



OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL SERVICES

University Center for International Studies, University of Pittsburgh

International Graduate Financial Information 2022-2023

This handout is used to determine the proof of funding needed to issue your immigration document (I-20/DS-2019). Review this handout CAREFULLY to determine what is required for your immigration document. Any questions you have about financial documentation needed for your immigration document are answered in this handout. Below is general information for Financial Documentation FAQs, but please review the rest of the handout for more detailed information.

GENERAL FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION CONSIDERATIONS:

You MUST show **immediately available liquid assets** for the first year only. (NOTE: Liquid assets include money in a banking account or other funds that indicate immediately available for withdrawal without penalty. Retirement accounts cannot be used as a source of financial support unless you can provide evidence that you are, in fact, retired and able to access those funds without penalty for early withdrawal. Real estate or other non-liquid assets such as automobiles, jewelry, or other personal property cannot be used as a source of financial support under any circumstances).

All proof of financial support **must**:

- be submitted in English and include your full name.
- state the currency used and total amount available. We are able to convert your home country's current to USD if needed.
- clearly state the date that the documentation was written or printed and must be issued within the last six months.
- if someone other than yourself (such as a family member) is providing documentation on your behalf, they must also complete the [Attestation of Financial Support](#) form for OIS to accept their documentation.

Please be aware that evidence of financial support must also be shown to the U.S. Embassy or Consulate when applying for a visa.

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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 graduate student. Once you have been admitted to your program and accepted your offer of admission, your department 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* we have received your information from your school. 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 read the Financial Documentation Considerations on Page 3 to understand what is considered acceptable financial documentation. You do not need to submit financial documentation to your school. **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 2021-22. 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 2022-2023 academic year**. Students should add **\$5,448 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.

SCHOOL	Tuition + Fees*	Living Expenses**	Health Insurance^	TOTAL /YEAR
Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences (except as below)	\$42,024	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$65,408
Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences (MS in Quantitative Economics)	\$53,130	\$15,352	\$2,185	\$70,667
School of Education	\$42,024	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$65,408
Graduate School of Public and International Affairs	\$42,024	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$65,408
School of Social Work	\$34,900	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$58,284
Katz Graduate School of Business (see page 3)	See page 3			
Swanson School of Engineering	\$48,082	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$71,466
School of Law (MSL & JD)	\$47,250	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$70,634
School of Law (LLM & SJD)	\$41,130	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$64,514
School of Computing and Information	\$44,130	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$67,514
School of Dental Medicine (except as below)	\$67,232	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$90,616
School of Dental Medicine (MS, PhD in Oral & Craniofacial Sciences)	\$34,898	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$58,282
School of Dental Medicine (Doctorate - Professional Practice)	\$63,034	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$86,418
School of Nursing	\$34,900	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$58,284
School of Pharmacy (Graduate)	\$31,292	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$54,676
School of Pharmacy (Doctorate - Professional Practice)	\$39,748	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$63,132
School of Public Health	\$49,114	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$72,498
School of Medicine (Graduate)	\$46,642	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$70,026
School of Medicine (Professional Program)	See page 5			
School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences	See page 4			

* From <http://ir.pitt.edu/graduate-tuition/>

Figures listed are tuition rates for a Full-Time Student per academic year. International Students are considered out-of-state tuition.

** From <https://professionals.collegeboard.org/higher-ed/financial-aid/living-expense/2021/12-month>

^ From <https://hr.pitt.edu/students/general-student>. Please note: Health insurance is required for all full-time international students at the University of Pittsburgh.

Financial Documentation Considerations:

- Review the cost estimates (above) and the estimated length of the degree program 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. (\$5,448 per dependent. Amount determined by 120% of the Health & Human Services Poverty amount (<https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines>)).
- Students who have been awarded full financial support from the University of Pittsburgh covering all estimated tuition/fees, health insurance, and living expenses (Teaching Assistantship, Graduate Student Researcher, etc.) is sufficient proof of funding except to cover additional dependent expenses, if applicable.
- 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 your school. 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 we have received your information from your school.
- 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.

KATZ Graduate School of Business

Cost of Attendance Figures for 2022-2023

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KATZ Program	Tuition + Fees	Professional Development Fees	Living Expenses	Insurance	TOTAL/YEAR
Doctorate	\$54,130	\$0	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$77,514
Executive Doctor of Business Administration	\$45,000	\$0	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$68,384
One Year MBA (3 terms)	\$80,630	\$2,100	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$106,114
Signature MBA	\$51,544	\$2,100	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$77,028
MBA Joint and Dual Degrees (including Business Analytics)	\$51,544	\$2,100	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$77,028
Masters in Accounting	\$43,886	\$900	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$68,170
Masters in Marketing Science Finance Management Supply Chain Management Management Information Systems	\$43,886	\$900	\$15,352	\$2,185	\$62,323
Masters in Accounting & Business Analytics Finance & Business Analytics Marketing Science & Business Analytics Supply Chain Management & Business Analytics Management & Business Analytics	\$43,886	\$900	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$68,170
MS in Supply Chain Management/ MS in Industrial Engineering	\$44,700	\$900	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$68,984

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Program	Tuition	Fees	Living Expenses	Health Insurance	TOTAL
Exchange Program - 1 Term in U.S. Residence	Paid at home institution	\$565	\$6,823	\$971	\$8359
Exchange Program - 2 Terms in U.S. Residence	Paid at home institution	\$1,130	\$15,352	\$2,185	\$18,667
Augsburg Executive Fellows Program - Spring 1 Term (8 weeks)	Paid at home institution	\$0	\$3,411	\$485	\$3,896
Augsburg Executive Fellows Program - Spring 1 & 2 Terms (16 weeks)	Paid at home institution	\$0	\$6,823	\$971	\$7,794

School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences

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PROGRAM	Tuition + Fees*	Living Expenses**	Health Insurance^	TOTAL/YEAR
Clinical Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling (MS)	\$39,394	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$62,778
Communication Science and Disorders (MA/MS) - SLP	\$51,796	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$75,180
Nutrition and Dietetics (MS)	\$34,900	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$58,284
Health Informatics (MS)	\$34,900	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$58,284
Health and Rehabilitation Sciences (MS) with concentrations in:				
-Musculoskeletal or Neuromuscular Physical Therapy	\$67,350	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$90,734
-Sports Medicine	\$49,114	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$72,498
-Sports Science	\$53,609	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$76,993
Occupational Therapy (MS) Post-Professional	\$49,114	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$72,498
Physician Assistant Studies (MS)	\$56,135	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$79,519
Prosthetics and Orthotics (MS)	\$47,867	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$71,251
Doctor of Audiology (AuD)	\$53,174	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$76,558
Doctor of Occupational Therapy (OTD)	\$50,623	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$74,007
Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT)	\$51,195	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$74,579
Communication Science and Disorders (PhD)	\$47,752	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$71,136
Rehabilitation Science (PhD)	\$47,752	\$20,470	\$2,914	\$71,136

* For questions regarding SHRS tuition amounts and SHRS program length, please contact Jessica Maguire at maquire@pitt.edu

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School of Medicine First Professional Program

Cost of Attendance Figures for 2022-2023

International students accepted for admission to the School of Medicine will be required to deposit into escrow with the University of Pittsburgh's Student Payment Center a sum equal to the total cost of education for their first two years of medical school with documented support of the ability to pay their final two years. This deposit is a requirement of the School of Medicine.

The current escrow amount for two years of medical education at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine is approximately \$180,114 USD. Any scholarships awarded to the applicant from the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine will be subtracted from the total amount required in escrow for the two years. No interest will be paid to the student on the funds that are in escrow. ***The Office of International Services will issue the Form I-20 only after the deposit of \$180,114 has been made to the [Student Payment Center](#).***

[School of Medicine International Student Policy](#)

[School of Medicine International Student Terms and Conditions](#)

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	Tuition + Fees*	Medical Insurance Allowance*	Books & Supplies*	Living Expenses*	Total
Year 1 (amount for I-20)	\$63,034	\$4,728	\$2,000	\$20,295	\$90,057
Year 2 (approximate)	\$63,034	\$4,728	\$2,000	\$20,295	\$90,057
Total Amount Required in Escrow by June 1					\$180,114

* From <https://www.medadmissions.pitt.edu/financial-aid/cost-attendance>

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