

Instructions:

Please complete and submit this form in a sealed envelope.

**Awards & Financial Aid Office, 202 Pigiarvik
Carleton University, 1125 Colonel By Drive, Ottawa, ON, K1S 5B6
Email: Awards@carleton.ca**

Personal Information		
Last Name		First Name
		Carleton Student / Applicant number
Citizenship Status		Social Security Number (SSN)
<input type="checkbox"/> American <input type="checkbox"/> Dual American/Canadian <input type="checkbox"/> Other		
I hold a	Date of Birth:	Email Address:
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Diplomatic Visa		
Canadian Address (while attending Carleton University):		
Street	City/Town	Province Postal Code
American Address:		
Street	City/Town	State Zip Code
Academic Information		
Bachelor Degree	Master's Degree	PhD Degree
Program name	Major or concentration	Program Year (eg. Yr1, Yr2, Y3, Y4)
I have or will be registering full time for the following academic sessions		
Fall term (SEPT - DEC) Year:	Winter term (JAN - APRIL) Year:	Summer term (MAY - AUG) Year:
Funding Information / Loan Profile		
I am a first time U.S. student loan borrower:	Requested Loan Type(s): (Check all that apply)	I am requesting a letter of anticipated aid for my student VISA application.
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Subsidized Loans (undergraduate only) <input type="checkbox"/> Unsubsidized Loans <input type="checkbox"/> Parent PLUS Loans (dependent student) <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate PLUS Loans (graduate only)	Deadline: _____
Please indicate the amount of income you expect to receive during the study period from the following		
Scholarships: \$ _____	RA: \$ _____	Other awards (please specify): \$ _____
Bursaries: \$ _____	TA: \$ _____	
Will you be going on exchange for this academic year?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

To be considered for U.S. Direct Loans, you must:

- ✓ Complete the **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**. Ensure that you specify Carleton University as the institution you wish to attend.
Carleton's federal school code is: G08368
 - ✓ Complete and E-sign a **Master Promissory Note (MPN)**. Parents borrowing funds through a Direct PLUS loan for Parents must also complete a Master Promissory
 - ✓ All first time borrowers must participate in student on-line entrance counseling. If this is your first student loan, please complete the **Direct Loan Entrance Counseling** module.
 - ✓ Complete and E-sign the **Annual Student Loan Acknowledgment**
 - ✓ Once the Awards & Financial Aid Office at Carleton University has determined your eligibility, **you will be contacted via email concerning all pertinent information related to the administration and processing of your U.S. Direct Loans.**
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- Yes, I have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Application online
 - Yes, I have completed a US Direct Subsidized/Unsubsidized Loan Master Promissory Note (MPN) online with the US address that matches my completed FAFSA. **Note: this online MPN process must be completed for each academic year that US Direct Loan funding is requested**
 - Yes, I have completed the US Parent Plus Loan Master Promissory Note (if applicable)
 - Yes, I have completed Entrance Counselling online for my application for US Direct Loans at Carleton University *Note: This is a one-time only requirement for first time borrowers of the US Direct Loan program.*
 - Yes, I have completed the Annual Student Loan Acknowledgment

Important Information:

1. Students in receipt of U.S. Direct Loans are required to maintain **satisfactory academic progress**.
2. Changes to course load, including dropping a course or withdrawal, may result in ineligibility for all or part of your student loan funding (refer to **Return of Title IV Funds Policy**)
3. The Higher Education Reconciliation Act (HERA) specifies that a program offered by a foreign school that uses telecommunications as a method of delivery is not eligible for student loan funds. "Telecommunications" is defined as "the use of television, audio, or computer transmission, including open broadcast, closed circuit, cable, microwave, or satellite, audio conferencing, computer conferencing, or video cassettes or discs." At Carleton University, this includes courses via CUTV, Tapes to You Service and Carleton University OnLine (CUOL). **Students must carefully consider which courses they register in to comply with the legislation and to maintain their eligibility for student loan funding.**

Student's Declaration and Signature:

- ◆ I declare that I am not enrolled in or plan to take any study abroad opportunities at a US institution or a non-Title IV eligible institution during the term/s for which I am applying for funding. Participation in any such study abroad opportunities disqualifies me for funding.
- ◆ I declare that I am not enrolled in or plan to take any distance education or online courses during the term/s for which I am applying for funding. Participation in distance education and online courses disqualifies me for funding.
- ◆ I understand that if I am eligible to receive US Direct Loan funds, Subsidized, Unsubsidized, Parent Plus or Graduate Plus Carleton University will first apply the loan disbursements towards outstanding tuition/miscellaneous fees on my Carleton Student Account. If at that point my fees have been paid, and I am entitled to any refunds that are generated by the disbursement, I can request the refund through Carleton Central and it will be issued to me by the Business Office:
- ◆ I declare that the above information is true and accurate. I understand that I must inform the Awards & Financial Aid Office at Carleton University of any change in my circumstances, including but not limited to changes in enrolment, student status, awards, academic probation, living arrangements, contact information, etc. I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to read and understand the Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) and Return of Title IV Funds Policies.

Student's signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's signature: _____ Date: _____

(Required only if receiving parent plus loan)

For further information, please contact:

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email: awards@carleton.ca (please reference U.S. Student Aid in the email subject line)

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