

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT  
**CERTIFICATION OF FINANCES**



**GRADUATE PROGRAMS 2019-2020**

**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). Your certification of finances must have enough funds listed and verified on page three to cover the cost of your educational expenses listed on page two.

Please complete the next two pages and return the entire document with verification to the address below. Be sure to include all necessary financial documents and signatures.

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 College**  
Undergraduate Admissions  
Lyons Hall 102  
2001 Main Street  
Buffalo, NY 14208-1098

**Contact information:**  
Toll-free: 1.800.843.1517  
Local: 716-888-2200  
Email: global@canisius.edu

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

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)

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF COLLEGE OFFICIAL

\_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE DATE

**CANISIUS COLLEGE**  
2001 MAIN STREET, BUFFALO, N.Y. 14208

# SOURCES OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT



## EXPENSE BUDGETS

All amounts are listed in U.S. funds. The cost below for international students will vary depending on the program of study. Estimates are used for I-20 purposes and may differ from your actual bill from the Student Accounts Office.

### SEMESTER EXPENSES

#### COLLEGE FEES

College, technology and wellness fees for all programs are \$360 per semester for full-time graduate students

#### TUITION

College of Arts and Sciences, School of Education and Human Services, and Wehle School of Business | The tuition cost is \$820 per credit hour.

	Tuition and Fees
15 CREDIT HOURS.....	\$12,660.00
12 CREDIT HOURS.....	\$10,200.00
9 CREDIT HOURS.....	\$7,740.00
ONE-YEAR MBA PROGRAM COST (including fees) .....	\$40,700.00

**\*Insurance optional for Canadian students**

See: [canisius.edu/intl\\_student\\_health](http://canisius.edu/intl_student_health) for requirements

### ESTIMATED ANNUAL EXPENSES | BORDER COMMUTER

BOOKS/SUPPLIES/PERSONAL EXPENSES.....	\$1,500.00
STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE* .....	(approx) \$1,500.00
TOTAL .....	(approx) \$3,000.00

Estimated annual expenses for a Canadian border commuter student

### ESTIMATED ANNUAL EXPENSES | RESIDENT STUDENT

ROOM AND BOARD.....	\$11,460.00
BOOKS/SUPPLIES/PERSONAL EXPENSES.....	\$1,500.00
INT'L ORIENTATION FEE(non-Canadians).....	\$425: Fall / \$325: Spring
STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE* .....	(approx) \$1,500.00
TOTAL .....	(approx) \$14,885.00

Estimated annual expenses for an international student  
intending to live on campus

### ESTIMATED ANNUAL EXPENSES | COMMUTER STUDENT

ROOM AND BOARD.....	\$8,000.00
BOOKS/SUPPLIES/PERSONAL EXPENSES.....	\$1,500.00
INT'L ORIENTATION FEE (non-Canadians).....	\$425: Fall / \$325: Spring
STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE* .....	(approx) \$1,500.00
TOTAL .....	(approx) \$11,425.00

Estimated annual expenses for an international  
student intending to live off campus

### TO CALCULATE THE ANNUAL COST OF YOUR EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES USE THE FOLLOWING WORKSHEET.

List the amount of tuition and fees for each semester that you will register for courses. Refer to program websites for scheduling information by semester or contact the Graduate Admissions Office for assistance. Then list the appropriate annual expenses. Add all lines together to get your total educational expenses. International, non-Canadian students must complete at least 9 credit hours per semester (except summer).

TUITION AND FEES (summer semester).....	\$ _____
TUITION AND FEES (fall semester) .....	\$ _____
TUITION AND FEES (spring semester) .....	\$ _____
ONE-YEAR MBA PROGRAM COST.....	\$ _____
CANADIAN BORDER COMMUTER ANNUAL EXPENSE ESTIMATE .....	\$ _____
COMMUTER OR RESIDENT ANNUAL EXPENSE ESTIMATE .....	\$ _____
<i>(including Canadian students residing off campus in U.S.)</i>	
<b>TOTAL EDUCATIONAL EXPENSE</b> .....	<b>\$ _____</b>

# PERSONAL INFORMATION

Family Name (As it appears on passport)	Given/First Name	Middle Name	Former Last Name (If Applicable)
Preferred First Name	Date of Birth Month   Day   Year	Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Male   <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Social Insurance/Security Number (If Applicable)
Country of Residence	Country of Birth	City of Birth	Country of Citizenship
Permanent Mailing Address/Number and Street	City	State/Province	Zip/Postal Code
( ) Phone Number with Country and City Code (Home)	( ) Phone Number with Country and City Code (Mobile)	Email Address	

**Canadian Students: Where do you intend to reside while enrolled at Canisius College? Check one:**

Reside in the United States       Reside in and Commute from Canada

## FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Complete each relevant item below. Applicants must document the full cost of only the first year of study before the college can issue a certificate of visa eligibility (Form I-20). All financial verification documents must be dated within the last three months.

	AMOUNT	REQUIRED VERIFICATION
<b>PERSONAL SAVINGS</b>		
Bank		• Bank letter/statement - less than 3 months old (see front page)
Account Holder		
<b>FAMILY/RELATIVE SPONSOR</b>		
Name		• Bank letter/statement - less than 3 months old (verification A below)
Name		
<b>SCHOLARSHIP/LOAN</b>		
Awarded by		• Official award letter (see front page) • Loan approval letter
<b>GOVERNMENT/EMPLOYER/OTHER</b>		
Sponsor		• Official letter of support (see front page) • Bank letter/statement affidavits or sworn statements - less than 3 months old
Other (specify source and type of support)		
<b>TOTAL (U.S. dollars only)</b>		

**Funds may be assured by several sources if necessary. However, each source of funding must provide the appropriate financial documentation. Only Original or true certified copies will be accepted as verification of the proposed sources of financial support. Statements not quoted in U.S. dollars should indicate the currency type.**

### VERIFICATION

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

Sponsor's Signature	Relationship to Applicant	Date
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B. 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.

Applicant's Signature	Date
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