

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT APPLICATION for ADMITTANCE



**Personal Information:** You must complete this section to receive an official Form I-20.

Name as it appears on your passport: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Family/Surname) First or Given Name Middle Name

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth : \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you planning to bring your family to the United States with you? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If you are planning to bring any family members with you, please attach a paper listing the Family (Surname) Name, First Name, Date of Birth (including month, year and date), gender and their relationship to you for each family member coming with you. This information will be used to complete the Form I-20 that allows your family members into the United States with you. Without this information, we cannot send a Form I-20 to you.

### Admission Financial Requirements

**Purpose of the Requirements** Educational institutions in the United States are required by the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) to have documentary proof of adequate financial support before admitting an international student. Failure to complete and properly follow the instructions on this information sheet could result in non-issuance of the U.S. Government Form I-20 which is required to obtain a visa and enter the U.S. or to transfer from another U.S. School to Saint Louis Christian College. **If you are being sponsored by someone other than yourself**, (government, church, family) then the Affidavit of Support (see back page) must be completed. In addition, an original notarized bank letter must be submitted from each person supporting you indicating that sufficient funds are in an account and readily available to be sent to Saint Louis Christian College to pay for your school. **If you are supporting yourself**, then you must still submit the bank letter, but the Affidavit of Support is not required.

### Supporting Bank Letter

Instructions:

- ✓ An original letter on official stationery, or a certified true copy of such a letter, must be submitted from a bank or other financial institution where the prospective student or sponsor has saving deposits, certificates of deposit, money market certificates, or other types of accounts containing **readily available funds**.
- ✓ If deposits are in more than one financial institution, a separate letter must be submitted from each bank.
- ✓ The letters must provide a **specific amount of funds**.
- ✓ The specific amount of funds verified must total at least the amount in U.S. Dollars for one year of college plus airfare to return home. It is preferred that the amount verified is able to pay for the entire time the student will be at SLCC.
- ✓ The letters must be signed and dated within less than one year from the expected date of enrollment.
- ✓ No changes, alterations or modifications may be made to any information appearing in the letters.
- ✓ Income tax statements or returns, proof of property ownership, and letters stating the student or sponsor possesses "sufficient financial resources" are **NOT** acceptable as evidence of readily available funds. Employment letters are not acceptable.
- ✓ The letters must be in English; otherwise, attach an official translation into English.

It is your responsibility to demonstrate sufficient funding is available to meet all of your tuition and living expenses while studying at Saint Louis Christian College. You must list all of your financial support, and the total must add up to the annual total covering tuition, fees and living expenses.

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## SAINT LOUIS CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

### MISSION STATEMENT:

***SAINT LOUIS CHRISTIAN COLLEGE PURSUES EXCELLENCE IN THE WORD AND DEVELOPS SERVANT LEADERS FOR URBAN, SUBURBAN, RURAL, AND GLOBAL MINISTRY.***

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Application for: ☐ Fall ☐ Spring Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Telefax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female Other Names Used: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: ☐ Never Married ☐ Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced  
(If currently separated, we recommend you not apply until the issue is resolved. If divorced, please submit a letter of explanation.)

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Housing Desired: ☐ Unmarried Student ☐ Married Student ☐ No Housing Desired (Commuter)

Visa/Immigration Status: ☐ I have a F-1 Visa ☐ I have a permanent record card. (attach a copy of your I-551 or green card)  
☐ I have another type of Visa  
(please specify and attach a copy)

#### Church Background

Church currently attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
Attend Church: ☐ Weekly ☐ 2x/month ☐ 1x/month ☐ Less than 1x/month

#### Education Background

Primary School: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary School: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ High School Diploma Graduation Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (or anticipated date)

Have you attended any other college(s)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you currently attending a college or university in the United States? ☐ Yes ☐ No

College \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Attendance \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Hours \_\_\_\_\_ Degree \_\_\_\_\_

Have you taken the TOEFL test? (Note: official TOEFL score is required)

☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you requested an official score be sent to us?

☐ Yes ☐ No

# AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPORT

## SAINT LOUIS CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

### INSTRUCTIONS

- ✓ This form, along with the supporting bank letter(s), must be returned, with your application material, for evaluation.
- ✓ This form must be fully and properly completed by the financial sponsor. Incomplete affidavits will be returned to the prospective student, causing a delay in the admissions decision.
- ✓ An individual Affidavit must be completed by each sponsor who is providing a separate bank letter. (It is permissible to photocopy this form.)
- ✓ Persons in the U.S. who are not U.S. Citizens or permanent residents are not acceptable as financial sponsors.
- ✓ Only an original Affidavit or a certified true copy of the original is acceptable.
- ✓ No changes, alternations, or modifications may be made to any information on this form.
- ✓ Please type or print clearly in ink.
- ✓ This form must be signed and dated within less than one year of the date when the student plans to enroll at Saint Louis Christian College.

### SPONSOR INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Address in Home Country: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Telefax: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of permanent residence: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Income (USD): \_\_\_\_\_ Deposit in Savings (USD): \_\_\_\_\_

### CERTIFICATION

Please initial the following.

\_\_\_\_\_ This affidavit is made by me for the purpose of assuring the United States Government the person named above \_\_\_\_\_ will not become a public charge while in the United States.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am willing and able to maintain and support the person named above.

\_\_\_\_\_ I intend to make specific financial contributions for the support of the person named above.

In the amount of USD \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per year for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ years.

-OR-

Totaling USD\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months (less than one year).

\_\_\_\_\_ I have attached an original bank letter on official stationery, or a certified true copy, in English, or accompanied by an official translation, indicating an exact amount of readily available funds to support the person(s) named above.

### OATH / AFFIRMATION

I acknowledge I am aware of my responsibilities as the sponsor of the person(s) named above. I swear or affirm that I know the contents of this affidavit signed by me and the statements are true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Sponsor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Sponsor

Please indicate your activities and accomplishments in areas such as church, clubs, music and sports, include any special recognition: \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly explain when and how you became a Christian: \_\_\_\_\_

What degree will you seek at Saint Louis Christian College?

- ☐ 2-year Associate of Arts or Associate of Applied Science Degree:  
☐ General Studies   ☐ Preaching Ministry   ☐ Intercultural & Urban Missions
- ☐ 4-year Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science Degree:  
☐ Pre-Seminary   ☐ Education Ministry   ☐ Intercultural & Urban Missions  
☐ Youth Ministry   ☐ Music & Worship Ministry  
☐ Preaching Ministry

Have you been out of school more than three months? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, please attach a letter explaining what you have been doing.)

How did you learn about Saint Louis Christian College? \_\_\_\_\_

In no less than fifty words, explain your goals of service to God and the church and how SLCC may fit these goals. (Attach additional sheets if needed.)

*I am willing to abide by the standards, expectations, and guidelines of Saint Louis Christian College as stated in the "Desired Community" section of the International Application Checklist. I affirm all the information contained in this application to be correct and true. I understand that providing false or misleading information on this application and/or the Financial Aid Application may result in dismissal from Saint Louis Christian College without a refund.*

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

\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Date

Completing this application does not guarantee admission to Saint Louis Christian College. A decision will be made when all application materials have been received. This includes: the application, all references, an official TOEFL score, all required official transcripts and all financial documents requested. Once all these documents have been received, the Admissions Committee will make a decision. Once accepted, an I-20 will be mailed to the address you provide. An acceptance letter and an official I-20 are required before enrollment in this College will be granted.