International Undergraduate Student Financial Information 2018-2019

The Office of International Services (OIS) has prepared this document to inform you of the financial requirement in order to issue your student visa document (Form I-20 or DS-2019) as an international undergraduate student. Once you have been admitted to your program and submitted your enrollment deposit, the Office of Admission & Financial Aid will notify OIS. From there, you will be contacted directly from OIS via email and will need to provide financial documentation via the My OIS online portal. More information on this process will be provided to you *after* you have submitted your enrollment deposit. This document is simply to prepare you for what you will need to provide to OIS so that your visa document is issued smoothly and timely. **Please wait to send financial documentation to OIS until you have been contacted directly from OIS.**

*The estimates below are based on actual costs for Academic Year 2017-18. For immigration purposes, providing evidence of financial support to meet the costs outlined below is sufficient; however, please note that **actual costs will likely increase for the 2018-2019 academic year**. Tuition fees are for 8 months and living expenses and insurance are for 12 months. Students should add **$5,016 per year for each dependent** family member (spouse and/or unmarried children under the age of 21) who will accompany them to the U.S. The dependent estimate does not include health insurance.*

CAMPUS & SCHOOL	Tuition + Fees	Living Expenses	Insurance	TOTAL/YEAR
PITTSBURGH CAMPUS (UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL)				
Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences	$30,642	$15,920	$2,097	**$47,709**
College of General Studies	$30,642	$15,920	$2,097	**$47,709**
School of Education	$30,642	$15,920	$2,097	**$47,709**
School of Social Work	$30,642	$15,920	$2,097	**$47,709**
College of Business Administration	$34,402	$15,920	$2,097	**$51,469**
Swanson School of Engineering	$33,396	$15,920	$2,097	**$50,463**
School of Computing and Information	$33,028	$15,920	$2,097	**$50,095**
School of Dental Medicine	$30,500	$15,920	$2,097	**$47,567**
School of Nursing	$38,690	$15,920	$2,097	**$55,757**
School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences	$38,690	$15,920	$2,097	**$55,757**
JOHNSTOWN CAMPUS				
All Programs (except below)	$25,120	$15,920	$2,097	**$43,137**
Engineering	$27,394	$15,920	$2,097	**$45,411**
Nursing	$31,774	$15,920	$2,097	**$49,791**
Respiratory Care	$26,782	$15,920	$2,097	**$44,799**
GREENSBURG CAMPUS				
All Programs (except below)	$25,114	$15,920	$2,097	**$43,131**
Nursing	$31,768	$15,920	$2,097	**$49,785**
TITUSVILLE CAMPUS				
All Programs (except below)	$21,552	$15,920	$2,097	**$39,569**
Nursing	$30,494	$15,920	$2,097	**$48,511**
BRADFORD CAMPUS				
All Programs (except below)	$25,144	$15,920	$2,097	**$43,161**
Nursing	$31,798	$15,920	$2,097	**$49,815**

Financial Documentation Considerations:

- Review the cost estimates (above) and the estimated length of the degree program and campus to which you are applying. *You will need to provide financial documentation of immediately available liquid assets only for the first 12 months of study.*
  - Immediately available liquid assets would be considered a bank statement or letter, stocks/bonds available for immediate withdrawal without penalty
  - Salary information, retirement accounts, real estate or other non-liquid assets such as automobiles, jewelry, or other personal property cannot be used to demonstrate financial support for the first 12 months but may be provided as evidence of support for subsequent years of study.
- All proof of financial support must be original documents in English. We are able to convert your home country's currency into USD. Currency used must be indicated on document.
- Documentation must be issued within the last six months, and the date the document was issued must be clearly indicated.
- Be sure to include additional funds for any dependents who will accompany you to the U.S. ($5,016 per dependent. Amount determined by 120% of the Health & Human Services Poverty amount https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines).
- Students may provide proof of financial support from more than one sponsor. You will be able to submit multiple sources of financial documentation to OIS if needed. Each sponsor will need to submit an Attestation of Financial Support form via My OIS. Each sponsor will need to verify they are sponsoring your education and the amount they plan to provide. The sponsor must physically sign this form, typing in a signature will not be acceptable.
- You do not need to submit financial documentation to the Office of Admission and Financial Aid. Please wait to send financial documentation to OIS until you have been contacted directly from OIS via email. You will be able to upload original copies of financial documentation through your My OIS account (my.ois.pitt.edu) after you have submitted your enrollment deposit and OIS emails you directly.
- The living expenses is an estimate for the Pittsburgh area. This does not reflect the cost of University Housing. More information regarding University Housing can be found at https://www.pc.pitt.edu/housing/
- Evidence of financial support must also be shown to the U.S. Consulate when applying for a visa. OIS accepts scanned copies of financial documentation, but the Consulate will need to see the original version. Please make sure to keep the original copy of what you have scanned and uploaded to OIS for your visa interview.
- Questions concerning financial requirements can be emailed to oisnew@pitt.edu.