



Financial Guarantee Form
Graduate School of Theology and Ministry
2010-2011

United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) regulations require documentation that sufficient financial resources are available to meet a student’s prospective educational and living expenses while in the U.S. Therefore, Oral Roberts University requires a guarantee of financial resources from each applicant who expects to obtain or maintain Student (F-1) status. Applicants are required to submit financial documentation that equals or exceeds one full year of expense for the program of study they are interested in pursuing. Adjustments in the financial certification cannot be made based on a student’s individual circumstances. This estimate is based on 12 credit hours per semester for Masters Studies or 6 credit hours per semester for Doctoral Studies. A Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20) will not be issued until this information is provided. Financial documentation is valid for six months from date of signature on this form or date of bank statement submitted.

Although scholarships are available for qualified international students, they only cover a small portion of tuition and in most cases may not be relied upon to cover all educational costs. For more information regarding scholarship opportunities available through the ORU School of Theology and Ministry, please visit www.gradtheology.oru.edu.

APPLICANT’S CERTIFICATION

Applicant’s Name: _____
(Please print) Last/Family Name First/Given Name Middle Name

Expected enrollment date: Spring (January) 20____ Summer (May) 20____ Fall (August) 20____

I guarantee that I will have sufficient funds available to meet the estimated educational expenses for *each year* that I study at ORU. I certify that I can make the necessary arrangements to have all funds transferred to the United States and that I will have adequate funds for my travel to and from the United States. I understand that tuition is payable at the beginning of each semester. These funds of \$ _____ per year will be provided by (check one):

- my family my own savings Other (specify)

If you are married and your spouse and/or children will accompany you to the U.S., please provide the following information for each individual. Additional funds must be added to the financial guarantee form to support your dependants amounting to \$6,000 for a spouse and \$4,000 for each child.

Last, First Name	Date of Birth	Country of Birth	Country of Citizenship	Relationship

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

GUARANTOR'S CERTIFICATION:

Unless you are supported by your own savings, immigration documents will not be issued without the guarantor completing and signing this section.

GUARANTOR'S NAME: _____ RELATION TO APPLICANT: _____
(Please print) Last/Family Name First/Given Name
Guarantor's Country of Citizenship: _____

Is the Guarantor currently residing in the United States? Yes No

If yes, is the Guarantor a U.S. citizen? Yes No

If no, is the Guarantor a Permanent Resident Alien? Yes No

If the Guarantor is residing in the U.S. and is not a U.S. citizen or Permanent Resident Alien, what is his/her current visa classification? _____

As the applicant's guarantor, I understand the expenses listed on the International Cost of Education Sheet of \$ _____ are estimates of the average cost. The actual cost may vary based on changes in tuition and fees, books and supplies, room and board, medical insurance premiums and personal lifestyles. I guarantee that I will provide _____ (Applicant's Name)

with sufficient funds to meet the actual expenses incurred, as estimated above, for *each year* the applicant is enrolled at ORU. I certify if there are dependents that plan to accompany the applicant, I will provide the additional funds necessary to meet the needs of the applicant's dependents. I certify that I can make the necessary arrangements to have all funds transferred to the United States and that I will provide adequate funds for the applicant's travel to and from the United States.

Mailing Address of Guarantor: _____

Signature of Guarantor: _____ Date: _____

BANK'S CERTIFICATION

If bank policies do not allow the completion of this form, a separate bank letter or affidavit is an acceptable substitute. The letter should be on bank letterhead, signed by a bank official and specifically verify the following:

- Name of account holder
- Date account was opened
- Current account balance or specific acknowledgement that accounts have a minimum balance to cover the student's estimated expenses and any additional dependants as listed above.
- Monetary values should be converted to the U.S. dollar

This is to certify that in our opinion, _____, the guarantor whose signature appears (Guarantor's/Sponsor's Name)

above, has adequate funds to meet the estimated expenses as listed above for the applicant and any dependants listed for each year that the above named applicant is enrolled at ORU. This certificate does not constitute a statement of liability on any part or on behalf of the bank incurred by the applicant named above.

Signature: _____

Title or Organization: _____

Address: _____

Date: _____

