



## **SCHOOL OF GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES APPLICATION FOR ILLINOIS RESIDENCY STATUS FOR H-VISA HOLDERS**

Please provide the information requested to determine your residency status. Any information given Will be treated as strictly confidential. This form must be submitted before the start of the semester for which the Student is petitioning for residency status. *[Until your Residency Application is approved, you will be considered as an International Student for tuition purposes].*

<b>Full Name [ Last, First, Middle]</b>	
<b>University ID number, if available</b>	
<b>Home Mailing Address [ No PO BOX] *</b>	
<b>E-mail [ other than CSU e-mail]</b>	
<b>Cell Phone Alternate Phone</b>	
<b>Starting Semester at CSU</b>	
<b>Program Admitted to</b>	

### **Proof of Illinois Residency, Visa and Tax Status**

Students applying for Illinois residency status with H-1B or H-1C or H-4 must submit all the following information and documents.

1. Attach a copy of an apartment lease/ proof of mortgage showing a history of at least 6 months [ either yours or your spouse/parent] or a copy of the Illinois Driver's license
2. Do you or your parents or spouse pay Illinois State Income tax?    Yes\_\_\_ OR No\_\_\_
3. If yes, please attach a copy of the First page of the last tax return.
4. If no, are you living in Illinois for more than 6 months        YES\_\_\_ or NO\_\_\_
5. Submit a copy of your visa registration and relevant Passport pages.

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Answer the following questions:

- 6. Do you hold a H1-B or H1-C Visa? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Are you a dependent of an H1-B or H1-C visa holder? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_
- 8. Do you hold a H-4 Visa? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. Have you filed an application to become a permanent resident? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. If No, would you certify that you intend to file an application to become a permanent resident of the United States at the earliest opportunity?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, complete the statement below: [ If you are a dependent, your spouse/parent should also sign the affidavit]

***I \_\_\_\_\_ hereby swear that I will file an application to become a permanent resident of the United States at my earliest opportunity to do so. I also attest that all the information provided is true to my knowledge.***

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Of the Applicant

Signature  
Of the Spouse or Parent [ If applicable] \_\_\_\_\_

All petitioners must have their signature attested by a duly authorized Notary Public

Notary Public: I certify that the document is duly Signed in Front of Me:  Signature: _____  Name: _____	Affix the stamp here
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For SGPS Use only:

Date received:

Decision Taken: Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Not Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Dean, SGPS: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Banner Code for Residency Entered on \_\_\_\_\_ Entered by \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_