

J-2 Dependent Biographical Information Form

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Please complete a dependent biographical information form for each dependent DS-2019 request.

J-1 Scholar Name (Last Name, First Name):

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Dependent Family (Last) Name

Dependent Given (First) Name

Sex
Male
Female

Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year)

City, Country of Birth

Country of Permanent Residence

Country of Citizenship

Relationship to J-1 Scholar
Spouse
Child (unmarried, under 21 years old)

US VISA HISTORY

If the dependent is currently in the U.S., please indicate status ("N/A" if not in the U.S.).

If currently in the U.S., will they leave before the start of the J program?
Yes
No

In the previous 24 months, has the dependent been in the U.S. in J-1 or J-2 status?
Yes (Please include all previous DS-2019s)
No

FORM SUBMISSION & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

By submitting this form, you are confirming that all information submitted (in form responses and supporting documents) is true and correct to the best of your knowledge.

The dependent minimum funding requirement is \$500/month for a spouse and \$300/month for each child. Please include funding documents that meet this requirement (in addition to the \$1600/month for the scholar).

There is a \$410 charge for initial spouse DS-2019 requests and a \$200 charge for extension requests. According to UC Merced finance guidance, this fee must be paid directly to OIA by the scholar.

Please submit the following documents with this form:

Copy of current passport

Copy of all previous DS-2019s

Copy of current I-94 and visa (for extensions and transfers)

Funding documents (if necessary)