## AFFIDAVIT OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT - GRADUATE APPLICANT

UPON APPLICATION: Applicants to the Graduate School must verify support in the amount of at least \$34,660.

Please note that Cal U thoroughly examines all financial support documentation submitted by the applicant in support of their application. The Office of Student Accounts may verify the validity of documentation directly with the sponsor.

A payment plan is available only with approval of the Office of Student Accounts (phone: 1.724.938.4431). Late payment is cause for termination of an I-20.

Note that the *Flywire* payment service should be used to make any payment to California University of Pennsylvania at:

PAYMENTS: https://www.flywire.com/pay/calu INFORMATION: https://www.flywire.com/how-it-works

#### PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION CLEARLY!

1	AME OF APPLICANT:			
SPONSOR'S RELATIONSHIP TO	APPLICANT (enter 'SEI	_F' if	self-supported):	
AMOUNT OF SUPPORT PER YEA	AR IN U.S. DOLLARS:	\$		
VERIFICATION DOCUMENTATIO	ON SUBMITTED WITH (check all that apply):		notarized bank statement(s)	
			official government scholarship letter	
			notarized employer attestation	
			other notarized documentation	
SIGNATURE OI	SPONSOR (or SELF):			
ADDRESS OI	SPONSOR (or SELF):			
	DATE:			
SUBMIT THIS FORM TO THE C	GRADUATE SCHOOL	٩DN	ISSIONS OFFICIAL:	
Nikki Popielarcheck	ADDRESS:			
popielarcheck@calu.edu	Campus Box 91			
phone: 1.724-938-5490	250 University Aver			
fax: 1.724-938-5712	California, PA 15419 USA	J		
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# EDUCATIONAL COSTS - GRADUATE APPLICANT

The current (2019-2020 academic year) overall cost of one academic year for an international graduate student is **\$34,660**. Note that visa granting authorities require an F-1 visa applicant to demonstrate sufficient funding for the entire term of their education. Costs for the 2020-2021 academic year will be announced in July 2020.

This outline is provided as a reference and reflects the cost of taking a full-time credit load of nine (9) credits each semester. Your actual costs may differ from this information. Additional credits are \$774 per credit. You should also consider travel and other costs as well when planning for your education.

When applying, each applicant must verify support in the amount of at least **\$34,660** (YEAR). Note that graduate costs are based on a per credit basis and that this listing is based on a 9 credit semester course load.

YEAR		SEMESTER	
tuition	\$13,932	tuition	\$6,966
fees	\$4,576	fees	\$2,288
housing & meals (Vulcan Village)	\$11,584	housing & meals (Vulcan Village)	\$5,792
books, supplies (estimated)	\$1,768	books, supplies (estimated)	\$884
health insurance (estimated)	\$2,800	health insurance (estimated)	\$1,400
TOTAL *	\$34,660	TOTAL *	\$17,330

\*Verification of additional funding is required for each dependent: \$6,000 for spouse / \$3,600 for each child (YEAR).

Acceptable notarized financial support documentation verifying that you possess sufficient funding can be provided in the form of:

- ✓ Notarized bank statement(s) from checking, savings, and/or certificate of deposit.
- ✓ Notarized letter from bank on letterhead, stating the date the account opened, average balance, and current balance.
- ✓ Official scholarship sponsorship letter or memorandum verifying amount, source, and dates of award.

### AID FUNDING

### Please be aware of the following:

- F-1 Visa graduate students are not eligible for federal or state sponsored financial aid.
- The University does not provide scholarship funding for F-1 Visa graduate students.
- F-1 graduate students are welcome to apply for available graduate assistantship positions.
- International students may be able to borrow funding through private student loans if they have a
  U.S. citizen act as a co-borrower. The University's Office of Financial Aid offers a list of
  recommended private student loan providers, most of which offer international student loans. The
  list is housed at: <u>https://www.elmselect.com/link/query?schoolId=648</u>