

Institutional Aid and Government Sponsorship for International Students & Students with Dual Citizenship

ADM 21.0

Student Financial Services & Office of International Admissions

Policy Type: Administrative

Applies to: International students and students with dual citizenship that may be government sponsored.

POLICY DATES (required)

New policy consideration for fall 2017 and beyond.

Currently, there is no financial aid policy for international students and students with dual citizenship that could receive full or partial funding from a government scholarship program that would allow Mount Union to reduce or eliminate institutional financial aid awarded at the time of admission. Also, for students who could lose government sponsorship, there is no policy in place for those students to petition to receive institutional financial aid.

Table of Contents (optional; suggested for documents 8-10 pages or longer)

Definitions (optional; suggested for terms that have specialized meaning in the policy)

Term	Definition
Government Sponsorship	Students that receive full or partial tuition scholarships from a government run scholarship program.

Policy Details – Proposed New Policy (to go into effect for fall 2017):

International students and students with dual citizenship to other countries that are admitted to Mount Union may be eligible for institutional financial aid from the University, if the student does not have a government sponsor (students that receive full or partial tuition scholarships from their government are considered government sponsored). Students who were awarded institutional aid, but become eligible to receive government sponsorship will have their institutional financial aid reduced or eliminated. In addition, students who have government sponsorship, but lose it, can be considered for institutional financial aid. The student must appeal to the Office of International Admission no later than 3 weeks of the change in circumstance to be eligible for any institutional financial aid. Please note: financial aid is not guaranteed. Any financial aid that could be awarded will be based on your credentials from when you were admitted to Mount Union (i.e. the term you began).

Responsibilities (required)

Position or Office	Responsibilities
Director of Student Financial Services	Awards and processes financial aid.
Director of International Admissions	Awards financial aid at the time of admission.

Contacts (required)

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Any	Office of International Admissions	Ext. 7493	admission@mountunion.edu