



DECLARATION & CERTIFICATION OF FINANCES

Master of Education Program

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This form must be fully complete and certification documents received before Covenant College can issue a visa eligibility document (Form I-20). To estimate cost of living during your time at Covenant, refer to the enclosed Overview of Student Expenses. The amount of money you certify as being available to finance your studies at Covenant must equal tuition plus expenses for 12 months. All sources of support must be shown in U.S. dollars. Certification of funding must be submitted in English. All letters of support must be for Covenant College and not another institution. If Covenant College finds your application for admission and certification of finances documentation complete, we will either write you of your need to secure additional support or issue the appropriate visa eligibility documents. These documents must be taken to the U.S. Consulate, along with copies of your financial certification, where the consul will then issue the appropriate visa for you to enter the United States.

Please convert all currency figures into U.S. dollars before entering them on this form.

Please type or print neatly.

Application for: On-campus session, 200____

Return to:

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MASTER OF EDUCATION PROGRAM
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Student's Personal Information

1. Name Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss _____
Last (Family) First Middle

2. Permanent Address _____

3. Current Mailing Address _____

*Student will reside at this address until _____

4. Phone Number _____ Date _____ E-mail Address _____

5. Date of Birth _____ / _____ / _____ Place of Birth _____
Month Day Year

6. Citizenship _____

7. Expected Visa Status:
 Student (F-1)
 Immigrant (Permanent Resident)
 Diplomatic or Official
 Other (Specify) _____

8. Marital Status:
 Single
 Married Number of Children
 Widowed
 Divorced

9. List below the persons financially dependent upon you:

Name	Date of Birth	Relationship	Will the person come to the United States with you, join you later, or stay home? NOTE: Our recommendation is that your family accompany you if at all possible.

10. How will you support your dependents if they will be joining you in the United States?

11. In case of emergency, are there sources of additional funds available to you once you arrive in the United States? Yes No

If yes, give the sources and amounts of money in U.S.\$ _____

12. What is the present exchange rate of your country's currency to the U.S. \$ (for example, 9.75 pesos = \$1)? _____

Is this the same rate that will be used in the transfer of funds to the United States for study purposes? Yes No

If not, what rate will be used? _____

13. Does your government currently impose restrictions on the exchange and release of funds for study in the United States? ____ Yes ____ No

If yes, describe the restrictions _____

14. Please state as concisely as possible your intention regarding education and your future plans.

15. Expenses for 12 months (9-month school term and 3 summer months)

- _____ Tuition
- _____ Books
- _____ Living (rent/mortgage, utilities, food, etc.)
- _____ General Transportation (car payments, insurance, maintenance, fares, etc.)
- _____ Miscellaneous (health insurance, child care, etc.)
- _____ Initial Transportation (round-trip airfare from your home to Chattanooga, TN)
- _____ **TOTAL EXPENSES**

16. Assured Support

Source	Certification Required *	Assured Support in U.S. \$
Personal or Family Savings	Letter of Guarantee from parent and official letter of credit from bank.	\$
Parents and/or Sponsors (Please print names) _____ _____	Letter of Guarantee from parent or sponsor and official letter of credit from bank.	\$
Loans _____ (Name of Institution)	Official letter of certification from lending institution.	\$
Relatives & Friends _____ _____	Official letter confirming amount and type of financial aid and letter of credit from bank.	\$
Salary or Study-leave allowance	Official letter confirming amount and type of financial aid.	\$
Your Church or Denomination	Official letter confirming amount and type of financial aid.	\$
Other	Official letter confirming amount and type of financial aid.	\$

TOTAL ASSURED SUPPORT \$ _____

*Official certification from banks must be received before visa eligibility document (Form I-20) can be issued. This form must be completed if a new I-20 is required.

Comments Regarding Request for Financial Aid

You may use this section to inform the Financial Aid Committee of any aspects of your financial situation or any special circumstances which merit attention and are not apparent in the other sections. You may attach an additional page if necessary.

Certification

I certify that the information provided above is correct and complete and I authorize the Financial Aid Committee to exchange information concerning my educational financial assistance, grades and personal conduct with any federal, state, public or private organization or sponsor(s) for purposes of receiving or maintaining financial aid.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Sponsor's Signature _____ Date _____

(The term "Sponsor" is used here to mean any of the following who are providing the student with financial support for educational expenses: Parent, Guardian, Sponsoring Agency, Relative, Friend, or Church)