

## Instructions for Completing the RIT/NTID International Declaration of Financial Support Form

U.S. government regulations require all non-U.S. citizens to demonstrate sufficient financial resources to meet the costs of tuition, fees, supplies and living expenses for at least nine months of full-time study before RIT may issue the I-20 (or DS-2019) and/or matriculate the student.

The total cost for study at RIT/NTID for the 2024-2025 academic year is approximately \$62,650 USD for undergraduate study and approximately \$70,000 USD for graduate study. This reflects the total before the awarding of scholarship/financial aid.

See [rit.edu/sfs/ntid-international](http://rit.edu/sfs/ntid-international) for the 2024-2025 cost of attendance. The 2025-2026 cost will be posted in mid-March 2025. There may be additional costs (i.e., health insurance, transportation, SEVIS fee) that are not reflected in the cost of attendance.

Applicants are considered for tuition-reduction scholarships based on financial need. Application requirements are found at [rit.edu/ntid/admissions/international](http://rit.edu/ntid/admissions/international). A completed application along with the completed declaration of financial support form with supporting documents is the only way for RIT to determine eligibility for scholarships.

FINANCIAL RESOURCES**	Assured Support First Year USD	Projected Support		
		Second Year USD	Third Year USD	Fourth Year USD
<p><b>PERSONAL SAVINGS:</b> Please submit an original bank letter verifying amount that is available. (If you are sponsoring yourself, this figure must match or exceed RIT's estimated expenses.)</p>	←	We need the amount to match what you list as the available amount of support. Write "zero" if you do not have an account.		
<p><b>PARENTS/RELATIVES/PERSONAL SPONSORS:</b> Please submit the following: a. An original bank statement verifying the amount that is available. Support should be available in a time deposit account (i.e., checking or savings account). b. An original letter from the sponsor certifying that he/she will finance your education. The letter must indicate the actual amount of support in U.S. dollars.</p> <p>Sponsor's Name: _____ Address: _____ Relationship to applicant: _____</p>	←	We need the listed amount(s) to match what your family lists as the available amount of support.		
<p><b>SPONSORING ORGANIZATION, EMPLOYER, OR GOVERNMENT AGENCY:</b> Please submit an original letter indicating amount for tuition, fees, living expenses, and length of time covered by the award.</p> <p>Sponsor's Name: _____ Address: _____</p>	←	We need to receive a letter and bank documents from your sponsor(s) confirming support and the amount should match what is written on this form.		
		We need a financial support guarantee letter or chronological evidence of efforts to secure funding from your home country (i.e., ministry of education). The letter should state the outcome of such requests-- amount of support or regrets.		

I certify that the total amount (excluding travel funds) available for my first year of study at RIT is US\$ \_\_\_\_\_.  
I certify that the information provided above is correct and complete.

**EMPHASIS:** Financial documents cannot be older than six months to the date of the completed RIT application. Bank statements must verify liquid funds (checking/savings accounts). Term/Fixed deposits are allowed if the documents indicate a current maturity date and/or a statement confirming the funds are accessible any time.

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The total amount must match the sponsorship amount(s) listed in the above columns for Year 1.

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RIT will issue the I-20 and DS-2019 forms required to apply for a student VISA when you demonstrate sufficient funds to cover your cost of attendance. Please complete this form and provide supporting documents to report available funds, regardless of the amount, and submit to RIT/NTID Admissions. Financial documents cannot be older than six months to the date of the completed RIT application.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
                     Family                                      Given                                      Middle                                      Month      Day      Year

Visa Requested: F-1 (I-20)                      Other \_\_\_\_\_

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**Bank documents need to reflect available funds from within the past six months at time of application completion.**

\*\*Funds may be assured by several sources if necessary. However, each source of funding must provide the appropriate financial documents.

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Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_