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**EXCHANGE PROGRAMS
COST OF LIVING EXPENSES**

Please complete the Certification of Financial Resources form and return to UC Hastings J-1 visa coordinator at the address above. We have listed below our estimated living costs for the 2016-2017 academic year. You must provide proof that you have the resources to cover the costs of the semester you will be attending UC Hastings.

Please indicate that you have the necessary funds, and attach documentation (in English) of these funds by means of a letter from a bank, scholarship letter, family support letter, or other documents attesting to the availability of these funds. If your parents and/or relatives are supporting you, they need to write a signed letter stating this **and** provide their bank letter.

Once all required documents are received, we can prepare your Form DS-2019 and mail it to you. You will need your Form DS-2019 to apply for a J-1 student visa at the U.S Embassy / U.S. consulate in your home country. The processing time for these visas can be long. Please return these forms to the Global Programs office as soon as possible to be sure to get your visa in time.

Estimated* Living Expenses in U.S. Dollars (2016-2017 Academic Year)

	<u>Fall</u>	<u>Spring</u>
Books and Supplies	\$575	\$575
Housing and Utilities	\$7,884	\$7,884
Food	\$1,620	\$1,620
Personal Expenses	\$1,260	\$1,260
Transportation	\$716	\$716
Health Services	\$317	\$317
Health Insurance	\$1,849	\$2,588
Total Estimated Living Expenses	\$14,221	\$14,960

*These figures are subject to change without advance notice.