

BERKLEE COLLEGE OF MUSIC

2008-2009 INTERNATIONAL GRANT APPLICATION

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You must have completed at least two semesters at Berklee to apply. Awards are based on:

- Your financial resources, including Berklee scholarships
- Full-time enrollment (12 credits or more by the end of the Add/Drop period for each semester)
- Your grade level (determined by the amount of credits you have earned at the time the application is reviewed).

Students closest to graduation will receive priority consideration.

If you would like a counselor in the Office of Financial Aid to review your application for completion, please make an appointment with the Office of Financial Aid at least one week prior to due date.

I am submitting the following:

- 2007 income/tax verification for you (and spouse, if married):** W-2 form(s), US tax return, and/or a copy of a foreign tax return for the time period January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007. If tax returns do not exist in your country, or have not yet been filed, please submit a signed statement in English from employer(s) documenting wages earned from January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007. All documents must be completely translated into English and completely converted to US dollars.
- 2007 income/tax verification for your parent(s):** a copy of a foreign tax return and/or pension verification for the time period January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007. If tax returns do not exist in your country, or have not yet been filed, please submit a signed statement in English from employer(s) documenting wages earned from January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007. All documents must be completely translated into English and completely converted to US dollars. All applicants must provide parental data.
- Berklee International Grant Application:** You (and spouse, if married) and your parent(s) (and spouse(s), if re-married) must complete and sign this form. There are no exceptions.

This is a four page form. All pages must be completed fully. Do not leave any blanks. You may fax applications to (617) 747-2073.

FILING DEADLINES: Due to limited funding, we cannot review late or incomplete applications.

- For Summer 2008 **March 28, 2008**
- For Fall 2008 **June 13, 2008**
- For Spring 2009 **October 24, 2008**

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name							
LAST	FIRST	MIDDLE					
Berklee ID #	Current Grade Level	Email					
STREET ADDRESS		CITY					
COUNTRY	POSTAL CODE	TELEPHONE					
STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX		CITY	STATE	ZIP			
Gender	Date of Birth	Country of Citizenship					
Marital Status: Single	<input type="radio"/>	Married	<input type="radio"/>	Divorced/Separated	<input type="radio"/>	Widowed	<input type="radio"/>
Program: Degree	<input type="radio"/>	Diploma	<input type="radio"/>	Expected date of graduation?	/		

FAMILY INFORMATION

Parents' marital status Married/Re-Married Single/Divorced and Not Re-Married Widowed

If parents are divorced, which parent provides greater financial support to you? Father Mother

(This parent is considered the custodial parent for application purposes.)

If the custodial parent is re-married, you must list financial information for the custodial parent's spouse.

Father's Name Age

Father's Occupation Employer

Mother's Name Age

Mother's Occupation Employer

Step-Father's Name Age

Step-Father's Occupation Employer

Step-Mother's Name Age

Step-Mother's Occupation Employer

How many people, including you, are dependent upon the family income?

For each person living in your parent(s)' household and dependent upon parent(s)' income, complete the following information.

Include:

- yourself (and spouse, if married).
- your parents.
- your parent(s)' other children if they will get more than half their support from your parents between 7/1/2008 and 6/30/2009.
- other people if they live with **and** will get more than half their support from your parents between 7/1/2008 and 6/30/2009.

	Full Name	Age	Relationship	Name of <i>Undergraduate</i> College or University Attending 2008- 2009 School Year*
1.			Self	Berklee College of Music
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				

* Must be attending *undergraduate* college *half-time or more* (at least 6 credits per semester) in 2008-2009 academic year.

INCOME INFORMATION: Attach documentation

What is the present rate of exchange to U.S. dollars of your country's currency? = \$1 US

If income and/or asset verification provided on this application is different from information provided on your most recent visa application, please explain:

Enter your family's total yearly income in U.S. dollars. Attach income verification (see page one) to support the amounts you list below.

The primary source of your family income is from: Salary Business/Farm
 Other Please explain: _____

Income Source	Actual 2007 Income
Father's wages	US\$
Mother's wages	US\$
Step-Father's wages	US\$
Step-Mother's Wages	US\$
Pension/retirement Income	US\$
Other income – explain	US\$
Your wages (<i>include Berklee work study</i>)	US\$
Your Spouse's wages	US\$
Total	US\$
Annual parent income taxes paid	US\$
Annual student/spouse income taxes paid	US\$

ASSET INFORMATION: Please be accurate. Documentation may be requested.

Asset Source	Present Value	Amount Still Owed
Cash/checking and savings accounts	US\$	-----
Family Home	-----	-----
<i>Other Land/buildings – not family home</i>	US\$	US\$
Investments (stocks/bonds)	US\$	US\$
Business or farm	US\$	US\$
Other (please explain)	US\$	US\$
Do you or your family have assets in a country other than your own? (Include above) Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>		
Value in US\$	Country in which assets are held:	

OTHER ASSISTANCE

What, if any, are the current government restrictions on exchanging or taking money out of your country for undergraduate study abroad?

Please indicate how you have financed your tuition, fees, and living expenses while attending Berklee in the past:

How has this changed?

Do you have a source of emergency funds in the United States? Yes No

If yes, list value US\$ _____ Source: _____

Do you have a sponsor for the 2008-2009 academic year (Summer 2008, Fall 2008, Spring 2009)?
 Yes No

If yes, how much do you expect to receive in total? US\$ _____

List the agencies/foundations/governments to which you have applied for aid for the 2008-2009 year:
 Do not include application for Berklee scholarship.

Agency/Foundation/ Government	Application Date	Notification Date	Amount Expected
			US\$
			US\$

CERTIFICATION

WARNING: Providing false information may jeopardize a student's visa status and/or enrollment and financial aid status at the Berklee College of Music.

We declare that the information reported on this form is true, correct, and complete.

Student Signature	Date Signed
Spouse Signature	Date Signed
Father Signature	Date Signed
Mother Signature	Date Signed

Remember to attach income documentation with English translation and U.S. dollar conversion. Decision notifications are usually sent three weeks after the application deadline. If currently enrolled, notification is sent the email address you have on file with Berklee. If not enrolled, notification will be sent to email address you provided on this application. **Forms submitted to the Berklee College of Music Financial Aid Office will not be returned.**

Please use the section below to add any comments/explanations regarding the questions above or any special circumstances you feel we should consider in judging the amount of assistance available to you.
