

NAME: _____ **SSN:** _____

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

SPONSOR'S SIGNATURE DATE

SPONSOR'S NAME (PRINT)

SPONSOR'S TITLE RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT

ADDRESS

Please attach a current, original bank statement (in English), with student's full name (last name, first name) on it.

STUDENT'S FINANCIAL PLEDGE

I, _____ (please print name), certify that the total amount of money that I have available for my first academic year of study at the University of Maryland, College Park (including funds for spouse and children, if applicable) is \$ _____, and that the total amount available for each subsequent year of study is \$ _____. Further, I certify that the information provided above is correct and complete and that I shall not require additional financial assistance from the University of Maryland.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE* DATE

INSTRUCTIONS

International applicants requiring visas to attend the University of Maryland must certify sufficient funds—exclusive of travel costs—to cover tuition and fees, books and supplies, living expenses and medical insurance for themselves and any dependents. Only applicants holding or intending to seek an F-1 Student or J-1 Exchange Visitor visa must complete the Certification of Finances form and submit required documents. A Certificate of Eligibility (form I-20 or DS2019) will not be issued until this information is provided. Please complete the form on page 8 and attach any required documents. All bank statements must be issued within the last six months. Award letters and affidavits must be signed. Give all amounts in U.S. dollars.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

SOURCE OF FUNDS

Personal: If you have personal savings and intend to use this money for all or part of your financial support, indicate the amount of funds you will use per year. A statement from your bank official on the bank's stationery must be enclosed. The statement should verify the amount of money (in U.S. dollars) you have on deposit at the bank and include applicant's first and last name.

Funding from Parents or Individual Sponsors: If your parents or other individuals are willing and able to sponsor all or part of your educational expenses, indicate the amount of funds they will make available to you per year. A statement from their bank official on the bank's stationery must be enclosed. The statement should verify the amount of money (in U.S. dollars) they have on deposit at the bank.

Private Organization or Employer: If you will be sponsored by a private organization, employer or another agency, indicate the amount of funds it will make available to you per year. A signed copy of your award letter on the agency's stationery detailing the terms and amount of your award must be enclosed.

Other (specify): If you have another source of support not included above, you should indicate the amount of funds which will be made available to you per year. (For example, some applicants intend to stay with friends or family who live close to the University of Maryland and, therefore, these friends or family contribute to the applicant's support.) If you have other such sources of support, enclose a signed affidavit from an authorized person certifying the amount of and details of the support.

Total: The combination of all bank statements, award letters and affidavits must show a total amount equal to or greater than U.S. \$41,997.00. Each year's total must be equal to or greater than U.S. \$41,997.00 (the 2009-2010 estimated annual student expenses).

*If you complete the PDF version of this form, you must print, complete, sign and mail the entire application for your signature to be considered valid.

Reminder: Please print, complete, sign and mail all documents.