

PLEASE ATTACH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- A brief essay (300-500 words) stating your reasons for wanting to study at the University of Southern Maine. How will this period of study contribute to your program?
- A statement from your advisor supporting your program of study at the University of Southern Maine.
- Proof of English Proficiency if your coursework abroad is not taught in English:

Acceptable methods of documenting English proficiency include:*

- TOEFL
- IELTS
- J-Check
- In some instances the home school may be able to complete an *English Proficiency Report* on behalf of the student.

* For information on any of these proficiency methods please contact the USM International Office.

- Documentation of Sufficient Funding
- An academic transcript from your College or University listing the courses you will have taken prior to your enrollment at USM. (*This is extremely important as we must be able to verify that you have completed any necessary pre-requisites for upper level courses*).
- A copy of the biographic page of your passport.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided is correct.

Signature

Date

Maine State Law requires all individuals born after December 31, 1956 who plan to enroll in a degree program or plan to take 12 or more credit hours, to show proof of immunity against measles, mumps, rubella, diphtheria, and tetanus before registering for classes. Additional information concerning this law will be sent to you upon acceptance of your application.

Documents May be sent Via E-Mail To:

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