

**Certification of
Financial Responsibility**

Office of Graduate Admissions
Tallahassee, FL 32307-4800
U.S.A.

Florida A&M University is required by U.S. government regulations to verify the availability of adequate funding for your tuition, fees, and living expenses for the **duration** of your academic program. We cannot issue the I-20 or DS2019 form necessary to obtain your visa until this form is completed and returned to the Office of Graduate Admissions. **All documentation of support is valid for one year. Only official, original statements in English are accepted.**

PART I: STUDENT INFORMATION

Name _____
Last First M.I.

Mailing Address _____
Num ber and Street City Postal Code Country

Local Address _____
Num ber and Street City Postal Code Country

Date of Birth (month/day/year) _____ Phone Number (if in U.S.) _____ E-mail _____

City and Country of Birth _____ Country of Citizenship _____ Gender _____

Course of Study _____ Type of Degree _____

If you are in U.S., what is your visa type? (F-1, J-1, etc.) _____ I-94 Expiration Date _____

If your family plans to accompany you to the U.S., please include the following biographical data for each person and attach marriage license and birth certificate.

Name (Last, First, M.I.)	Date of Birth (mo/day/yr)	City and Country of Birth
Relationship to You		

PART II. ESTIMATED COST PER ACADEMIC YEAR

These figures are estimated costs for 12 months and are subject to increase without notice. Annual increases in tuition and fees are anticipated; therefore, your financial certification should reflect sufficient funds to cover the increases. **You must include an additional \$4,500 per academic year for your spouse and \$1,800 per academic year for each child if they will be accompanying you to the United States.**

GRADUATE

Tuition and Fees*	25,035.60
Books and Supplies, Ins., Misc.	5,000.00
Room and Board** Living Expense	5,000.00
TOTAL	\$35,035.00

*Graduate tuition and fees are based on estimates of 12 hours per semester for two terms. Students must register for a minimum of 12 hours each semester unless they have been awarded a assistantship. Assistantship holders may register for 9 hours each semester with departmental approval.

**On-campus housing and meal plan. Off-campus housing costs may be higher.

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PART III. SOURCE OF FUNDING

Please indicate your source(s) of funding for the **duration** of your program at Florida A&M University and include the required documentation. **You must have a minimum \$30,136.00 for graduate study per academic year.** Include an additional \$4,500 per academic year for your spouse and \$1,800 per academic year for each child if they will be accompanying you to the United States. All amounts must be in U.S. dollars.

Amount available each year of study:

Required Documentation:

Personal Savings \$ _____

Official letter or statement, signed and dated, from your bank or financial institution, indicating a current balance to cover the **entire** length of the program.

Sponsor \$ _____

Official letter or statement, signed and dated, from your sponsor's bank or financial institution, indicating funds for the first year of study. Salary verification letters are not acceptable.

Scholarship \$ _____

Official letter from the awarding institution. The award letter must state the applicant's name, the amount of money available for each year of study, the duration of the award, the degree and academic program, and the name "Florida A&M University" as the academic institution that the applicant has been approved to attend.

Other \$ _____

Please specify and enclose original documentation.

Total \$ _____

Sponsor Statement

I certify that the above information is correct, and that funding in the amount of \$ _____ \$30,136.00 for graduate study, excluding funds for dependents if applicable) will be available the first year and for each subsequent year of study for the duration of the academic program. **I understand that I will be required to provide support for a minimum of 2-3 years for the master's degree, and 4-5 years for the doctoral degree.** I have enclosed bank or other financial institution verification demonstrating availability of funds for the first year.

Name of Sponsor (please print) _____

Relationship to Applicant _____

Sponsor's Signature _____

Date _____

Name of Sponsor (please print) _____

Relationship to Applicant _____

Sponsor's Signature _____

Date _____

Applicant Statement

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 statements by my sponsor(s) or me can result in a denial or cancellation of admission.

Applicant's Signature

Date

E-mail Address

Return this form with all additional financial documentation to:

Florida A&M University
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