

EVIDENCE OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT

The funds for one year of study and related expenses may be provided by a single source or a combination of sources either within or outside the U.S. Each sponsor or family relative pledging support must sign this form as instructed. This form and all supporting documentation must be dated **within 6 months** of beginning attendance at FIT.

Each financial institution where any portion of these funds is on deposit must sign and stamp/seal this form in the section corresponding to the amount pledged. If your financial institution is not willing to sign and stamp/seal this form, a separate bank statement or verification of funds in English on official bank letterhead must be provided, showing the stated amount of pledged support is on deposit. The amount must be clearly written in U.S. dollars (USD) or converted to USD using an official and current conversion rate. Statements whose currency has not been converted to USD will be returned. **The funds must be in liquid assets.**

A. STUDENT'S PERSONAL FUNDS To be used if any or all funds are on deposit in accounts in the student's name.

Name of financial institution	Amount pledged in USD
Name of financial institution	Amount pledged in USD
Subtotal of Student Funds	USD

1. The funds indicated above are on deposit with this institution. (Verification of amounts is without liability to the bank or its officials.)

Name of financial institution	Telephone number ()
Official's name and title	Signature
Seal	Date / /

Name of financial institution	Telephone number ()
Official's name and title	Signature
Seal	Date / /

2. The information on this form is true and accurate. I am fully aware that any false or misleading statements will result in automatic revocation of admission or de-registration from FIT. I agree that the amount pledged above will be available for each year of my studies. I understand that FIT does not provide financial assistance to international students and that any type of employment in the U.S. is severely restricted by DHS. Failure to meet my financial obligations to FIT will result in my dismissal.

Student signature _____ **Date** / /

B. FAMILY OR RELATIVE SUPPORT To be used when family or direct relatives (parents, siblings) of the student are providing all or a portion of the funds.

Name of financial institution	
Name of account holder	Amount pledged in USD
Name of financial institution	
Name of account holder	Amount pledged in USD

If the required funds are provided by a combination of sources, each must provide supporting documentation. Each family member or relative offering support must sign section B2.

Subtotal of Family or Relative Funds **USD**

1. The funds indicated above are on deposit with this institution. (Verification of amounts is without liability to the financial institution or its officials.)

Name of financial institution	Telephone number ()
Official's name and title	Signature
Seal	Date / /
Name of financial institution	Telephone number ()
Official's name and title	Signature
Seal	Date / /

2. The information on this form is true and accurate. I/we are fully aware that any false or misleading statements will result in the student's automatic revocation of admission or de-registration from FIT. I/we agree that the amount pledged above will be available for each year of the student's studies. I/we understand that FIT does not provide any financial assistance to international students and that any type of employment in the U.S. is severely restricted by DHS. Failure to meet financial obligations to FIT will result in the student's dismissal.

Family member/Relative signature	Relationship to student	Date / /
Family member/Relative signature	Relationship to student	Date / /

C. SPONSOR SUPPORT To be used when persons other than family members, direct relatives, or non-governmental organization(s) pledge all or a portion of the funds.

Name of financial institution	
Name of account holder	Amount pledged in USD
Name of financial institution	
Name of account holder	Amount pledged in USD

Subtotal of Sponsor Funds **USD**

1. The funds indicated above are on deposit with this institution (Verification of amounts is without liability to the financial institution or its officials.)

Name of financial institution	Telephone number ()
Official's name and title	Signature
Seal	Date / /
Name of financial institution	Telephone number
Official's name and title	Signature
Seal	Date / /

2. The information on this form is true and accurate. I/we are fully aware that any false or misleading statements will result in the student's automatic revocation of admission or de-registration from FIT. As sponsors for this student, I/we understand that the financial support pledged for the student's education is available and may not be withdrawn. While only the first year of financial support needs to be verified at this time, I/we pledge the same amount of support for each year of the student's study at FIT. I/we understand that services (i.e., house cleaning, babysitting, secretarial work) in exchange for this support cannot be required of the student. Failure to meet financial obligations to FIT will result in the student's dismissal.

Sponsor name	Relationship to student	Signature
Permanent address		
Telephone number		Date / /
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Permanent address		
Telephone number		Date / /

D. GOVERNMENT, CORPORATE, OR INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT

An official award letter addressed to the Fashion Institute of Technology on institutional letterhead must accompany this form. The letter must contain: the student's name, degree, and major field of study for which the award is valid; the amount of funds available for each year of study; and the duration of the award (beginning and ending dates). Nongovernmental offers of support must be documented by a financial institution showing availability of funds pledged. A telephone and fax number for the institution's responsible officer must be included in the letter.

Government funds

Institution name Amount pledged in USD

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Institution name Amount pledged in USD

Subtotal of Government Funds **USD**

E. TOTAL FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Subtotal of Student Funds **USD**

Subtotal of Family or Relative Funds **USD**

Subtotal of Sponsor Funds **USD**

Subtotal of Government, Corporate, or Institutional Funds **USD**

Total Funds (add all subtotals from above) **USD**

This total must equal or exceed the required amount for your program of study. (\$37,100 for the associate's program; \$38,750 for the bachelor's program; \$40,400 for the master's program.)

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PLEDGE

The information on this form is true and accurate. The amount pledged is available for each year of my studies at FIT. I am fully aware that any false or misleading statements will result in automatic revocation of admission, or de-registration. I understand that FIT does not offer financial aid to international students and that employment of any type in the U.S., including internships, is severely restricted by DHS.

Student signature

Date / /

I-20 WAIVER

I do not wish to receive an I-20 at this time because

Student signature

Date / /

AFTER BEING ADMITTED TO FIT, RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM AND ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE TO:

Fashion Institute of Technology
Office of International Student Advisors
Seventh Avenue at 27 Street, Room A608D
New York, NY 10001-5992
USA

KEEP COPIES OF THIS FORM AND ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION.

For current information on obtaining an F-1 visa and maintenance of status, visit www.fitnyc.edu/oisa.