

# University of Nevada, Las Vegas

## Undergraduate International Application Worksheet

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### Who Should Complete This Application?

If you require documents for F-1 student visa status, you can use this worksheet to prepare for the online international application. If you are a U.S. citizen, are a permanent resident (green card holder), or have another nonimmigrant status and do not wish to change it to F-1 Student Visa status, complete the domestic application worksheet found at [unlv.edu/admissions](http://unlv.edu/admissions).

### Application Deadline

If you are already in F-1 visa status and will transfer your I-20 to UNLV, you must submit the online application and all required documents by the deadlines listed below.

**Spring 2010:** Nov. 13, 2009

**Fall 2010:** Aug. 6, 2010

If you require a new U.S. Immigration Form I-20 to request an F-1 student visa at a U.S. Consulate visa-issuing office, you must submit your online application and all required documents by the deadlines listed below.

**Spring 2010:** Nov. 2, 2009

**Fall 2010:** July 5, 2010

### Application Checklist

Submit the following official documents to the Office of Admissions at the address listed below. The evaluation of academic credentials to determine eligibility for admission is made only when all required items are received. If you have any questions during the process, please call 702-774-8658 or send an e-mail message to [admissions@unlv.edu](mailto:admissions@unlv.edu).

#### Complete the International Student Application

- Complete the international student application for undergraduate admission online at [unlv.edu/admissions](http://unlv.edu/admissions).
- To assist in proper identification, please include all names you have used on the school documents you are sending to UNLV. Also, include any legal name change information.

#### Pay the Application Fee

- Complete the online application and pay with a credit or debit card. If you are unable to pay with a credit or debit card, call 702-774-8658.

#### Submit official transcripts (report of all courses attempted and results) from all secondary and/or postsecondary schools attended.

- Official school records must be sent directly from each school, college, or university attended in a sealed envelope before an evaluation can occur. An official translation is required if the transcript is not in English. Student-translated transcripts will not be reviewed.
- Students who have completed secondary school but have not completed 24 transferable college credits must submit secondary school records. The transcript must show a minimum 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale (A=4.0), or the equivalent.
- An official transcript is required for each postsecondary educational institution attended whether or not credit was earned. The transcript must show a minimum 2.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale (A=4.0), or the equivalent.

#### Submit Proof of English Proficiency (one of the following)

- **Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL):**  
A score of 500 or better is required for general admission (173 on the computer-based test or 61 on iBT), and a 525 or better to major in Hotel Administration (193 or higher on the computer-based test or 73 on iBT). The scores must be sent directly to UNLV by the testing service.

Information concerning TOEFL testing dates and sites may be obtained by writing to TOEFL Services Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 6151, Princeton, NJ 08541-6151, USA, or by visiting [toefl.org](http://toefl.org). To have scores sent to UNLV, please use the undergraduate score reporting number, 4861.

- **The Michigan Test of English Proficiency:**  
This test is offered at UNLV and can be used in place of the TOEFL exam. A score of 76 percent or better is needed for general admission or 80 percent or better for Hotel Administration. Only scores from UNLV's Michigan Test are accepted. For information on the Michigan Test, please call UNLV's English Language Center at 702-895-3925.
- University-level course result from a college in the United States that is equivalent to UNLV's English 101 with a grade of "C" or above.
- Four years of college preparation high school English courses in the U.S. and appropriate ACT or SAT scores
- If you are academically admissible to UNLV, but your English proficiency scores/grades do not meet the requirement, you may be placed in the English Language Center. You will be permitted to enroll in academic classes upon proving that your English language ability meets UNLV's admission requirements.

It is the policy of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, to provide equal employment opportunities, services, and benefits to students and employees without regard to race, color, national origin, or sex, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Sections 799A and 845 of the Public Health Services Act, and Sections 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, where applicable, as enforced by the U.S. Department of Education.

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#### Office of Admissions

4505 S. Maryland Parkway, Box 451021  
Las Vegas, NV 89154-1021 USA



## **After You've Received a Decision**

The Office of International Students and Scholars issues the I-20 Form once a favorable decision has been reached regarding admission to the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

**Instructions and additional information can be found on the Confidential Certification Form attached to this application.**

Before the I-20 can be issued, a bank letter certifying the availability of funds sufficient to cover the estimated expenses for the academic year you wish to begin your studies and a completed Confidential Financial Certification Form must be received by the Office of International Students and Scholars.

## **Reference List for Programs, Majors, and Certificates**

Indicate your first- and second-choice major on this application. Students may enter UNLV without declaring a major by choosing the undeclared major as their first choice with no second choice. If you do not meet the admission requirements for your first choice, the university reserves the right to place you in your second-choice major or undeclared major where your academic advisor will be in the Academic Success Center. Please note: For many of UNLV's majors, students are admitted into a college and then placed into a major once they have met with an academic advisor. For example, students are admitted into the College of Business and then placed into one of the 10 individual majors after meeting with an advisor.

### **College of Business**

*business.unlv.edu*

Accounting  
Economics  
Entrepreneurship  
Finance  
Human Resource Management  
International Business  
Management  
Management Information Systems  
Marketing  
Real Estate

### **College of Education**

*education.unlv.edu*

Early Childhood Education  
Elementary Education  
Health Education  
Human Services  
Physical Education  
Secondary Education  
Special Education  
Workforce Education

### **College of Engineering**

*engineering.unlv.edu*

Civil Engineering  
Computer Engineering  
Computer Science  
Construction Management  
Electrical Engineering  
Engineering — Undeclared  
Entertainment Engineering and Design  
Informatics  
Mechanical Engineering

### **School of Community**

#### **Health Sciences**

*publichealth.unlv.edu*

Health Care Administration  
Health Education

### **School of Nursing**

*nursing.unlv.edu*

Nursing

### **School of Allied Health Sciences**

*alliedhealth.unlv.edu*

Athletic Training  
Clinical Laboratory Sciences (CLS)  
*(medical technology)*  
CLS - Certificate in Clinical Laboratory Sciences (full program or generalist)  
CLS — Certificate in Clinical Chemistry  
CLS — Certificate in Clinical Hematology  
CLS — Certificate in Clinical Microbiology  
CLS — Certificate in Immunohematology  
CLS — Certificate in Specimen Collection & Handling (Phlebotomy)  
Comprehensive Medical Imaging  
Health Physics  
Kinesiological Science  
Nuclear Medicine  
Nutrition

### **College of Fine Arts**

*finearts.unlv.edu*

Architecture  
Art  
Art History  
Certificate in Gerontology  
Dance  
Entertainment Engineering and Design  
Film  
Interior Architecture & Design  
Jazz Studies  
Landscape Architecture  
Music — Bachelor of Arts  
Music — Bachelor of Music  
Senior Adult Theater  
Theater Arts  
Urban and Regional Planning

### **College of Hotel Administration**

*hotel.unlv.edu*

Culinary Arts Beverage Management  
Culinary Arts Management  
Food Service Management  
Gaming Management  
Hospitality Management  
Hotel Administration Second Degree  
Hotel Beverage Management  
Lodging & Resort Management  
Meetings & Events Management  
Recreation  
Recreation Pro Golf Management

### **College of Liberal Arts**

*liberalarts.unlv.edu*

Afro-American Studies  
Anthropology  
English  
English as a Second Language  
French  
German  
History  
Interdisciplinary  
Studies (IDS) — Asian Studies  
IDS — Cultural Studies  
IDS — Latin American Studies  
IDS — Linguistic Studies  
IDS — Multidisciplinary Studies  
IDS — Social Science Studies  
Liberal Arts - Undeclared  
Philosophy  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Romance Languages  
Spanish  
Sociology  
Women's Studies

### **Academic Success Center**

*academicsuccess.unlv.edu*

Undeclared Major

### **College of Sciences**

*sciences.unlv.edu*

Biochemistry  
Biology  
Biology — Biotechnology  
Biology — Cell and Molecular  
Biology — Comprehensive  
Biology — Ecology & Evolutionary  
Biology — Education  
Biology — Integrative Physiology  
Biology — Microbiology  
Biology — Pre-Professional  
Biology — Urban Horticulture  
Chemistry — Bachelor of Arts  
Chemistry — Bachelor of Science  
Chemistry — Education  
Computational Physics  
Earth Science  
Environmental Geology  
Geology  
Physics  
Physics — Applied  
Mathematics — Bachelor of Arts  
Mathematics — Bachelor of Science

### **College of Urban Affairs**

*urbanaffairs.unlv.edu*

Communication Studies  
Criminal Justice  
Environmental Studies  
— Bachelor of Arts  
Environmental Studies  
— Bachelor of Science  
Journalism & Media Studies  
Public Administration  
Public Administration-Fire  
Safety Management  
Social Work

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Given Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Family/Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest School Year Your Father Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Given Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Family/Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest School Year Your Mother Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Applicant Information**

Expect to be a:  Freshman (*with 0 to 23 transferable college credits*)  Transfer (*with 24 or more transferable college credits*)

Entry Term:  Fall 20\_\_\_\_ year  Summer 20\_\_\_\_ year  Spring 20\_\_\_\_ year

Major Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Concentration: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary (High) School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a candidate for one of the following programs?

National Merit  National Achiever  National Hispanic Recognition Program  International Baccalaureate

Did you attend a Nevada public high school?  Yes  No High School County: \_\_\_\_\_

Clark County Nevada School District (CCSD) Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Date of Test: \_\_\_\_\_ mm/dd/yyyy Critical Reading Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Math Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Writing Score: \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Date of Test: \_\_\_\_\_ mm/dd/yyyy English Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Math Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Composite Score: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Transfer Information** (*Include all courses attended after completion of secondary (high) school. If applicable, include attendance at UNLV.*)

College/University Name	City	State	Country	Dates Attended (mm/yyyy to mm/yyyy)	Degree/Diploma (associate's, bachelor's, etc.)	Credits Earned	GPA
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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### **Applicant's Signature Required**

I certify the information provided on this application is accurate and complete and understand that all required credentials must be submitted before an admission decision may be made. I accept complete responsibility for obtaining transcripts of record and sending them to the Office of Admissions from each school attended, whether credit was earned or not. I fully understand that these transcripts are not returnable and cannot be reproduced. Furthermore, I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

You will be required to sign this section on the application when you complete it online at [unlv.edu/admissions](http://unlv.edu/admissions).

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## **Insight Resume**

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**The following six questions are designed to elicit responses that could help to identify potential scholarships and/or support services for applicants. Responses to all six questions will be read and scored as a whole.**

**Responses should be limited to 100 words per question.**

1. Describe examples of your leadership experience in which you significantly influenced others, helped resolve disputes, or contributed to group efforts over time. Consider responsibilities to initiatives taken in or out of school.

2. Describe any special interests and how you developed knowledge in these areas. Give examples of your creativity – the ability to see alternatives; take diverse perspectives; come up with many, varied or original ideas; or willingness to try new things.

3. Describe the most significant challenge you have faced and the steps you have taken to address this challenge. Include whether you turned to anyone in facing the challenge, the role the person played, and what you learned about yourself

4. Explain what you have done to make your community a better place to live. Give examples of specific projects in which you have been involved over time.

5. Describe your experiences facing or witnessing discrimination. Tell us how you responded and what you learned from these experiences and how they have prepared you to contribute to the UNLV community.

6. Articulate the goals you have established for yourself and your efforts to accomplish these. Give at least one specific example that demonstrates your work ethic/diligence.

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**Scholarship Application**

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This section of the application will be used to award scholarships and is not mandatory for the completion of your application. You can review UNLV's scholarships, requirements, and deadlines at [finaid.unlv.edu](http://finaid.unlv.edu).

Many of UNLV's need- and merit-based scholarships are awarded automatically based on the information you report on your application for admission and/or Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). However, some scholarships are awarded based on unique characteristics such as your ethnic background, family history, etc. If you are interested in applying for these types of scholarships, please complete the questions listed below.

**Important: Your answers to these questions will not positively or negatively impact the consideration of your application for admission.**

**Select all that apply:**

- I am a naturalized citizen of the United States. (I was born an alien and have lawfully become a citizen of the United States under the constitution and legal resident laws).
- I am the child of a naturalized citizen of the United States. (My parent was born an alien and has lawfully become a citizen of the United States under the constitution and legal resident laws).
- I am a member of the Moapa Band of Paiutes.
- I am the child of a police officer (active or retired) from Clark County Nevada.
- I am the child of a firefighter (active or retired) from Clark County, Nevada.
- My parent died in the line of duty while working as a federal, state, or municipal law enforcement agent/officer in Nevada.
- My parent is a dues-paying member of the UNLV Alumni Association.
- I am or my parent is employed by Smith's Food and Drug Centers.
- I have a qualified disability and will be registered with the UNLV Disability Resource Center.
- I have a documented physical disability.
- I, or a family member, has been diagnosed with cancer or has overcome cancer.
- I am a single parent.
- After taking a leave of absence from college for five or more years, my attendance at UNLV will mark my return to college.
- I am the dependent of a Tropicana Resort employee.
- I am employed by the Lone Star Steakhouse and Saloon.
- I am over 21 and a former cocktail server.
- I am a dependent of a Stations Casino employee.

When you submit this information online, you must certify that the information provided is true and correct to the best of your knowledge. Please review the disclaimer at the bottom of the page before pressing "save" on the online application.

UNLV is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer. Persons are selected on the basis of ability without regard to race, color, sex, age, national origin, sexual orientation, religion, disability or veteran status.

**University of Nevada, Las Vegas**  
**Undergraduate/Bachelor's Degree-Seeking F-1 International Student**  
**Confidential Financial Certification**  
**2010-2011 Academic Year**

Please print clearly or type **all** required information on this form. Failure to do so will delay or prevent issuance of your I-20. A bank letter or statement **with an official signature or stamp** verifying the availability of the required dollar amount must accompany this form. A photocopy of a monthly bank statement is NOT sufficient financial verification. The guarantor of funds must sign this form or it will not be valid.

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

**Please print your name as it appears or will appear on your passport.**

Family Name (surname): \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

**ESTIMATED EXPENSES**

**Estimated** required expenses of a student for the **2010-2011** academic year include tuition, mandatory student fees, and **minimum** living expenses for 12 months. There are additional expenses for dependents in the United States. All fees are subject to change without notice.

Estimated Undergraduate Tuition and Fees	
Tuition/Fees	\$19,500.00
Living expenses	<u>\$16,400.00</u>
<b>TOTAL REQUIRED AMOUNT</b>	<b>\$35,900.00</b>

**DEPENDENT INFORMATION FOR F-2 VISA**

Students should expect additional expenses for each dependent accompanying them to the United States. If your spouse is accompanying you to Las Vegas, you must show an additional \$7,000.00 in available funds. If you have children accompanying you, you must show an additional \$3,000.00 for each child.

If your spouse and/or children will come to Las Vegas with you as F-2 visa holders, please provide the following information.

Print or type your dependents' names as they appear on their passports.

**NAME OF SPOUSE:** \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Family Name (surname) First Name Middle Name Month/Day/Year

Check one:  Male  Female Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF CHILD:** \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Family Name (surname) First Name Middle Name Month/Day/Year

Check one:  Male  Female Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF CHILD:** \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Family Name (surname) First Name Middle Name Month/Day/Year  
Check one:  Male  Female Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF CHILD:** \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Family Name (surname) First Name Middle Name Month/Day/Year  
Check one:  Male  Female Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

### **SOURCE OF FUNDS**

Parents and/or Guarantors (Name and Relationship to You): \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other source of funds (scholarship, government, etc) \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please note that all international students on an F or J Visa, who receive a scholarship, fellowship, and/or stipend payment from UNLV will be taxed 14% on room and board expenses, living allowances or athletic/fellowship stipends.

Other Financial Sources (Please specify): \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ASSURED SUPPORT AMOUNT IN U.S. DOLLARS ONLY** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### **CERTIFICATION OF SOURCES OF FUNDS**

This is to certify that I have read the information furnished by the applicant on this form, that it is a true and accurate statement, and that the funds listed above are available. A signed letter must be attached from the bank official stating the amounts listed above.

**GUARANTOR OR ACCOUNT HOLDER MUST SIGN BELOW OR THIS FORM IS NOT VALID.**

This is to certify that I, the parent and/or guarantor will provide the following support to the applicant. (For example: tuition, fees, housing, etc.). To substantiate your financial guarantee, you as sponsor, are asked to attach a letter from an officer of your bank or other similar proof of available finances for this student's education.

Guarantor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the information provided above is correct and complete.

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**All international students must return this form and the bank letter or other verification of available funds to:**

**UNLV Admissions and Undergraduate Recruitment  
4505 Maryland Parkway Box 451021  
Las Vegas, NV 89154-1021  
admissions@unlv.edu**