

Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania Application for Admission

for International Undergraduate Students

Admission Checklist for Undergraduate International Students

1. A Shippensburg University International Application for Admission

A completed International Application for Admission includes the documents listed below.* **Please note**, as part of the Form I-20 issuance process we request a copy of the applicant's current passport (photo page only) or a copy of the applicant's current visa (if applicable).

2. Application Fee

A non-refundable application fee of \$40.00 USD made payable to Shippensburg University, or via credit card for online applications. We DO NOT accept CASH.

3. Official Transcripts

Shippensburg University requires all students to submit **official transcripts from all prior academic coursework**. These records must be sent directly to an International Credential Evaluator for evaluation purposes. Shippensburg University accepts credentials that are evaluated by World Education Services (WES - <u>www.wes.ora</u>), Educational Credential Evaluators (ECE - <u>www.ece.ora</u>), or a NACES (The National Association of Credential Evaluating Services) recognized evaluating entity. Examples of these entities can be found by visiting the <u>NACES</u> web link. If you are from a country where English is the official language of instruction, please contact the Admissions Office for further information.

4. Test Scores

All applicants are required to submit one formal exam such as TOEFL, IELTS or SAT to Shippensburg University. Students should request their test scores be sent directly from the testing agency to Shippensburg University (ETS Institutional Code for Shippensburg University: 003326). Scores must have been obtained within the last 2 years. This requirement includes countries where the <u>official language of instruction is English.</u>

TOEFL/TSE Services

Phone: +1-609-951-1100 Website: www.toefl.org **IELTS International**

Phone: +1-323-255-1261 Website: www.ielts.org **SAT – Educational Testing Services**

Phone: +1-212-520-8570 Website: www.collegeboard.org

5. Statement of Financial Support

This form must be completely filled out, <u>in English</u>, and must be completed by all persons (sponsors) financially supporting the student. All questions on this form must be answered. This form must be completed and signed by each sponsor. The form can be found on our website at: http://www.ship.edu/Admissions/International/Forms/Statement of Financial Support/. Applicants who hold either an "H" class visa or an "L" class visa do not need to show financial support

6. Financial Documents

Original Statements of Financial Support such as a certified bank letter or a bank statement (issued within the past 90 days) is required. The statements should show financial support of at least \$30,958.00 USD for one year of undergraduate study. U.S. law requires a student to prove he/she can support estimated annual costs for every year of the program of study. Applicants who hold either an "H" class visa or an "L" class visa do not need to show financial support.

The J.F.	.K Scholarship for International Students								
Visa. This	ourg University is proud to offer the J.F.K Scholarship to its International Undergraduate applicants. This scholarship is available to any non-U.S. citizen eligible for an F-1 student scholarship is offered in the form of a partial tuition waiver and if awarded provides students with the opportunity to pay in-state tuition (Approximate total Scholarship value: all students are required to pay fees, room and board, regardless of the amount of scholarship money they receive. Please be aware that these scholarships are awarded on a ve basis.								
Are you in	nterested in being considered for the J.F.K Scholarship? Yes No								
If you selected yes, in order to be eligible for the scholarship you must submit the following additional items:									
1.	Two Letters of Recommendation (2 different individuals)								
2.	You must submit a <u>separate</u> , word-processed essay in response to the following:								
	"Please write a brief statement about your plans for the program of study which you have chosen. This should include your reasons for studying your chosen field, you intended areas of specialization (if any), and any information about how you feel you will be able to contribute to Shippensburg University. You should also include will feel you should be considered for this scholarship."								

Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania, in compliance with federal and state laws and university policy, is committed to human understanding and provides equal educational, employment, and economic opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, sex, age, creed, national origin, religion, veteran status, or disability. Direct requests for disability accommodations and other inquiries to the Office of Disability Services, Horton Hall 120, Shippensburg University, 1871 Old Main Drive, Shippensburg PA 17257-2299, +1-717-477-1329, ods@ship.edu.



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I. Applicant Information										
Applicant's Last (Family) Name (As it appears on Passport):				First	: (Given) Name			Middle Name		
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Applicant's Gender: Male		Female		Date of E	Birth(Month/Day/Year):	:				
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Country of Birth:	Country of Birth: Country of Citizenship:									
Permanent Address:										
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Mail Form I-20 to this address:										
Current Mailing Address (If different from above):										
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Please provide information about your ethnic or ra										
Civil Rights, and to help us determine whether the used in an admission decision.	Unive	rsity is being	successf	ul in its	efforts to assure equ	ual op	portunity to all persoi	ns. This information is <u>not</u>		
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What is your ethnicity?					wnat is your race? Mark	rk one d	or more races to indicate v	what you consider yourself to be:		
Hispanic or Latino/a					White		Asian	American Indian or Alaska Native		
Not Hispanic or Latino/o	,									
Not Hispanic of Edino, t	•				Black or African America	can	Native Hawaiian or	Other Pacific Islander		
II. Residency and Visa Information										
Have you ever lived in the United States? No		Yes								
If yes, please explain:										
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Are you currently in the U.S. on a Visa? Yes		No								
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If yes, what is your current Visa Classification?(F-Class, H-Cl	ass, Gr	een Cara)								
What semester do you plan to enter?										
		Fall 20	(Aug	just Start	Date) L		Spring 20 (Jo	anuary Start Date)		
When I enter Shippensburg University, I will be a:		First Year Stu	ıdent	\Box	Transfer		Second Degree	Other (Please Specify)		
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*Please note, if you are a "Transfer Student," you must complete and submit the "SEVIS Transfer Form" for International Students which can be found online at										
http://www.ship.edu/Admissions/International/Forms/SEVIS_Transfer_Form/.										
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III. Undergraduate Academic Majors									
JOHN L. GROVE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS Accounting Business Administration (Undecided) Finance Information Technology for Business Education Management Management Information Systems Marketing Supply Chain Management	COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMA Criminal Justice Elementary Education (K-4 Certific Mid-Level Education (4-8 Certificat Exercise Science Social Work (B.S.W.)	Applied Physics ation) Art tion) Biology Chemistry Communication/Jo Computer Enginee Computer Science Earth Science Economics Engineering (3+2 I English French Geo-Environments Geography	ournalism ering Oual Degree)	COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES (cont.) Human Communications Studies Interdisciplinary Arts Mathematics Physics (Nanofabrication Concentration) Physics Political Science Professional Studies (Transfer Students Only) Psychology Public Administration Social Studies Sociology Spanish					
Please indicate which SU program of study you are applying for:									
How did you hear about SU?		(Major Field oj	f Study)						
IV. What is your most recent to	est score on any of the fol	llowing tests: (Official Sc	ores are Required from	Testina Δαency)					
TOEFL score: IELTS score:	Date of Test: Date of Test: Date of Test:		Shippensburg University's Institutional Code is: 003326 Note: It is the applicant's responsibility to arrange for official scores						
			to be sent to Shipper	nsburg University.					
V. Previous Education Complete each column by follo	wing the example below. I	Begin with the most rece	ent level of education in	which you completed.					
Name of High School(s), College(s) or University(ies)	Location (City, Country)	Mo./Yr to Mo./Yr.	Diploma/Degree	Language of Instruction					
EXAMPLE: COLEGIO PANOAMERICANO	SANTANDER, COLOMBIA	<u>08/04 – 06/08</u>	SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE	SPANISH					
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VII. Certification I certify that the information, statements, and supporting credentials in this application are true and acknowledge that this application and all documents in support of this application are the property of Shippensburg University and are not returnable. Students furnishing University with false, misleading, or incomplete information relating to their application of admission or academic record will be subject to denial or dismissal from the University. Furthermore it is consented that some or all of the information contained in this application may be released to various university offices or affiliated university organizations, which are the Shippensburg University Alumni Association, the Shippensburg University Foundation, or Student Services, Inc. Signature of Applicant: Date:									

Office of Admission, Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania 1871 Old Main Drive, Shippensburg, PA 17257 U.S.A.

Complete and return this application with a \$40.00 USD, non-refundable application fee to:

*check must have banking bar code with routing number or money order. NO CASH.