Drexel University

I-20/DS-2019 Application For All International Students

International students applying to Drexel need to complete this form and submit appropriate financial documentation in order to obtain a Certificate of Eligibility (I-20 or DS-2019 form). This I-20 or DS-2019 form can then be used to apply for a student or exchange visitor visa for enrollment at Drexel at the U.S. Embassy. **Please make sure to enclose a photocopy of the identity page(s) of your passport.**

Both sides of this document must be completed.

☐ **Bachelor's** ☐ **Master's** ☐ **Doctorate** ☐ **Juris Doctorate**

Personal Information

Please print or type your name EXACTLY as it appears on your passport. If you have only one name, please use the family name field.

Name _____ _____ _____
Family First Middle

Gender ☐ Male ☐ Female

Drexel ID Number _____
(Leave blank if you do not know your Drexel ID Number)

Date of Birth _____
Month/ Day/ Year

City of Birth _____

Country of Birth _____

Country of Citizenship _____

Country of Permanent Residence _____

Dependent Information

Do you expect to come to the U.S.: ☐ Alone ☐ With Spouse ☐ With Children Number of Children _____

Family Name	First Name	Date of Birth, City of Birth, Country of Birth, and Citizenship	Relationship

Address Information

Mailing Address (where the form will be sent via Express Mail):

_____
Number and Street

_____
City

_____ _____ _____
State Postal/ZIP Code Country

Telephone Number: _____
(If you are currently in the U.S., please provide a local telephone number.)

Address Valid Until: _____
Month/ Day/ Year

Permanent Address (home country):

_____
Number and Street

_____
City

_____ _____ _____
State Postal/ZIP Code Country

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Visa Information

If you are not currently in the U.S., what type of visa do you wish to receive? ☐ F-1 ☐ J-1

If you are now in the U.S., what is your current visa status? (ex: F-1, F-2, B-1/B-2, H-4) _____

Do you want to change your visa to F-1 or J-1? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you are presently studying in the U.S. and have an F-1 or J-1 visa, please provide a copy of your current I-20/DS-2019 and current institution information.

_____ _____
Name of Institution City and State

Financial Information

Proof of financial responsibility is required for students who are not United States citizens or permanent residents. United States Citizenship and Immigration Services requires the University to verify the financial resources of all international applicants. This information is required to obtain a visa. **Please ensure that all financial documentation includes the student's full legal name and date of birth.**

Affidavit of Support from Personal Sponsor

1. All sponsors and self-supporting students: Submit a current official bank letter (dated within the past six months) in your name(s), signed by a bank official, verifying the amount that is on deposit in U.S. dollars and complete the affidavit below. Minimum funds required are explained online.
   Undergraduate students:
   www.drexel.edu/undergrad/tuition
   Graduate students:
   www.drexel.edu/grad/international/finances
   Undergraduate students (Drexel at BCC):
   www.drexel.edu/bcc/tuition
2. All financial documents submitted must be official and in English or accompanied by an official translation.
3. Total financial resources required include tuition, fees, living expenses, and other expenses.
4. Other expenses include the cost of a personal computer, books, health insurance, and personal expenses. (Please be aware that U.S. law requires all students with F-1 visas to hold health insurance. J-1 students must purchase health and repatriation insurance.)

I, _____, residing at _____
Sponsor's Full Name Street Address

_____, _____, am willing and able to financially support
City Country

_____, who is my _____, for the duration
Student's Name Relationship

of his/her studies at Drexel University. I will provide the minimum of U.S. $ _____ each year.

Signature of Sponsor _____ **Date** _____

Student Statement

I have attached or will send the required financial documentation. I have truthfully stated the financial arrangements to support my studies at Drexel University. I have clearly stated who my sponsor is and my relationship to him/her. I understand that by law I cannot expect to work to support my studies and that I cannot expect to receive financial aid after my arrival. I accept full responsibility for my tuition and living expenses. I acknowledge that Drexel University can only issue an I-20 or DS-2019 for full-degree, English language, and formalized exhange programs.

Student Signature _____ **Date** _____

Return form and supporting documents to:

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For MS (all other): ms@lebow.drexel.edu
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Philadelphia, PA 19104

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