

# INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CERTIFICATION OF FINANCES UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS



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## GENERAL DIRECTIONS

All international applicants must submit proof of their ability to meet all educational and living expenses for one year of study before Canisius can issue a Certificate of Visa Eligibility (Form I-20). Page three of this Certification of Finances (COF) form must list sufficient funding to cover the estimated cost of attendance listed on page three and must be accompanied by verified financial documents.

All supporting documents must be sent to [global@canisius.edu](mailto:global@canisius.edu) and have to be less than **3 months old**.

Please complete and sign page three and return the entire document along with the necessary supporting financial documentation to the email address below. **The source of funds listed below are types of funds, please note that not all types of funds will be applicable to you.**

| Source of Funds        | Required Verification   |
|------------------------|---|
| Personal Funds         | Signature of applicant on this form and bank verification in a letter/statement of account.   |
| Sponsors/Relatives     | Signature of sponsors on this form and bank verification in a letter/statement of account.  |
| Scholarships           | Official award letter from the institution awarding the scholarship. The award letter must contain the name of the applicant, the amount of money available each year of study, the beginning and ending dates of the award and the name of Canisius College as the institution to which the award is applicable. |
| Loans                  | Official letter from the financial institution indicating approval of the loan and the amount of the loan.  |
| Government or Employer | Official letter from the financial institution indicating support and containing the same information as Scholarships described above.  |

### Please note the following:

- Bank letters/statements carry no liability on the part of the bank.
- **All supporting documentation must be less than 3 months old.**
- All international students must complete this document.

**Attention Students: You will not be eligible to register for classes unless your Certification of Finances is on file.**

Return this form with all additional financial documentation to:

### Canisius University

2001 Main Street  
Buffalo, NY 14208

### Contact information:

Toll-free: 1.800.843.1517  
Local: 716-888-2200  
Email: [global@canisius.edu](mailto:global@canisius.edu)

## OFFICE USE ONLY

**DATE RECEIVED:** \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that I have reviewed the declaration and attached documents, if appropriate, and approve issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility (I-20)

## 2023-2024 TUITION COSTS FOR INTERNATIONAL FRESHMAN STUDENTS\* (U.S. Dollars)

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|   | U.S. Dollars        |
|---|---------------------|
| Tuition   | \$32,200.00         |
| Fees  | \$2,300.00          |
| Orientation Fee(non-Canadians)                              | \$425.00            |
| Books/Supplies  | (approx) \$1,500.00 |
| Room (depending on type of housing)                         | \$6,860.00          |
| Board (depending on meal plan)                              | \$6,700.00          |
| Mandatory Health Insurance (optional for Canadian students) | \$1,818.00          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>\$51,803.00</b>  |

## 2023-2024 TUITION COSTS FOR INTERNATIONAL TRANSFER STUDENTS\* (U.S. Dollars)

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|   | U.S. Dollars        |
|---|---------------------|
| Tuition   | \$32,200.00         |
| Fees  | \$2,300.00          |
| Orientation Fee(non-canadians)                              | \$425.00            |
| Books/Supplies  | (approx) \$1,500.00 |
| Room (depending on type of housing)                         | \$8,650.00          |
| Board (based on cooking most meals)                         | \$4,380.00          |
| Mandatory Health Insurance (optional for Canadian students) | (approx) \$1,818.00 |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>\$51,273.00</b>  |

\* Tuition and other costs are subject to periodic review and change.

# CERTIFICATION OF FINANCES

## FOR INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE APPLICANTS

### PERSONAL INFORMATION



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|--|--|------------------------|---|
| FAMILY/SURNAME                                 | GIVEN/FIRST NAME   | MIDDLE NAME            | FORMER LAST NAME (IF APPLICABLE)                              |
|  | Month                      Day                      Year |                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female |
| PREFERRED FIRST NAME                           | DATE OF BIRTH  |                        | GENDER  |
| CITY/COUNTRY OF BIRTH                          |  | COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP |   |
| PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS/NUMBER AND STREET    | CITY   | STATE/PROVINCE         | POSTAL CODE   |
| PHONE NUMBER WITH COUNTRY AND CITY CODE (HOME) | PHONE NUMBER WITH COUNTRY AND CITY CODE (MOBILE)         | EMAIL ADDRESS          |   |

### FINANCIAL RESOURCES\* (U.S. Dollars)

Applicants must document the full cost of only the first year of study before the college can issue a Certification of Visa Eligibility (Form I-20). All financial verification documents must be dated within the last 3 months.  
 \*Funds may be assured by several sources if necessary. However, each source of funding must provide the appropriate required verification. Only original or true certified copies will be accepted.

|  | Amount<br>(U.S. Dollars) | Required<br>Verification  |
|--|--------------------------|---|
| <b>Personal Savings</b>                                  |                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bank letter/statement less than 3 months old, signed by bank official (see page 1)</li> </ul>                      |
| NAME OF BANK                      NAME OF ACCOUNT HOLDER |                          |   |
| <b>Family/Relative Sponsor</b>                           |                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bank letter/statement less than 3 months old, signed by bank official (see verification A below)</li> </ul>        |
| NAME   |                          |   |
| NAME   |                          |   |
| <b>Scholarship/Loan</b>                                  |                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Official award letter (see page 1)</li> <li>Loan approval letter</li> </ul>  |
| AWARDED BY   |                          |   |
| <b>Government/Employer/Other</b>                         |                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Official letter of support</li> <li>Bank letters, affidavits or sworn statements less than 3 months old</li> </ul> |
| NAME OF SPONSOR  |                          |   |
| TOTAL  |                          |   |

### VERIFICATION

A. This is to verify that I (we) the undersigned have agreed to provide the funds to the applicant for the purpose of full-time study at Canisius and that I(we) are submitting bank statements indicating the availability of these funds.

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| SPONSOR'S SIGNATURE | RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT | DATE |
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| SPONSOR'S SIGNATURE | RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT | DATE |
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This is to certify that the information given on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am fully aware that any false or misleading statement will result in an automatic denial of admission.

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| APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE | DATE |
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