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# TIF STUDENT APPLICATION

## TUSCALOOSA'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS (TIF) STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

Placement with a TIF Friendship Family is limited to undergraduate and graduate international students in their first year of study at the University of Alabama, Stillman College, or Shelton State Community College.

A friendship family is a local family who will assist you in learning about American culture and life in Tuscaloosa. Additionally, partnering with a Friendship Family is a chance for you to share your culture and customs with American families in Tuscaloosa.

Your assigned Friendship Family will phone or e-mail messages to you and become friends with you. You will be invited to attend T.I.F. events sponsored for your enjoyment and participation. Please respond to communications from your friendship family and Capstone International. Through friendship and sharing, we hope that your time in Tuscaloosa will be more enjoyable.

### REQUEST A FRIENDSHIP FAMILY NOW!

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please complete the following information and return application to Capstone International Services, 105 B.B. Comer Hall. The information you provide will be shared with Tuscaloosa's International Friends. **PLEASE TYPE INFORMATION.**

TODAY'S DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ University ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Family Name (Surname) Given Name (First) Middle Name (if any)

Local Address (apartment or dorm, not PO Box): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender:  Male  Female How long have you been in the U.S.?: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you married?  Yes  No If yes, is your spouse with you?  Yes  No

Do you have any children?  Yes  No

If yes, names and ages of children with you: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution Where You Study:  University of Alabama  Stillman College  Shelton State Community College

Level of Study:  Undergraduate  Master's  Doctorate

Major Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Language(s) you speak: \_\_\_\_\_

Home City and Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies and Activities You Enjoy:  Sports  Outdoor Activities  Reading  Watching Movies  Music

Dance  Art  Cooking  Other (Please list): \_\_\_\_\_