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General instructions

- Please fill out the entire application. Missing information can cause unnecessary delays. Unless a question is marked “optional,” the information is needed.
- Please write clearly, and use capital letters wherever possible.
- Items marked with an asterisk (*) are required to create an I-20.
- Since we frequently make use of email to communicate with applicants, please provide an email address that is going to be valid for the duration of your application process.
- Applications can be mailed or faxed to International Programs. If faxed, please be ready to provide us with originals if necessary.
- Although Shoreline does not have an official application deadline, we recommend that you apply early in order to have sufficient time to prepare for your trip, apply for a visa, etc.
- Priority will be given to applications that are complete.
- If you have questions about the application, you can contact us via email at isp@shoreline.edu
- Students must be at least 16 years of age at the time they begin their program.

Application form instructions

Name. Print your full legal name, just as it appears on your passport. “Other Names” refers to other versions of your name that appear on your academic records or other documents.

Date of birth. Please make sure you use the U.S. format (Month/Day/Year).

Permanent home/country address. Please provide your permanent street address in your home country. This item is required in order to issue the I-20.

Mailing address. This is the address to which we will mail your documents and any other correspondence. Provide a street address if possible. P.O. Boxes are acceptable, but express mail cannot be sent to these addresses. Please provide a postal code if there is one.

U.S. address? If you are currently in the U.S., please provide your U.S. address.

Email address. Please provide an email address that is going to be valid for the duration of your application process.

Major of study. Provide the major/field of study that you wish to pursue at Shoreline. You will be able to change this in the future. If you are unsure, mark “general studies.”

Immigration information. Please provide us with your immigration status information if you are currently in the U.S.

Application requirements

- **Completed application form.**
- **Financial certification form. (page 4)**
- **Transfer eligibility form.** This is only for students already studying in the U.S.
- **\$50 application fee.** This can be paid by credit card or cashier’s check/money order/bank draft. If paying by credit card, please complete the credit card section on page 3 of the application.
- **Proof of high school completion and academic transcripts.** If you have not completed high school, please provide transcripts that you have received so far.
- **Bank statement or other financial documentation.** Refer to the financial documentation on page 4.
- **Optional: \$35 express mail fee.**
- **Please return the completed application to International Programs by either mail or fax.**

International Programs
Shoreline Community College
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Seattle, WA 98133 USA

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E: ipadmission@shoreline.edu
www.shoreline.edu/international

Thank you for your interest in Shoreline Community College. We commend you on having made an excellent choice. In addition to the quality of its academic programs, Shoreline is proud of its strong commitment to international education. Our college welcomes applications from international students who are interested in being an integral part of this vibrant campus. We hope to welcome you in the near future.

We have tried to make our application process as simple and easy to understand as possible. Please contact us if you have any questions. In order for the application process to go smoothly, we encourage you to read the instructions carefully.

SHORELINE Community College INTERNATIONAL STUDENT APPLICATION

Please type or print clearly and refer to the application instructions on the inside front cover while completing this form. Items marked with an asterisk (*) are required to create an I-20.

Personal information

Name* (Your name should match the name on your passport exactly.)

Last/Family/Surname* First/Given name* Middle name

Other names (If applicable)

Last/Family/Surname* First/Given name* Middle name

Date of birth* Country of birth* Country of citizenship*

Month Day Year

Gender* Marital status

Male Female Single Married

Are you of Spanish/Hispanic/Latino origin? (Optional)

No Yes, Puerto Rican (727) Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latino (Please specify)

Yes, Mexican, Chicano (722) Yes, Cuban (709)

Please mark one or more boxes to indicate what race you consider yourself to be. (Optional. Please check all that apply.)

White (800) Vietnamese (619) Korean (612) Other race (Please specify)

African (872) Filipino (608) Japanese (611)

Other Pacific Islander (681) Chinese (605) Other Asian (621)

What is your native language?

Have members of your family attended Shoreline? If yes, under what name(s)?

Yes No

Who should be notified in case of an emergency? (Either in the U.S. or abroad)

Name Phone Number Relationship to you:

How would you like to receive the I-20 and acceptance packet?

Send to mailing address Will be picked up by: Relationship to you:

I was referred to Shoreline by

Name

Contact information

Permanent/Home country address* (This should be a street address.)

Street City Postal/zip code Country

Mailing Address (Provide the address to which we should send your documents. If it is the same as above, write "same.")

Street City Postal/zip code Country

If currently in the U.S. or if you would like documents mailed to a friend or relative in the U.S., please provide a U.S. address.

Street City State Postal/zip code

Telephone U.S. Social Security Number* (If applicable)

Country code City code Number

Email address

Visa/immigration

Are you currently in the U.S.?

Yes No

If yes, what is your current U.S. immigration status?

F-1, Student B-1/B-2, Visitor J-2, Dependent of J-1 H-4, Dependent of temporary worker

F-2, Dependent of F-1 J-1, Exchange visitor H-1, Temporary worker Other (Please specify)

Education

Will you have completed high school before starting your program at Shoreline?

Yes No

If yes, please provide the date of your actual or estimated high school graduation.

Month _____ Year _____

Have you attended a school in the U.S.?^{*}

Yes No

If you are currently studying at a school in the U.S., do you plan to leave the U.S. before starting your program at Shoreline?

Yes No

If yes, please provide the name and location of the school.

Name _____ Location _____

List all previous high schools, colleges, universities, and ESL programs that you have attended. Begin with the most recent.

Name of school	City, Country	Attendance period		Graduated?		Date of graduation
		From	To	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____

How long do you plan to study at Shoreline?^{*} (Check all that apply)

- One-year certificate
- High school diploma + associates degree combined program
- Two-year professional degree
- Two-year transfer degree for university
- ESL
- Undecided/other

In what quarter of what year do you plan to begin your studies?^{*}

Summer (June) 20 _____ Fall (September) 20 _____ Winter (January) 20 _____ Spring (April) 20 _____

Intended major of study^{*} Please refer to the list of majors on page 34 of our brochure. If you are not sure of your major at the time of application, please indicate "general studies."

Do you plan to transfer to a four-year university?

Yes No

Credit card information Only if paying application fee by credit card

Name on credit card _____

Type of credit card

MasterCard Visa

Credit card number _____

Expiration date _____

I authorize Shoreline to process a \$50.00 application fee.

Optional \$35.00 express mailing fee?

Yes No

Yes No

Authorization signature _____

Full legal signature _____

Date _____

Signature

I certify that I understand the above questions and that the information I have provided is complete, accurate, and true.

Full legal signature _____

Date _____

SHORELINE Community College FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION and CERTIFICATION FORM

Please type or print clearly.

Please note that schools are legally required to verify that international student applicants have sufficient funds available to cover tuition and living costs before they can issue an I-20. The estimated amount for one academic year at Shoreline Community College is **\$16,674**.

Although you only need to provide documentation for the first year, it is important that there be adequate funding available for the entire duration of your program. You may be asked to provide this information when you apply for a visa at the U.S. consulate or embassy.

Expenses of living and studying in the U.S. vary from student to student. However, the following is a list of estimated expenses that you can expect. Extra expenses for travel, entertainment, and recreation are not included in this list.

The financial documentation that needs to be submitted as part of your application consists of two items:

- The financial certification form.
- A document that provides proof of availability of funds (usually in the form of a bank statement). A bank statement can either be a letter from a bank official certifying that the bank account has the minimum funds available, or a statement showing the available balance in the account. This statement must show that you or your sponsor have a minimum balance of **\$16,674** (U.S. dollars) available for your first year of study at Shoreline Community College.

Important:

- Documents must be no older than six months at the time of application.
- Documents must be on the bank's official letterhead.
- Funds may be either in U.S. dollars or your country's currency.
- In certain circumstances, we may request additional information or documents.

<u>Academic costs</u>	Per quarter	Per academic year (3 quarters)
Tuition	\$2,696	\$8,088
Fees*	\$120	\$360
Total academic costs	\$2,816	\$8,448
<u>Estimated living expenses</u>	Per Quarter	Per academic year (3 quarters)
Room and board**	\$1,785	\$5,355
Health insurance	\$207	\$621
Other***	\$750	\$2,250
Total estimated living expenses	\$2,742	\$8,226

*Fees are mandatory for students and cover costs associated with a variety of items, including technology, student activities, F-1 administrative, sustainable commuter options, and student union costs.

**Room and board estimates are based on homestay costs. Students renting own apartment should expect higher expenses.

***Other estimated expenses include books and miscellaneous expenses. Individual students' expenses may vary depending on students' lifestyle and situation. Students may incur additional expenses if they purchase bus pass. SCC students are eligible for a bus pass discount.

Financial certification form

Name (Your name should match the name on your passport exactly.)

Last/Family/Surname First/Given name Middle name

I plan to obtain money to pay expenses while studying at Shoreline Community College from the following source:

Personal savings

Parent (Name):

Other sponsor (Name):

I certify that I will have a minimum of \$16,674 in U.S. dollars per year for my study at Shoreline.

Signature of applicant Date

Name of sponsor (Printed) **Relationship to applicant**

Address of sponsor

Street City Postal/zip code Country

Telephone number of sponsor

Country code City code Number

I certify that I will have a minimum of \$16,674 in U.S. dollars per year available for the above applicant's tuition at Shoreline.

Signature of sponsor Date

SHORELINE Community College TRANSFER ELIGIBILITY and STATUS CERTIFICATION

Please type or print clearly and refer to the application instructions on the inside front cover while completing this form. Items marked with an asterisk (*) are required to create an I-20.

To be completed by the student

Name* (Your name should match the name on your passport exactly.)

Last/Family/Surname* First/Given name* Middle name

Student ID number (At previous institution)

Last quarter attended

Email address

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Do you plan to travel outside of the U.S. before beginning your studies at Shoreline Community College?

Yes No

The undersigned student, by submission of this form, indicates his or her intention to transfer to Shoreline Community College. I authorize a school official at my current school to provide Shoreline Community College with the information requested below.

Full legal signature

Date

To be completed by an International Student Advisor

Name, Title

Phone number

Email address

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Name of institution

Address of institution

Street City State Postal/zip code

The above-named student:

is enrolled full-time at this school in the session 20 is enrolled less than full-time because:

To the best of my knowledge, the above-named student is:

in status with respect to immigration regulations out of status because:

Student SEVIS ID number

What is the student's estimated SEVIS release date?

Student's date of attendance at your school

Student's last (or expected last) date of attendance at your school

From To Month Day Year

List all periods for reduced course load for which the student was previously authorized.

List all periods of previously authorized OPT/CPT.

Authorization signature

Full legal signature

Date

Please fax or mail the completed form to:



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Your social security number is confidential and, under a federal law called the Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act, the college will protect it from unauthorized use and/or disclosure. In compliance with state/federal requirements, disclosure may be authorized for the purposes of state and federal financial aid, Hope/Lifetime Learning tax credits, academic transcripts, assessment or accountability research.

“Directory Information” means a student’s name(s), dates of attendance, degrees awarded, honors, major field of study and date of graduation.

Notice: 10 U.S.C. Sec. 503, Pub. L. 104-208, directs educational institutions to provide student directory information for students 17 and older to the armed forces.
