

CERTIFICATION OF FINANCES GUIDELINES

The purpose of the Certification of Finances is to help The Wright Institute obtain complete and accurate information about the funds available to foreign applicants who want to study in the United States. Strict government regulations, rising educational costs, and economic conditions have made verification of financial resources of foreign applicants essential. The Wright Institute must verify the financial resources of foreign applicants; financial verification must be made prior to institutional issuance of Certificates of Eligibility (Form 1-20).

This form is design to standardize financial information provided by applicants to The Wright Institute. By completing and returning this form to the school, an applicant, if admitted, may obtain the school's authorization and issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility (Form 1-20). Attach supporting documents. Individual sponsors, such as parents and relatives, just sign this form and substantiate their ability to support the student by attaching an original official bank statement or letter (in English) specifying the exact amount currently on deposit, or employer's letter (in English) specifying the sponsor's annual salary. *Please note. Xerox and other electrostatic copies are not acceptable.* A bank official's signature is required on the certification if the student is partially or totally supported by personal savings. United States consuls scrutinize the statements of financial resources given by non-immigrant visa applicants. It is important that you answer each of the questions and obtain the appropriate signatures. Otherwise, this form will be considered incomplete and sent back to you. A completed Certification of Finances will help United States consuls make their decisions and expedite the visa issuance.