



Summer 2011 Financial Aid Application for Graduate Students

This application will determine your financial aid options for enrollment during Summer Term 2011. In most cases your Notification of Award will be sent to you electronically at your UST email address.

Student Name: _____ UST ID: _____

Phone Number: _____

Summer Enrollment Details

Indicate the school or department in which you will be enrolled for the 2011 summer period.

- Arts and Sciences (Art History, English, Music, Catholic Studies)
- Business
- Divinity
- Education
- Law
- Social Work
- Software and Engineering
- Psychology

Indicate the number of summer credits that you are registered for. ****Financial Aid will NOT be determined until you are officially registered in all of your summer courses.**

___ credits

If you will be studying abroad please provide the details about your approved study abroad program.

Study Abroad Program Name: _____

My signature below certifies that I have a 2010-2011 FAFSA on file with the Financial Aid Office and I have read and understand the Summer Financial Aid Guidelines.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail/fax this form to: University of St. Thomas
Financial Aid Office, AQU 328
2115 Summit Ave
St. Paul, MN 55105
Phone: 651-962-6550
Fax: 651-962-6599

This form can also be delivered to: Minneapolis Campus Services
Terrence Murphy Hall, Suite 201
Graduate Financial Aid Office
1000 LaSalle Ave
Minneapolis, MN 55403



Summer 2011 Financial Aid Guidelines and Information for Graduate Students

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Registration: If you are taking classes at St. Thomas you **MUST** be registered for your credits before any financial aid eligibility will be determined.

How will I be notified about my financial aid options: In most cases communication to you about your financial aid options will be sent to your UST email address. You will need to access Murphy Online to view your Summer Notification of Award.

Study Abroad: If you are studying abroad you must have approval from the UST International Education/Study Abroad Office and have the approval from your academic program before any financial aid award will be determined. You can contact the UST International Education Office at 651-962-6450.

Cost of Attendance Budget: Your summer financial aid budget will be created to include tuition based on the number of credits you are registered for, a book allowance and a weekly living allowance as dictated by your period of enrollment. Tuition rates for summer may be found on our Web site.

Federal Direct Loans: To be eligible for federal loans you must have a 2010-2011 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on file with the Financial Aid Office. In addition, you must be admitted as a degree-seeking or certificate-seeking student and be enrolled at least half-time. Half-time enrollment for the summer term is defined as enrolled in at least 3 credits.

*If you are awarded and would like to borrow the **Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan** you must complete the Summer 2011 Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Application and Credit Authorization and return it to our office. The form can be found on our Web site at www.stthomas.edu/financialaid/graduate in the forms section.

Private Educational Loans: If you are awarded a Private Educational Loan you must initiate the preapproval/application process by applying online with a lender of your choice. See www.stthomas.edu/financialaid/graduate and click on "Loan Information" and then "Private Loan Lender Lists" for a list of lenders and their Web sites. You are not required to choose a lender from this list.

Deadline: Your financial aid file (2010-2011 FAFSA, any requested documentation, summer aid application) must be **complete by 6/15/11** to ensure adequate time to determine and process summer financial aid.

Summer Disbursement Dates: For student loans there will be one disbursement requested at the beginning of your period of enrollment. For students studying abroad the standard on campus disbursement dates will be used.

Billing: The Business Office will allow the payment of summer costs to be payable in three monthly installments. Most students that register for summer term will be billed at the end of May, with payments due in June, July and August. A 1.1% finance charge will apply to any outstanding balance each month as defined in your Payment Agreement Form.