# **I-20 Information Request Form**

### Dear Student:

Thank you for applying to Shasta Bible College and Graduate School. We welcome students from all over the world. Please note that processing an application takes time. We are not able to issue you an acceptance letter and I-20 until all admissions documents are received and you have been formally admitted by the Admissions Committee.

Your estimated costs for an academic semester (4 months):

Tuition (16 units per semester\*): \$5600 Refundable Fees \$130 Non Refundable Fees \$480 Room \$1350

Food/books/living expenses \$1200

Total Expenses per semester: \$8760

## **REQUIRED FUNDING AMOUNTS**

Federal regulations require all students applying for an F-1 visa to show proof of sufficient funding for their first year of school, with expected sources of funding for the remaining years of their program. To meet this requirement, you must show proof of funding that meets or exceeds the total listed above for your program. Please note that the amounts listed are standardized, minimum amounts and living expenses and other costs are only an estimate. A student's actual expenses may vary. Tuition and fees are subject to change on a yearly basis. Please read the information below carefully. Your funding sources and documentation of funding must meet the requirements below.

### **SOURCES OF FUNDING**

- Personal funds: Students can use their own funds to either partially or fully support themselves. If you will use your personal funds, the bank statement must be for an account in your name.
- Family funds: It is very common for students to have parents or close relatives help with their education costs. If someone other than you is sponsoring all or part of the cost of your education, you must submit bank documents, along with an original letter of support confirming the amount of sponsorship.
- United States Citizen Sponsor funds: Each international student is required to have an American citizen sponsor. The sponsor must submit a bank document along with the Affidavit of Sponsor.

Requirements for Financial Documentation

- All financial support documentation must be in English with amounts listed in U.S. dollars.
- There must be a specific account balance listed on the document. Documentation that gives a range or indication of the balance (e.g. "high five figures") will not be accepted. If a sponsor wishes to keep their bank balance or income private, bank documents must say that the account balance is "more than" an amount that is clearly specified.
- Documents must have been issued within the last 4 months.

<sup>\*</sup>To complete a BA in 4 years, an average of 16 units must be taken per semester. Most international students begin with 12.5 units.

# **Statement of Financial Responsibility**

The I-20 form is a required form for the Immigration and Naturalization Service. You must present the I-20 to your US Embassy when requesting your student visa. In order for Shasta Bible College and Graduate School to issue you an I-20, we need the following information.

Please list the sources of funds available to you and <u>submit bank statements for each source listed</u>.

Type of Funds	Amount
Personal Funds (account must be in student's name)	\$
2. Family funds	\$
3. United States Citizen Sponsor	\$
Name:  4. Other/additional funds  Source:	\$
5. Other/additional funds Source:	\$

certify that the information provided in this Statement of Financial Responsibility is correct and o				
Student Signature:	Date: /	,	/	