

# Financial Resource Certification – Part 1

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## FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ONLY: EXPENSES FOR 2008-2009\*

\$ 12,662	University Tuition & Fees (estimated)		
994	Books & Supplies	\$ 800 - \$ 5,400	Optional: Summer Tuition & Fees (approx.)
1,162	Health Insurance (required unless privately insured)	3,798	Summer Room & Board (on-campus)
7,934	Room & Board (on-campus, 9 months)	6,600	Spouse Maintenance
3,507	Miscellaneous (laundry, transportation, clothing)	3,300	Child Maintenance (per child)
\$ 26,259	<i>(Amount may increase depending on number of credits taken and lifestyle.)</i>		

\* This budget covers the 9-month academic year for a single student living on campus. Students may anticipate an increase in the estimated cost each year. If you will begin your studies in **2009-2010**, the estimated total expenses are **\$27,647**.

## THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
*Family/last name* *Given/first name* *Middle name (optional)*

NU ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ Other names used \_\_\_\_\_  
*If you have one*

### ACADEMIC PROGRAM

I plan to enroll in:

- Year Term  
 2008  Fall (start in August)  
 2009  Spring (start in January)  
 2010  Summer (start in May, June, or July)

Program \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_  
*Degree* *Major/Department*

English proficiency scores: TOEFL \_\_\_\_\_ IELTS \_\_\_\_\_

Graduate of a U.S. college?  Yes  No

### CONTACT INFORMATION

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

### VISA DATA

Gender:  Male  Female

Date of birth (*month/day/year*) \_\_\_\_\_

Birthplace (*city & country*) \_\_\_\_\_

Country of citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Native language \_\_\_\_\_

Type of visa expected

- F-1 (I-20, student)  
 F-2 (dependent)  
 J-1 (DS-2019, exchange visitor)  
 J-2 (dependent)  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Family

- I plan to come alone.  
 My family will accompany me.  
 My family will come later.  
 My immediate family members are in the U.S. with me now.

List all family members who are or will be residing with you, or who are in the United States:

<i>Family/last name</i>	<i>Given/first name</i>	<i>Relationship to you</i>	<i>Birthdate (month/day/year)</i>	<i>Country of citizenship</i>	<i>Type of visa</i>	<i>When will they come?</i>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

### GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIP AWARDS

Assistantship awards may provide tuition benefits. If awarded, the minimum funding needed to cover fees and living expenses for a single student are \$13,816 for the 2008-2009 academic year (two semesters). Assistantship awards are competitive and limited in number.

*Funding information must be complete before an I-20 or a DS-2019 can be issued for studies at UNL.*

Are you applying for a UNL assistantship award?

- Yes: Complete and submit **Part 1** of this form at this time. *Note: If you do not receive an assistantship award, it will be necessary for you to submit **Part 2** of this form and provide documentation of other sources of support to complete an admission.*
- No: Complete **Part 1 and Part 2** of this form and submit both pages together with appropriate documentation.

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# Financial Resource Certification – Part 2

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## THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT

SOURCES OF SUPPORT	APPLICANT'S STATEMENT
<p>Current documentation from each source must be provided. <i>Keep original documentation to present to immigration offices.</i></p> <p><u>First-Year Amount</u></p> <p><b>Personal Savings</b></p> <p>\$ _____ Name of your bank _____ Location of bank _____</p> <p><b>Personal Sponsors</b> (<i>family members and others</i>): All sponsors are required to complete the section below and provide current bank statements. Use additional copies as needed. Students in the U.S. may not act as sponsors.</p> <p>\$ _____ Sponsor #1 _____ Name _____ Relationship to you _____</p> <p>\$ _____ Sponsor #2 _____ Name _____ Relationship to you _____</p> <p><b>Sponsoring Organization</b> (<i>home government, international organization, university, employer, etc.</i>) Attach current official letter of award addressed to UNL, which includes terms of support, specific amount of support, and period of time covered by the grant.</p> <p>\$ _____</p>	<p>I certify that I will have a minimum of U.S. \$26,259 available to me for each calendar year I study at UNL.</p> <p>I understand that this does not include income from off-campus employment, which is only available in circumstances of unforeseen financial emergency.</p> <p>I am prepared to fund my program of studies on the basis of my present resources (certified on this occasion) without relying upon future potential sources which have not yet materialized.</p> <p>_____ <i>Applicant's Signature</i></p> <p>_____ <i>Date</i></p>

## THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT'S FINANCIAL SPONSOR

Leave this section blank if all of your support is your own personal funds.

ABOUT THE SPONSOR	SPONSOR'S STATEMENT
<p>Full name _____</p> <p>Relationship to applicant _____</p> <p>Country of citizenship _____</p> <p>If you are not a U.S. citizen and you have a U.S. address: Visa type: _____</p> <p>Are you a student? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>I hereby guarantee without reservation to maintain and support (<i>student's name</i>) _____ for educational costs and living expenses while this student is enrolled at UNL. I understand that the applicant, if accepted at UNL, will be a full-time student who may not accept off-campus employment unless permission is granted. This permission is extremely hard to obtain and must not be assumed to be available. I realize that I am fully responsible and will be held accountable by the University to fulfill my solemn oath to uphold this statement.</p> <p>I hereby do promise to provide (<i>amount</i>) U.S. \$ _____ for the first year of study and (<i>amount</i>) U.S. \$ _____ for each ensuing year for the above-named student. (<i>Students in master's degree programs need at least two years of secure funding; doctoral students need three to five years.</i>) Furthermore, I will arrange to provide a major portion of the money to the student at the time of arrival to include housing costs, insurance, books, and tuition.</p> <p>I certify that the information and guarantee provided on this page are accurate, complete, and true. Any information given falsely or withheld will affect the decision on the student's application and may make the student ineligible for enrollment.</p> <p>I am attaching a current statement from my bank attesting to my financial status.</p> <p>_____ <i>Sponsor's Signature</i></p> <p>_____ <i>Date</i></p>
<p><b>SPONSOR'S CONTACT INFORMATION</b></p> <p>Email _____</p> <p>Phone (if in U.S.) _____</p> <p>Mailing Address _____ _____ _____ _____ City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____</p>	<p><b>SPONSOR'S BANK</b></p> <p>Name of bank _____</p> <p>Location of bank _____</p>

*All financial documentation should be photocopied and original documents made available to the student when arranging visas at the American Consulate.*

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