Applicants to Coastal Carolina University who are a citizen/resident of a country or constituent country that has a special relationship with our state enables you to be awarded a waiver that will provide a substantial reduction in the costs associated with attendance at Coastal Carolina University. Based on 2016 - 2017 tuition rates, the value for undergraduates of the sister-state out-of-state tuition waiver is $14,244 for the academic year. For graduate students, the value of the waiver is $8,118 (based on 9 hours per semester) for the academic year. This opportunity will continue as long as your country/constituent remains a sister-state and you make satisfactory progress toward your academic degree. Eligible students must also enroll full-time each major term. Having this opportunity also means that you will have to certify a lower amount of financial resources to support your student visa application.

If you elect to enter Coastal Carolina University under the sister-state agreement, you will **not** be eligible to receive further incoming merit/academic-based international scholarships (ones awarded at admissions stage). **However,** the value of the sister-state agreement is higher than our merit-based international scholarships. However, you may apply for application-based scholarships that you are eligible for. Please visit [https://www.coastal.edu/admissionsaid/scholarships](https://www.coastal.edu/admissionsaid/scholarships)

In order to verify your citizenship and residency and create for you the proper financial documentation you will need to provide for your visa support documentation, please provide the following your documentation to the Office of Admissions at internationaladmissions@coastal.edu or 100 Chanticleer Drive E. Conway, SC 29526 (please refer to table) and signed form (see attached).

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In addition, please provide your confidential financial affidavit if you haven’t already. Please be sure on your CCU confidential financial affidavit, which you submit for your I-20, to fill out the line item referencing the sister-state agreement.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at aewilliam@coastal.edu or +1-843-349-2521. I offer my best wishes for your success at Coastal Carolina University and look forward to having you join our educational community.

Sincerely,

Amy Williams
Office of International Admissions and Recruitment
Coastal Carolina University
Coastal Carolina University recognizes that students from certain countries and states within countries will qualify for a special tuition rate provided they are able to provide proper documentation proving their citizenship and residency.

It is understood by the student that they will not receive any additional international merit scholarship or transfer scholarship awarded at the time of admissions, due to receiving of the sister-state special tuition. By signing of this form, you are claiming to be a citizen and resident of one of the following and have provided required documentation to the Office of Admissions including passport photo page and other acceptable forms of residency.

- Aruba
- Rhineland-Palatinate/Rhineland-Pfalz, Germany
- Thuringen, Germany
- Brandenburg, Germany
- Queensland, Australia
- Taiwan, Republic of China

Print Name: __________________________

Signed Name: __________________________

Date: __________________________

Approved by CCU Sr. Assistant Director of International Recruitment &Admissions

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