

Resource Guide for IIT International Students

Bank Accounts & Prepaid Credit Cards

OPEN A BANK ACCOUNT WITHOUT A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

Harris Bank

Customer Service:

<http://www4.harrisbank.com/>

1-800-546-6101

Location:

111 W. Monroe St. #1200, Chicago, IL, (312) 461-2121

To find a different branch, please go to:

http://www4.harrisbank.com/popup/0,4467,359877_468653.00.html?pChannelId=468653

Documents Required:

(1) IIT Student ID

(2) Passport

(3) Non-Resident Alien Customer Agreement Form (also known as W8-BEN Form).

This form can be picked up at a Harris Bank branch or downloaded from their website

<http://www.harrisdirect.com/dnload.htm?page=frms>

Bank One

Customer Service:

<http://www.bankone.com/BolHome.aspx>

1-877-226-5663 (English), 1-888-226-5663 (Spanish), 1-888-663-4833 (TDD)

Location:

3500 S King Dr, Chicago, IL 60653, (312) 326-2590

757 W 35th St, Chicago, IL 60616, (773) 927-5033

To find a different branch, please go to:

http://bankone.infonow.net/bin/findNow?CLIENT_ID=BANK_ONE_BRANCH_USA

Documents Required:

(1) IIT Student ID

(2) Passport

(3) Non-Resident Alien Customer Agreement Form (also known as W8-BEN Form).

Please visit or contact Bank One to request this form.

Citibank

Customer Service:

<http://www.citibank.com/us/>

English: 1-800-374-9700, TTY: 1-800-788-0002

Español: 1-800-374-9700, TTY: 1-800-788-0002

Location:

3430 S. Halsted, Chicago, IL 60608, (773) 523-2800

To find a different branch, please visit their website, <http://www.citibank.com/us/>

Documents Required:

(1) IIT Student ID

(2) An enrollment letter from IIT-International Center

(3) Passport

(4) Non-Resident Alien Customer Agreement Form (also known as W8-BEN Form).

Please visit or contact Citibank to request this form.

APPLY FOR A CREDIT CARD WITHOUT A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

Radio Shack

Card Type:

Green Dot Prepaid MasterCard

<http://www.radioshack.com/Partners/credit/default.asp?hmln=credit#green>

Customer Service:

1-800-THE-SHACK (1-800-843-7422)

Notes:

SSN & credit check not required. Students can purchase prepaid cards online (debit card required) or at a Radio Shack retail store.

Western Union

Card Type:

Western Union Prepaid MasterCard Card

http://www.westernunion.com/info/osprepaidmc.asp?ppmcsrc=goog&term=prepaid_credit_card

Customer Service:

1-866-813-4052

Notes:

SSN & credit check not required. Students can purchase prepaid cards over the phone (debit card required) or at a Western Union store.

American Express

Card Type:

American Express Gift Card, The TravelFunds® Card

<https://www124.americanexpress.com/cards/selector/#prepaidCards>

Customer Service:

1-800-528-4800

Notes:

SSN & credit check not required. Students can purchase prepaid cards online or over the phone. Students need to have a debit card to purchase a prepaid card.