



INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Certification of Finances Form  
Academic Year 2020 - 2021 (August 2020 - May 2021)

Confidential

*To Be Completed By Student*

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last Name (Family Name) First Name Middle*

**GENDER:** (Check one):  Male  Female      **DATE OF BIRTH:** \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
*Month Day Year*

**CITY OF BIRTH:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COUNTRY OF BIRTH:** \_\_\_\_\_ **COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MAILING ADDRESS:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Street  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City  
\_\_\_\_\_  
State/Province      Postal Code/Zip Code      Country

**MAJOR:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-MAIL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE #:** (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  SMS/Text  Voice  
*Country code Number*

**FAX #:** (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
*Country code Number*

**VISA INFORMATION:**

If you are currently an F-1 or J-1 at another college/institution in the U.S., your status is:  F-1  J-1  
College/Institution Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- Please enclose photocopies of the following documents:
1. Passport and Visa Stamp in passport
  2. I-94 Card (both sides) or electronic I-94 record
  3. I-20 Form or DS-2019 Form (both sides).

Will you request Gallaudet University to issue a Certificate of Eligibility, Form I-20 or DS-2019?

Yes  No | If yes,  Form I-20  Form DS-2019

## Cost of Attendance

The U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) regulations require all international applicants to provide evidence of adequate financial support before they may obtain an I-20 Form/DS-2019. To demonstrate that you have adequate financial support, you must complete and send this Certification of Finances Form and original, official documents that show you have sufficient funds to pay at least the fixed costs of one academic year. Listed below are the fixed costs for international students in the undergraduate program at Gallaudet University.

<b>Estimated University Costs for Academic Year 2020- 2021 (August 2020 - May 2021)</b>		
	<b>Graduate Program</b>	
	<b>Developing Countries</b>	<b>Non-Developing Countries</b>
Tuition	\$27,270.00*	\$36,360.00*
Health Insurance Fee	\$3,374.00	\$3,374.00
Health Service Fee	\$250.00	\$250.00
Unit Fee	\$276.00	\$276.00
Room	\$8,938.00	\$8,938.00
Board	\$6,960.00	\$6,960.00
Books & Supplies	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
<b>TOTAL (one academic year)</b>	<b>\$48,068.00</b>	<b>\$56,930.00</b>

**To see if you qualify as a person from a developing country, please see page 4, “World Bank World Development Indicators Index”**

**WHICH COUNTRY:** (Check one):  **Developing Country** (\$48,068.00)  
 **Non-Developing Country** (\$56,930.00)

\*This reflects the international surcharge at 100% for students from non-developing countries and 50% for students from developing countries. This tuition is mandated by the U.S. Government.

**Note:** This information is provided as a guide only and is not considered a contract or as binding on the University. The University reserves the right to change tuition costs, fees, and other charges at any time without notice.

**Estimated Additional Costs:** You should plan to have at least \$3,000 for personal expenses each academic year. If you plan to stay at Gallaudet through the winter and summer vacation periods, you will need an additional \$3,500. If your family will stay with you while you are a student, plan an additional \$8,000 for your spouse and \$5,000 for each child.

**Documentation of Financial Support:** Listed below are the sources of support you can use to demonstrate adequate financial support. The total amount of funds shown in these supporting documents must equal or exceed the fixed costs for one academic year in your chosen program (see table above). You must obtain two original, official copies of each supporting document. Attach one copy of each document to this Certification of Finances Form and send it to International Student Services at Gallaudet University. When your documents are received and approved, International Student Services will send you a completed Form I-20 or DS-2019. You will take the Form I-20 or DS-2019 AND your second official copy of the supporting documents to the American Embassy or Consulate to apply for your student visa. Canadian students do not need a student visa.

### Student's Sources of Funds/Required Documents

Please mark your source(s) of funding for the duration of your program at Gallaudet University. You MUST submit documents for each source of funds that you mark. Documents must be in English and bear a signature, official seal or be on letterhead from an official agency. These documents must be less than 3 months old when presented to Gallaudet University.

Sources	Required Documents
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Student Funds</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bank statements for checking, savings and/or other accessible accounts</li> <li>2. Certificates of deposit: mutual stock or bond fund</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Support Available from Family/Friends</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the Sponsor's Affidavit in this application</li> <li>2. Bank statements for checking and /or savings</li> <li>3. Certificates of deposits, mutual stock or bond fund</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Support Available from Sponsors</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the Sponsor's Affidavit in this application</li> <li>2. Official letter from the sponsor's employer showing annual earnings</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Your Government/ Embassy</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Official Letter</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Charitable Organizations/School Scholarship</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Official Letter(s)</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>OSAP/Canada Student Loan/VR/Others (Canadian Students Only)</b>	Pending after acceptance

### Applicant Certification

I hereby certify that the total amount of money that I have available for my first academic year at Gallaudet University is US\$\_\_\_\_\_ (Please write down one of the fixed costs, **\$48,068.00 for students from developing countries or \$56,930.00 for students from non-developing countries. See Page 4 for list of countries classified as "developing" .**). Furthermore, I certify that the information I am providing is correct and complete and that I will notify Gallaudet University of any changes in my financial circumstances. I understand that if I am a tourist without a student visa and/or Form I-20, I cannot register as a student at Gallaudet University.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

Return the completed form and support documents to:

**Gallaudet University**  
**International Student and Scholar Services**  
**800 Florida Avenue NE**  
**Dawes House**  
**Washington, DC 20002-3695 USA**

*Gallaudet University reserves the right to require advance payment of one full academic year's costs before issuing a Form I-20 or DS-2019. This payment will be held in trust by Student Financial Services and applied to the student's account when the student officially enrolls. If the student is unable to enroll due to a visa denial or to other reasons, the money will be refunded upon written request.*

## EDA DEVELOPING COUNTRIES LIST FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2020/2021

(If your country is listed below, you are from a developing country)

Afghanistan	Ghana	North Macedonia
Albania	Guatemala	Pakistan
Algeria	Guinea	Papua New Guinea
American Samoa	Guinea-Bissau	Paraguay
Angola	Guyana	Peru
Armenia	Haiti	Philippines
Azerbaijan	Honduras	Rwanda
Bangladesh	India	Samoa
Belarus	Indonesia	Sao Tome and Principe
Belize	Iran, Islamic Rep.	Senegal
Benin	Iraq	Serbia
Bhutan	Jamaica	Sierra Leone
Bolivia	Jordan	Solomon Islands
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Kenya	Somalia
Burkina Faso	Kiribati	South Africa
Burundi	Korea, Dem. People's Rep. (North)	South Sudan
Cambodia	Kosovo	Sri Lanka
Cameroon	Kyrgyz Republic	Sudan
Cabo Verde	Lao PDR	Suriname
Central African Republic	Lesotho	Syrian Arab Republic
Chad	Liberia	Tajikistan
Colombia	Madagascar	Tanzania
Comoros	Malawi	Timor-Leste
Congo, Dem. Rep.	Mali	Togo
Congo, Rep.	Marshall Islands	Tonga
Cote d'Ivoire	Mauritania	Tunisia
Cuba	Micronesia, Fed. Sts.	Turkmenistan
Djibouti	Moldova	Tuvalu
Ecuador	Mongolia	Uganda
Egypt, Arab Republic	Morocco	Ukraine
El Salvador	Mozambique	Uzbekistan
Equatorial Guinea	Myanmar	Vanuatu
Eritrea	Namibia	Venezuela, RB
Eswatini	Nepal	Vietnam
Ethiopia	Nicaragua	West Bank and Gaza
Fiji	Niger	Yemen, Rep.
Gambia, The	Nigeria	Zambia
Georgia		Zimbabwe