
CERTIFICATE OF FINANCES

Exchange applicants must indicate the ability to be supported for the entire period of intended study at UMaine without recourse to employment. The financial documentation must be submitted before the necessary visa document can be issued. Anticipated proof of finance amount that students need to show for **Academic Year 2021-2022** is **\$8,037** for one semester and **\$16,060** for the full academic year.

American University in Bulgaria students only: \$2,200 for one semester, \$4,386 for the full academic year.

Students can demonstrate proof of financial support in the following ways:

1. If you will be self-supported, please send an original bank letter or statement that clearly states the balance available in your personal bank account. This statement or letter must clearly state the currency, be less than one year old, and be in English. You may use the "Certification from the bank" form if that is easier.
2. If you will have a sponsor, your sponsor must complete the Affidavit of Support section below. They must have it certified by their financial institution OR submit a bank letter/statement clearly showing their name, currency and balance available. Bank letters/statements must be less than one year old, and be in English.
3. A scholarship letter from the sponsoring organization listing the amount of the award and the student's full name (first and last name).

Sponsor: Please fill out this form, and take it to your bank for certification of your signature and funds.

AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPORT

Date: _____

This is to certify that I, _____ (name of sponsor), am willing and able to sponsor _____ (name of student) during study at the University of Maine. I have _____ (state currency and amount) available in my bank account to support this student.

Sponsor's signature, to be certified by bank official: _____

CERTIFICATION FROM THE BANK (to be completed by Bank Official)

Date: _____

Name of Bank: _____

I certify that _____ (name of sponsor) has _____ (state balance and currency) available in his/her bank account.

Name of Bank Official: _____

Bank Official Signature and Official Stamp or Seal: _____

