

## Graduate Studies

### Financial Statement of Support for Foreign Exchange Applicants

Please complete this form and request your bank or sponsor to attach the required documents. The Financial Statement of Support (SOS) packet should be e-mailed or mailed directly to the Graduate Office. **A copy of the data page (photo, personal data, and data concerning issuance and validity) of your regular Passport MUST be provided in order for the SOS to be considered complete.**

If you are not awarded financial aid by the department you will need to submit this form before your intent to enroll or visa paperwork can be processed.

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last MM/DD/YYYY

*The information given below, to the best of my knowledge, is true and accurate.*

Year(s) of funding: 20\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

Signature of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

### Fund Source

Please complete the appropriate section(s) showing the amount of funding you have available for your first academic year of study (9 months). The amount(s) must total **\$9,000 a semester**. These are estimated amounts, please view <http://inside.mines.edu/Graduate-Student-Cost-of-Attendance> for the most current Estimated Cost of Attendance breakdown.

- **Personal**

Type of Account: _____ <small>Savings, Checking, etc.</small>	Amount available: \$ _____ (US currency)
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Please see the requirements for your funding type on page 3.

- **Government, College/University, Company/Employer, or International Organization**

Name of Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of Sponsorship: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (US currency)

Length of Sponsorship: \_\_\_\_\_

Please see the requirements for your funding type on page 3.

- **Family or Other Source**

Name of Family member and/or Other Sponsor:	
Amount: \$ _____ (US Currency)	<small>First Middle Last</small>
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**Affidavit of Support - Family Member or Other Sponsor**

**Applicant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Birth Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last MM/DD/YYYY

Sponsor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Salary in US Currency: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that I will provide financial support for \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Applicant

who resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Current Address

in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per year, for the term of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Amount in US Dollars) (Length of Sponsorship. Minimum of nine (9) months.)

**Bank Information**

Account Type: Checking Savings Other \_\_\_\_\_ Date opened: \_\_\_\_\_  
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Current balance: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ in US Dollars Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Bank Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Bank Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Account Type: Checking Savings Other \_\_\_\_\_ Date opened: \_\_\_\_\_  
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Current balance: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ in US Dollars Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Bank Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Bank Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that this information is accurate to the best of my knowledge

Name of Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Requirements for Funding Source

The U.S. Government requires that all International Applicants provide proof of the ability to pay tuition and living expenses for themselves and their dependents (if applicable) before an I-20 or DS-2019 can be issued.

#### Required for all Financial Documents:

- Copy of Current Passport or Written Statement that you are in the process of obtaining one and dates
- Current Date (No earlier than one year before your first term start date)
- Must contain Account Holder's name
- Must state the available FINAL balance, in US Dollars
- Translations for all financial documents not issued in English. If not completed by the bank, they must be translated by a certified professional

#### Personal Funding:

- Please provide a bank letter or statement(s) showing your average daily balance for the **previous 4 months** and the type of account in which the funds are being held. The fund amounts should be converted to US currency.
  - Letters must be on official letterhead and include the signature and stamp of an administrative officer or official.
  - Acceptable Accounts:
    - Savings
    - Checking
    - Approved Educational Loans

#### Government, College/University, Company/Employer, or International Organization:

- An official letter from your sponsor must accompany the Financial Statement of Support Form (*pg1*) detailing the award. The fund amounts should be converted to US currency.

#### Family of Other Source:

- Each family member or 'other sponsor' must also submit the included "Affidavit of Support" (*pg2*) stating that they agree to sponsor you, the length of time their sponsorship covers, and the amount of support.
- Each family member or 'other sponsor' must submit a bank letter or statement(s) showing your average daily balance for the previous 4 months and the type of account in which the funds are being held. The fund amounts should be converted to US currency.
- Letters must be on official letterhead and include the signature and stamp of an administrative officer or official.
  - Acceptable Accounts:
    - Savings
    - Checking
    - Approved Educational Loans
    - Funds in Investment Accounts
    - Timed/Fixed deposits or government bonds maturing prior to your first term at Mines or available for withdrawal at any time

#### Financial Statement of Support (SOS) Deadlines:

Accepted **Fall** Applicants will have until **May 1<sup>st</sup>** (of the year you are applying) to submit a valid SOS.

Accepted **Spring** Applicants will have until **November 1<sup>st</sup>** (of the year you are applying) to submit a valid SOS.

#### The SOS packet should be e-mailed or mailed directly to the Graduate Office.

Email to: [grad.credentials@mines.edu](mailto:grad.credentials@mines.edu) or mail to:

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