

Dear Applicant,

We are excited about your application to Saint Mary's College!

As part of the admission process, international students must submit a **Certification of Finances form** and supporting financial documents. This form is required for students who are not US citizens or permanent residents and who would need a student visa to study. Institutions are required to verify the financial resources of their international applicants before issuance of the Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20).

This form will help you demonstrate that you have sufficient financial support to cover the portion of the projected cost of your education that is not covered by scholarships and grants.

For your reference, the total cost of attendance at Saint Mary's is listed below.

Cost of Attendance at Saint M	lary's College
The 2015-16 undergraduate c	osts include:
Tuition and Fees+	\$37,400
Room and Board+	11,320
Books and Supplies	1,000
Personal Expenses	950
Health Insurance*	880
Total Cost of Attendance	\$51,5 <b>5</b> 0
+Annual increases to the cost of attendance *Mandatory requirement for all inter	

To proceed, please view the attached **Certificate of Finances form** and complete the following:

- Personal Details section (1st page: Items 1-7)
- Student's Sources of Funds section (2<sup>nd</sup> page: Items 8a 9)
  - Only complete the items that correspond to your source(s) of funding; you may not need to complete each item on this page.
- Additional Details section (3<sup>rd</sup> page: Items 9 − 16)
- Student Signature and Date section (3<sup>rd</sup> page: Item 17)

Once you have completed the form and obtained all required supporting documentation and/or signatures, please send all materials to the Admission Office via e-mail, post, or faxed. If copies are e-mailed or faxed, please note that we may require the original documents at a later date.

For questions, please contact me via email at rpiontek@saintmarys.edu.

We wish you the best of luck with your application!

## Rachel Piontek

Assistant Director of Admission and International Admission Coordinator



## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CERTIFICATION OF FINANCES

2016-17

The purpose of the *Certification of Finances* is to help colleges and universities obtain complete and accurate information about the funds available to international applicants who want to study in the United States. Strict government regulations, rising education costs, and economic conditions have made verifying the financial resources of international applicants essential. Institutions do not have the option of deciding whether to verify the financial resources of their international applicants; financial verification must be made prior to institutional issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20 or DS-2019).

This form is designed to standardize financial information provided by applicants to colleges, universities, and U.S. consuls. By completing this form and returning it to the college or university requiring it, an applicant, if admitted, may obtain that college's authorization and issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20 or DS-2019). If parents and/or sponsors are unable to obtain a bank official's verification, it is recommended that institutions forward a copy of the International Student Financial Aid Application to the family for completion. The institution should attach a copy of this certification to the Certificate of Eligibility. U.S. consuls scrutinize the statements of financial resources given by nonimmigrant visa applicants. This certification will help such officials make their decisions and expedite visa issuance.

## Return directly to the college providing or requesting this statement.

The space below is for optional use by issuing institutions for listing student's expected annual budget.

1. Your Name	4. Date of Birth
☐ Mr. ☐ Ms. ☐ Mrs. ☐ Miss	
Family (surname) Given (first)	Month Day Year Middle
2. Permanent Address	5. Place of Birth (country)
	6. Country of Citizenship
3. Mailing Address (if different from above)	7. Expected Visa Type
	□ F-1 □ G-2
	□ F-2 □ G-3
	□ J-1 □ G-4
	□ J-2 □ H
	☐ G-1 ☐ Other (specify)

8. Enter the expected amount of annual support from the source Use an additional sheet of paper for explanations, if necessity	ources listed belo essary.	w. Ent	er am	nount	s in U.	S. dol	ars. F	Please P	RINT	all e	ntries	<b>3.</b>			
Student's Sources of Funds	Assured	Projected													
8a. Personal or Family Savings	<b>Support</b> 2016-17			Support 2017-18 2018-19 2019-20											
Curronsonia or runni, curingo	\$	.00	\$			.00 \$			.00	\$			.00		
Name of Bank															
Signature of Bank Official	Date		-												
Title															
Name of Bank															
Address of Bank															
Official Certification of Sources of Funds and Amounts This is to certify that I have read the information furnished by the applicant on this form, that	t it is a true and accurate st	atement, a	and that	t the fund	ds are ava	ailable and	d will be	provided a	s indicate	ed.					
8b. Parents (Money available from sources other than savings.)															
	\$	.00	\$			.00 \$			.00	\$			.00		
Parent's Name Relationship															
	\$	.00	\$			.00 \$			.00	\$			.00		
Parent's Name															
Relationship															
Please describe the source:															
Signature of Parent	Date														
Address															
Official Certification of Sources of Funds and Amounts															
This is to certify that I have read the information furnished by the applicant on this form, that	t it is a true and accurate st	atement, a	and that	t the fun	ds are ava	ailable and	d will be	provided a	s indicate	ed.					
8c. Sponsors (Money available from sources other than parents.)	\$	.00	\$			.00 \$			.00	\$			.00		
Sponsor's Name	\$	.00	\$			.00 \$			.00	\$			.00		
Sponsor's Name															
Please describe the source:															
Signature of Sponsor	Date		-												
Address															
Relationship of Sponsor to Student															
Official Certification of Sources of Funds and Amounts															
This is to certify that I have read the information furnished by the applicant on this form, that	t it is a true and accurate st	atement, a	and that	t the fun	ds are ava	ailable and	d will be	provided a	s indicate	ed.					
8d. Your Government															
	\$	.00	\$			.00 \$			.00	\$			.0		
Name of Agency Enclose a signed copy of your letter of award with this form.													_		
TOTAL	s	.00	\$			.00 \$			.00	\$			.0		

9.	What is the present exchange rate of your currency to the U.S. dollar? (for example, 3,100 pesos = \$1)	,	. What is the total amount of money you expect to have when you arrive at this institution?									\$							
	= \$1		14.	Do y	ou p	olan	to i	ema	ain i	n th	e U.S	6. dui	ring	the s	umn	ner?			
10.	Does your government currently impose restrictions on exchange and release of funds for study in the U.S.?			Do you plan to remain in the U.S. during  Yes  No															
	☐ Yes ☐ No If YES, describe restrictions.					ning sch			J.S.,	do	do you plan to attend								
	Tree, describe restrictions.				Yes	[		No											
11.	Do you have a source for emergency fund in the U.S.?	s once you arrive	16. What are the sources and amounts of support available to you during the summer?																
	☐ Yes ☐ No			Sources									Amount						
	If YES, name source.													U.S.	\$				.00
	Amount available in U.S. dollars	\$ .00												U.S.	\$				.00
12.	How will you pay for your transportation	to the U.S.?												U.S.	\$				.00
														U.S.	\$				.00
17.	A CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY (Form I-20 or DS-2019) will not be authorized until this form is completed and																		
	returned to the institution to which you are applying. The institution will attach a copy of this form to your CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY. Both the form and certificate must be shown to	Signature of Student I certify that the information on I understand that any misrepre revoking admission.	this senta	form tion	is tru	ue, co	orrec	t, and	d com	nplete	ə.	Date		lav	Mont	] [		oar.	
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