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This free preview presents the book's cover, description and complete table of contents. The chapters, planning tools and funding directory are available in the full edition.

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About the book

Thinking about studying in the United States, but unsure where to begin? **Study in America** helps you turn that ambition into a practical plan, from choosing a program and researching funding to preparing for arrival and making the most of university life.

What you will find inside

- Clear explanations of colleges, universities, degrees, admission requirements and application documents.
- Guidance on comparing programs, choosing a city and building a realistic budget.
- A funding research directory covering **218 institutions across all 50 states and the District of Columbia**.
- Steps for reviewing admission offers, preparing student documents, arranging travel and finding housing.
- Advice on academic success, communication, internships, authorized employment and longer-term planning.
- Practical worksheets, customizable message templates and official links in the full edition.

Who is this book for

Prospective students and their families, as well as students who already have an offer and want to understand what comes next. The guide explains unfamiliar U.S. terms in plain English and uses examples from different countries.

The directory is a starting point for research, not a guarantee of scholarships or eligibility. Admission, visas, employment authorization and permanent residence have separate requirements. Check official sources for your circumstances and application cycle.

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