



# Hong Kong Scholar Application 2011-2012

**TO APPLY, PLEASE SEND:**

- A completed application**
- A completed sponsor statement**
- High School/Secondary School Transcript** (must be a certified copy in English)
- A current bank statement** or letter showing a minimum of **US\$20,961** (must be in English and original bank letterhead)
- A clear copy of your passport**

**Mail your application materials to:**

Vincennes University  
 Admissions Office  
 1002 North First Street  
 Vincennes, Indiana Postal Code: 47591

For additional information or questions:

Email: [intstudent@vinu.edu](mailto:intstudent@vinu.edu)

<http://www.vinu.edu/international>

Call: +1-812-888-4313 (M-F 8am-5pm, Eastern Time Zone)

**Personal Information (please print clearly using block letters)**

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it appears on your passport)

First Name (given): \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it appears on your passport)

**Your Home Country Address:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
(month) (day) (year)

- Over age 18
- female
- male

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

Country of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Native Language: \_\_\_\_\_

**Address in the United States** (only if you are currently living in the U.S.)

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact**

List family or friends we can contact in the event of an emergency (either in the U.S. or in home country):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**If you are currently in the U.S.**

Are you currently attending another school in the U.S.?  Yes  No School name: \_\_\_\_\_

Visa type: \_\_\_\_\_ SEVIS ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are transferring to Vincennes University, you will need to submit:

- Transfer Form (please see: <http://www.vinu.edu/international> or email us)
- A copy of your current I-20

**How did you hear about us?**

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_  Relative: \_\_\_\_\_

Friend: \_\_\_\_\_  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

**Where would you like your I-20 sent?**

Home Country Address  
 U.S. Address  
 Other address (write below—if different from address on the 1st page)  
 Will be picked up by: \_\_\_\_\_  
(name) (relationship to student)

Agency/Advising Center or OTHER mailing address (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**How do you want your I-20 to be mailed?**

Regular Mail/International Air Mail (free)  
 Express Mail with e-Ship Global (pay online with bank card)
 

- ◆ You can pay to have your I-20 and acceptance letter sent by express mail (FedEx or DHL)
- ◆ Go to: <https://study.eshipglobal.com>
- ◆ Click on “sign up” button
- ◆ Once you have created an account, click the “receive” option. Identify your university or college and select the university and department from whom you are requesting the documents
- ◆ Pay the mailing cost online
- ◆ eShipGlobal will route the request to Vincennes University
- ◆ Receive your I-20 in approximately one week, anywhere in the world
- ◆ Be sure to send us a completed application and all required documents. Your acceptance letter and I-20 will not be mailed until you have submitted all the required documents and they have been approved.

**Past Education**

Name of secondary school (high school): \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Have you attended any other universities?  Yes  No If yes:

Name of school	dates attended
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Please contact us for instructions if you intend to transfer any previous college course credits to VU.

**Education Information**

You are not required to submit a proof of English proficiency (i.e. TOEFL) for admission. However, you will be required to take an English Proficiency Test upon arrival. If you do not achieve a satisfactory score (527 Paper TOEFL) you will be required to take at least one semester of full-time ESL classes (16 credit hours). You must pass the ESL program successfully before being allowed to take any regular college courses related to your major.

**When do you plan to begin classes?**

Fall (August) \_\_\_\_\_  
(year)

Spring (January) \_\_\_\_\_  
(year)

**Housing Information**

Information and application forms for housing (dormitory) will be sent to you once you have been accepted. Please take time now to familiarize yourself with our housing options. All students who are first year and under age 21 are required to live on campus for their first year. Information can be found at <http://www.vinu.edu/housing>

Dormitory contracts are for one full academic year and require a deposit of \$150.00. Private rooms are available but very limited. If you have a particular choice for a dorm or want a private room, you will need to fax your housing contract to the Housing Office. In addition, you will need to fax in your bank/credit card information in order to reserve your room. Please note that private rooms have an additional \$400.00 down payment required. Students also have the option of signing the housing contract and paying their deposit once they arrive on campus.

**Health Insurance Requirement and Information**

Please read the following important information regarding health insurance:

- Health insurance is **required** for all international students.
- VU recommends **ISO Student Health Insurance, COMPASS Silver plan** which provides basic coverage for illness. For details, please see: [http://isoa.org/compass\\_main.aspx](http://isoa.org/compass_main.aspx)
- When you arrive at our campus, you must have money prepared to purchase insurance for one academic year. This will not be part of your student school bill (cost information is for 2010 and is subject to change):
  - ◆ Under age 25: \$303
  - ◆ Age 25-29: \$420
  - ◆ Age 30-65: \$753
- If a student purchases their own policy in their home country before coming, it must meet our minimum requirements and proof must be shown in English. For details, please see <http://www.vinu.edu/international>

**Consent for Medical Care for Students Under 18 Years Old**

If a student is under 18 years old, hospitals and doctors will be reluctant to treat or care for the child without consent from a parent or legal guardian. The school nurse will keep this form on file in the event of an emergency.

Parent/Guardian Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*"I hereby give permission for any and all medical attention to be administered to my child, in the event of accident, injury, sickness, etc. under the direction of an attending physician or the Vincennes University nurse."*

Child's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
month day year

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child (father, mother, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

**Have Questions?**

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## Major/Program of Study

Scholarship priority is given to math and science programs listed below. Others will be considered on a case by case basis. All other programs of study and their corresponding numbers can be found online at <http://vinu.edu/majors>

Title of Major/Program of Study: \_\_\_\_\_ Number (see listing below): \_\_\_\_\_

4030	Agriculture	4340	Engineering, Computer	4600	Mathematics
4060	Biology	4301	Engineering, Food Process	4690	Medical Technology
4064	Biotechnology	4390	Engineering, Mechanical	4720	Medicine, pre
4510	Biotechnology Lab Ass't	4270	Engineering, Agriculture	4750	Natural Resources and Environmental Science
4090	Chemistry	4570	Engineering	4692	Nuclear Medical Technology
4540	Chemistry, Lab Ass't	4360	Engineering, Electrical	4780	Occupational Therapy
4120	Chemistry Teacher	4750	Environmental Health Science	4810	Optometry, pre
4061	Chiropractic, pre	4031	Food Science	4830	Pharmacy, pre
4601	Computer Science	4752	Forensic Science	4831	Pharmacy Technician
4180	Dental Hygiene	4420	Forestry & Conservation	4062	Physical Therapy, pre
4210	Dentistry, pre	4450	Geography	4063	Physician Assistant, pre
4240	Earth Sciences	4480	Geology	4860	Physics
4320	Engineering, Biomedical	4491	Hazardous Materials	4880	Remote Sensing
4300	Engineering, Chemical	4660	Health Information Admin	4890	Veterinary, pre
4330	Engineering, Civil	4602	Math, High School Teacher		

## Education Credentials

The following information will be used to evaluate your credentials for the Hong Kong-VU Scholarship. Please indicate if you have taken any of the following examinations. For each one that you have taken, provide a copy of the document showing your results.

\_\_\_\_\_ HKCEE      Score: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ TOEFL      Score: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ SAT      Score: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Other      Name and Score: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*ESSAY\***: Please attach a maximum 500 word essay in English that describes your academic interest and why you would like to study at Vincennes University.

## Student Signature

**This application must be signed by the applicant (student). By signing below, you certify that all information in this application is correct and complete.**

Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Mailing Instructions

Mail application and all required materials (see checklist on page 1) to the address below:

Before May 1st:

Institute of International Education/China - Hong Kong  
Room 601 General Commerce Building  
156-164 Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong

After May 1st:

Vincennes University  
Admissions Office  
1002 N. First Street  
Vincennes, IN 47591  
FAX: 812-888-5707  
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