

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH AT BRADFORD

FINANCIAL AID OFFICE, 300 CAMPUS DRIVE, BRADFORD PA 16701

2011-2012 Financial Aid Acceptance Form

Name: _____

Student ID: _____

Cell #: _____

Email Address: _____

Housing: Please indicate your housing plans for the 2011-2012 academic year*:

- University Housing
- Off Campus (paying rent/mortgage and not living w/ parents)
- Commuting from parent home

***Note to Students:** Your at-entry merit scholarship is predicated on full time enrollment, ability to maintain a cumulative 2.25 GPA, and housing status. If you drop below full time or fail to maintain the required GPA, your scholarship will be removed from your award. If your housing status has changed, you also may no longer be eligible for the scholarship originally awarded.

FERPA Agreement-

You MUST complete this entire section. If the answer is not applicable to you please answer with N/A. According to FERPA regulations we cannot discuss your financial aid information with anyone other than you without your express release. (please refer to the online "Your Official Guide to Financial Aid 2011-2012")

Password: Please provide us with a password of your choice that will allow us to identify you when you call in or if you do not have your ID when you stop into the Financial Aid office.

This is an important financial aid form. It confirms and/or adjusts information on your Award Notice. For detailed information about your Award Notice go to www.upb.pitt.edu/financialaid/forms.aspx and click on "Your Guide to Financial Aid" under the heading 2011-2012.

	Fall 2011	Spring 2012
12 or more credits (F)		
9-11 credits (T)		
6-8 credits (H)		
5 or less credits (L)		
Will not enroll (N)		

- I plan to graduate from Pitt-Bradford in Dec. 2011.

Anticipated Enrollment-(Please mark the box corresponding to the NUMBER of credits you plan to enroll in each term. Assume three (3) credits per class). Please be advised, the Financial Aid Office assumes **full time status** unless otherwise indicated below. If enrollment changes, the Financial Aid Office WILL adjust your aid accordingly after the last day to drop classes. If any refund was received, you may owe funds back to the University.

I grant permission for members of the University of Pittsburgh at Bradford faculty, staff, and administration to release non-directory information pertaining to my student records to those person (s) listed below. This includes, but is not limited to, information pertaining to student classification, financial aid, grades, and compliance with academic and institutional policies and procedures. This release remains effective as long as I am enrolled as a student at the University of Pittsburgh at Bradford or until I otherwise notify the Office of Enrollment Services.

Student's Name

FA Password

Signature of Student

Name of person (s) who may receive information pertaining to the above student *(For example, your parent or other family member.)*

On the reverse side is information that refers to your financial aid award. Please read each option carefully and answer each question as it pertains to you and your financial needs.

To avoid delays in processing, answer all questions that pertain to you.

The information on this side of the form references your financial aid award notice. Please read carefully and answer each question as it pertains to you and your financial needs.

FEDERAL DIRECT STAFFORD LOAN: The Office of Financial Aid has pre-certified the Federal Direct Stafford Loan for the maximum amount you are eligible for. Please refer to the online “Your Official Guide to Financial Aid 2011-2012” to determine your Federal Direct Stafford Loan eligibility.

Initial the box that applies to your situation.

	I accept the Federal Direct Stafford Loan as it appears on my Award Notice and will complete the MPN and Entrance Counseling immediately.
	I do not wish to borrow the FEDERAL DIRECT STAFFORD.
	Being the conscientious borrower I am, I only want to borrow \$ _____ in Federal Direct Stafford Loan proceeds, please REDUCE the amount that was initially certified.
	I am eligible to borrow more than the amount listed on my Award Notice due to college credits earned/level eligibility and I wish to INCREASE my Federal Direct Stafford Loan to \$ _____.

FEDERAL PERKINS LOAN: This loan is a need-based loan and is not awarded to all students, if you do not see this loan on your Award Notice, SKIP this box. Please refer to the online “Your Official Guide to Financial Aid 2011-2012.”

	I ACCEPT the Federal Perkins Loan as it appears on my Award Notice and will complete the required MPN within two (2) weeks of receiving the email notification to do so. NOTE: If MPN is not completed within 2 weeks of receipt of the email, this award may be cancelled.
	I was offered the Federal Perkins Loan on my Award Notice and I wish to DECLINE this offer.

FEDERAL WORK STUDY: This is a need based award, not all students are eligible. If Federal Work Study is not listed on your Award Notice, SKIP this box. An award of Federal Work Study is not a guarantee of a position – positions are filled at the discretion of individual departments. Please refer to the online “Your Official Guide to Financial Aid 2011-2012.”

	I will ACCEPT the offer of Federal Work Study and I understand that the amount listed on my Award Notice will NOT be deducted from my student account.
	I was offered Federal Work Study on my Award Notice and I wish to DECLINE this offer.

OUTSIDE AID: If you are the recipient of a tuition benefit/reimbursement (ex. UPMC, Pitt), scholarship/grant from a source not listed on your Award Notice, or an education related loan that does not require school certification for the 2011-2012 school year, report the department, organization, or agency and the amount you will receive each term (eg, all fall or split fall/spring). **Do not include any items that are on you Award Notice.**

NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP/GRANT/DTC LOAN	FALL DOLLAR VALUE	SPRING DOLLAR VALUE
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

Student Certification – YOU MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION

I certify that all the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If asked by an authorized official, I agree to give proof of the information that I have given on this form. I realize that if I am selected for verification it is a requirement to submit a signed copy of my (and my parents’/spouse, if applicable) 2010 federal tax return, W2’s and all schedules. I realize that if I do not give proof when asked, I may not get financial aid and that incorrect information may result in aid being reduced or cancelled with repayment due from me and/or my family to the University.

Student Signature _____

Date _____

Name (PRINT CLEARLY) _____

Student ID# _____

Last 4 of SSN _____