

# SPONSORSHIP FORM

## Part I – To be completed and signed by the financial sponsor

Full name of student to be sponsored: \_\_\_\_\_

Your relationship to this student: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand the information for the sponsor that is printed on the back of this paper, and I will be the financial sponsor of the above-named student who intends to enroll at Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, U.S.A.

I understand that the official university cost estimate for the proposed undergraduate studies during 2008-2009 is \$43,900 per year for two terms of tuition and for basic living and incidental expenses during 12 months, and I understand that these costs are expected to increase with inflation.

I understand that the full course of study for a bachelor's degree usually requires four years although some students need more than four years to complete this course of study.

Given the above understandings, I guarantee that at least that amount of money through the necessary period of time will be available to this student promptly as his or her need for it arises.

Sponsor's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's permanent address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part II – To be completed by the appropriate certifying official of the sponsor's locality (notary public, higher magistrate, oaths administrator, etc.)

I certify that the person who has signed Part I to guarantee financial sponsorship is the same person whose name and address are given above.

Official's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Official's name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Official's title: \_\_\_\_\_

Official seal or stamp:

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## Information for the student

If all of your financial support will come from one private sponsor such as your parent, please complete the information below and give this paper to your sponsor to complete and return to us. If your financial support will come from your government, please arrange for your government to send us its official sponsorship document for you to study at Marquette University. If all of your financial support will come from your own personal resources within your own control, please send us an official bank statement or similar account evidence that shows you will have the money needed for the duration of your studies. If you will have more than one sponsor or will not have an F-1 or J-1 visa based on Marquette documents, please inform us of your situation so that we can send you the different information for your individual circumstances.

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Family name First given name Other given name

Applying for studies in: \_\_\_\_\_ To begin in: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of college Month and year

## Information for the sponsor

Marquette University complies with U.S. government financial regulations in two steps. First, we receive from the financial sponsor a statement such as the *Sponsorship Form* printed on the other side of this paper to guarantee full financial support. Second, after the student is officially accepted for studies, we receive from the sponsor an advance deposit of money toward the first term (semester) of tuition and health insurance.

The *Sponsorship Form* which we now need from you has two parts. Part I is your guarantee of full financial sponsorship for the student's living and studies here. You can use the form on the back of this paper, or you can make your own statement to indicate all of the same assurances regarding your full support for this student. Part II is an official's attestation that you are truly the person who has signed Part I. (In some countries, bankers or other officials may prefer to issue their own certification statements instead of using Part II.) This financial statement is for university use, and the U.S. government may require different financial evidence for the student to obtain a visa.

The overall cost to attend Marquette is considered to be the sum of tuition (classroom instruction) during one academic year (nine months) plus the cost of living expenses for one calendar year (12 months). Living expenses include food, housing, clothing, books and supplies, health insurance, Student Activity Fee, Student Health Service Fee, some entertainment costs and many personal items. The cost of undergraduate tuition for the 2008-2009 academic year is \$27,720. The cost of basic living and incidental expenses for 12 months from August 2008 to August 2009 is estimated at \$16,180. Thus, the overall cost estimate for 2008-2009 is \$43,900.

Some students spend more money per year and others spend slightly less. The estimated costs are expected to increase with inflation each year. The length of study for a bachelor's degree is normally four years. Students who have already completed some advanced studies elsewhere may receive transfer credit toward completion of their Marquette degrees in less time, and other students may need more than four years to complete their studies.

After the student is admitted for studies and before we issue the necessary Form I-20 the sponsor provides an advance deposit of money as evidence of the support that has been guaranteed on the Sponsorship Form. A sponsor has **two options for this deposit**. The first option is to send a current, official bank statement and a deposit of \$710 (\$200 toward tuition, \$200 toward housing and \$310 toward health insurance). The bank statement must be from the sponsor's account and indicate an actual bank balance equal to at least \$43,900, the total official cost estimate for the student's first year of expenses. The second option is to send a verification deposit of \$5,000 (\$4,490 toward tuition, \$200 toward housing and \$310 toward health insurance per 2008-2009 rates).

We will indicate the exact amount of the deposit when the student is accepted for studies, and then we will indicate on the Form I-20 the full deposit that has been paid. For 2008-09, all of the advance deposit except \$400 will be refundable if the student decides not to enroll here. The complete deposit, including the \$400, is refundable in the very unusual event that the U.S. government denies the student's visa application to study at Marquette.

An advance deposit for full payment may be reduced for scholarship recipients and may be waived for fully funded foreign-government scholars.