor is self-employed, please have the bank or company accountant state that the sponsor is self-employed, and in what capacity, and at what annual salary.

Note: If a student has more than one sponsor, the student and each sponsor must complete a separate financial statement. Copies of the financial statement can be for additional sponsors.

FUNDING SOURCES

There are various funding sources you can use while you study at TCU. Each requires different documents to be submitted and all of these documents must:

- Be in English.
- Indicate the currency of the funds.
- Have an issue date that is no more than 12 months from the time you plan to begin study.

Self-Support

If you are using personal funds as your sole source of support, you must have sufficient funds for the entire length of your program. Your funds must be in cash (e.g., checking or savings accounts) and not subject to withdrawal restrictions. Funding in stocks and other long-term investments will not be accepted. If you do not have sufficient funds for the entire duration of your program, a sponsor must agree to provide support for the remaining amount.

Financial Support Documents

- Bank statement with the bank's address and phone number, indicating the date the account was opened and the current account balance.
- Bank statements may include checking or savings accounts, certificates of deposit or money market accounts. Your full legal name (as listed on your passport) must be included on the document.

Family/Individual Sponsor

- If a family member or other individual will provide your funding, your sponsor does not need to show funding for the entire length of your program. Instead, your sponsor must have sufficient funds for at least the first year of your program. These funds must be in cash (e.g., checking or savings accounts) and not subject to withdrawal restrictions.
- If your sponsor currently has funds for just the first year, your sponsor should also submit documents showing the means of support for the subsequent years.



Financial Support Documents

- For the first year of study, a bank statement with the bank's address and phone number, indicating the date the account was opened and the current account balance.
- Bank statements may include checking or savings accounts, certificates of deposit or money market accounts.
- For each subsequent year, wage statements, statements of the value of holdings of the sponsor, investment account statements or other documents that provide credible evidence of the availability of funds.
- Sponsors who are living in the U.S. and are not U.S. citizens must provide copies of the immigration papers (I-94 and visa stamp), as well as a copy of the biographical page of their passport, with the passport expiration date.

Government/Agency Sponsor

If your sponsor is your government or an official agency, your sponsor must indicate the exact amount of the funding (including the monthly or yearly amount for living expenses) and the duration of your award. If the amount of the award is less than the amount indicated on the Visa Request form, you must have your own funding or funding from another sponsor to meet the required amount.

Financial Support Documents

- Letter of support indicating the dollar amount awarded and the duration and any conditions of the sponsorship.

Funding from TCU

If you are offered funding from TCU, the university will provide you a letter detailing the exact amount of funding that you are being awarded. If the funding is sufficient to cover all of the expenses for the duration of your program, you will not be required to submit additional proof of funding. If the funding package is less than the full amount, you must have your own funding or funding from another sponsor to make up the difference. Please note that a completed Visa Request form is required even if you are being fully funded by TCU.

Financial Support Documents

- Copy of the official letter of support indicating the dollar amount awarded and the duration of the sponsorship.



STUDENT INFORMATION

Passport Family / Last Name: _____	Passport Given / First Name(s): _____	Middle Name (if applicable): _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		Date of Birth: _____ (Month / Day / Year)

OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION BY FAMILY OR INDIVIDUAL SPONSOR

I guarantee that I will provide the above-named applicant the amount indicated on the above chart for purposes of full-time study at Texas Christian University.

Sponsor First and Last Name: _____		Relationship to applicant: _____	
SPONSOR ADDRESS Street Address: _____			
City: _____	State or Province: _____	Country: _____	Zip: _____
Sponsor Telephone: _____		Sponsor Email: _____	
<i>Sponsors who are living in the U.S. and are not U.S. citizens must provide copies of the immigration papers (I-94 and visa stamp), as well as a copy of the biographical page of their passport, with the passport expiration date.</i>			
Sponsor Signature: _____		Date: _____	

APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION

I certify that I have read the information provided on this certification, that it is complete and accurate, and that the funds are available. I understand that submission of incomplete or inaccurate information or documents may be grounds for denying admission, withdrawing an offer of admission, or termination of enrollment if I have been admitted.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____