DIRECT PLUS LOAN FORM

STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE/CERTIFICATION STATEMENT ON REFUNDS AND DEFAULT/STATEMENT OF REGISTRATION STATUS/DRUG STATUS/CITIZENSHIP

Note: The U.S. Department of Education will notify the Financial Aid Office once the Master Promissory Note has been completed and credit check approved.

Federal Government regulations require all families who choose to take out a Federal Direct PLUS Loan to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

The below statement has been incorporated from the FAFSA. Students whose parents wish to apply for a Federal Direct PLUS Loan are required to submit this form before any PLUS Loan can be certified by the Skidmore Office of Financial Aid. As with the FAFSA, this form must be completed each year a family wishes to borrow.

As a student, I certify that I do not owe a refund on any Federal grant or loan, am not in default on any loan or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay any defaulted Federal loan, and have not borrowed in excess of the Federal loan limits under the Title IV programs at any institution. I will use Title IV money received only for expenses related to my educational expenses at Skidmore College.

I have not been convicted for the possession or sale of illegal drugs for an offense that occurred while I was receiving federal aid (such as grants, loans or work-study).

By signing this form, I also certify that I am a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen (copy of alien registration card must be submitted with this form) and have registered for Selective Service or am not required to register because I am female, or I am in the armed services on active duty, or have not yet reached my 18th birthday, or am a citizen of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Marshal Islands, or a permanent resident of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Palau).

As a parent (custodial or non-custodial), I certify that I do not owe a refund on any Federal grant, am not in default on any Federal loan or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay any defaulted Federal loan, and have not borrowed in excess of loan limits under Title IV programs at any institution. I will use the PLUS loan only for my child's educational expenses at Skidmore College. By signing this form I certify that I am a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen (copy of alien registration card must be submitted with this form). I also certify that the Federal government does not hold a judgement lien on any property in my possession.

Student's Name (Please Print)		SSN	
	Alien Registration Number A		if an eligible non-citizen.
Student's Signature		Date	
Parent Borrower's Name (Please Print)		SSN	
	Alien Registration Number A		if an eligible non-citizen.
Parent's Signature		Date	
Academic Yea	Requested	Requested Amount \$	

Please return completed form to the Office of Financial Aid. Once the form is received, along with your FAFSA and notification from the U.S. Department of Education that the credit check has been approved and the Master Promissory Note is completed, the loan will be certified. Thank you.



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