

2025-2026 - International Student Immigration Information and Declaration of Finances – Marine Systems Program

This form is required for students who plan to attend the Northwest School of Wooden Boatbuilding (NWSWB) as a non-immigrant student. In compliance with US immigration regulations, NWSWB can only admit students who have demonstrated proof of financial support for anticipated educational and living expenses incurred during study in the United States. All students who plan to attend NWSWB in M-1 status are required to complete and return this form along with the supporting documents outlined below. When all documentation has been provided, and if there is sufficient financial support, NWSWB can proceed with the Admissions process.

Steps to complete this Form

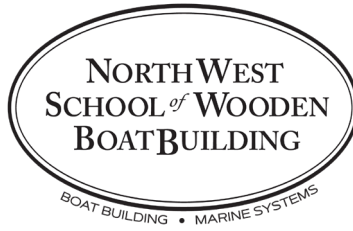
- Complete A) International Student Immigration Information and B) Declaration of Finances form.
- If you will not be financing your own study in the United States, ask your financial sponsor to complete the Sponsor’s Affidavit of Support on page 4.
- Provide official documents verifying available funds from your financial institution.
- Provide a copy of the biographical (biometric) page of your passport. If you will be travelling with dependents, also include copies of the passport biographical (biometric) pages for all dependents.
- Return this form and all supporting documents to: admissions@nswb.edu, or upload to your NWSWB online student portal.

A) International Student Immigration Information

Student Information

Please fill out the required information as it is written in your passport. A copy of the biographical (biometric) page of your passport must be included with this form.

First Name	Middle Name	Family Name (Surname)
Phone (with country/city code)	Email Address	
Date of Birth (month/day/year)	Age	Gender
City of Birth	Country of Birth	Country of Citizenship



Dependent Information

For international students bringing dependents with them to the United States, detailed information on each dependent must be provided before an I-20 can be issued. International students are required to provide for all expenses including (but not limited to) food, shelter, and schooling for all dependents listed on their student visa.

Do you plan to bring a spouse and/or child(ren) with you while studying in the US? Yes No

- If No, continue to the next section of this form
- If Yes, fill out the required dependent information as it is written in their passport. Include a copy of the biographical (biometric) page of each dependent’s passport with this form.

Dependent 1:

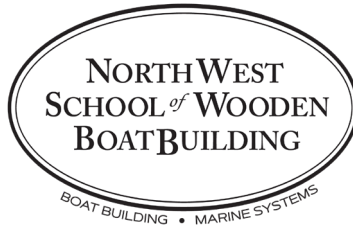
First Name	Middle Name	Family Name (Surname)
Date of Birth	Country of Birth	Age
Country of Citizenship	Gender	Relationship

Dependent 2:

First Name	Middle Name	Family Name (Surname)
Date of Birth	Country of Birth	Age
Country of Citizenship	Gender	Relationship

Dependent 3:

First Name	Middle Name	Family Name (Surname)
Date of Birth	Country of Birth	Age
Country of Citizenship	Gender	Relationship



B) Declaration of Finances

US Immigration regulation requires that international students seeking eligibility for M-1 status must provide written verification of the sources and the amounts of financial support. You should keep copies of these documents and present them to the US Consulate during your visa interview and to the US Immigration officers at your port of entry. Please return this completed form and the required documents to admissions@nswsb.edu or upload to your NWSWB online student portal.

Section 1: Financial Responsibility

The worksheet below will help you determine the estimated cost of attendance to complete a program at NWSWB. Tuition and Fees are posted on our website at www.nswsb.edu/tuition-fees/. The 9-month Marine Systems program is eligible for M-1 visa status.

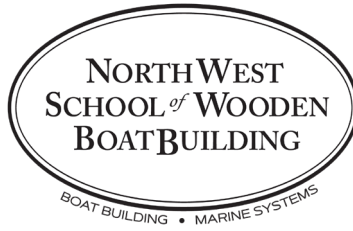
NWSWB Estimated Expenses:

Type of Expenses	Marine Systems Program Cost (US\$)	Total Cost (US\$)
Tuition	\$19,500	\$19,500
Instructional Materials Fee	\$1,500	\$1,500
Tools, books, and supplies*	\$2,000	\$2,000
Housing/Food*	\$18,507	\$18,507
Transportation*	\$3,186	\$3,186
Miscellaneous/Personal*	\$1,848	\$1,848
Total Estimated Cost of Attendance for Student		\$46,541
Dependent Financial Support		Additional Cost
If a dependent (or dependents) will be coming to the US with the student, the additional estimated cost per dependent is \$8,850. \$8,850 x ____ (fill in number of dependents) =		\$ _____
Total Estimated Cost of Attendance for Student and Dependents (add up the Student and Dependent Costs and enter the total here) =		\$ _____

*estimated cost

Section 2: Financial Support

In order to meet US Immigration regulations and eligibility for a NWSWB-issued I-20, your total demonstrated financial support must be equal to or greater than your **Total Estimated Cost of Attendance** from the worksheet in Section 1. Carefully read and complete the worksheet below to demonstrate your financial support. Note: real estate holdings, personal property, and common stock holdings should not be used to confirm financial support.



Proof of Financial Support for the Program:

Sources of Support and Required Documents	Funding Available (US\$)
Personal Savings (<i>student's own savings, checking, or other account funds</i>): Original letter signed by bank official which indicates the opening date, average balance, and the current balance of your account.	\$ _____
Family or Private Sponsor (<i>family or private sponsor's savings, checking, or other account funds</i>): Original letter signed by bank official which indicates the opening date, average balance, and the current balance of your account. Note: If the student is being sponsored, the family member or private sponsor must complete the "Student Sponsor's Affidavit of Support" section.	\$ _____
Total Financial Support for the Program =	\$ _____

Student Certification and Signature

I certify that all statements on this form are true and accurate information and that the stated funds are available for my educational expenses at the Northwest School of Wooden Boatbuilding during my enrollment. I will notify the Designated School Official (PDSO or DSO) at the Northwest School of Wooden Boatbuilding of any changes in my financial circumstances.

Student Signature

Date

Student Sponsor's Affidavit of Support

This section must be completed by a parent, family member, or guarantor (if applicable).

Sponsor's First Name	Sponsor's Middle Name	Sponsor's Family Name (Surname)
Phone (with country/city code)	Email Address	
Date of Birth (month/day/year)	Age	Gender
City of Birth	Country of Birth	Country of Citizenship

I hereby certify that I am willing and able and that I do promise to provide the amount of \$ _____ USD for the educational expenses of (student's name) _____ while attending and completing a program at the Northwest School of Wooden Boatbuilding.

Signature of Sponsor

Date