



Council of Graduate Schools

Resolution Regarding Graduate Scholars, Fellows, Trainees and Assistants

Acceptance of an offer of financial support (such as a graduate scholarship, fellowship, traineeship, or assistantship) for the next academic year by a prospective or enrolled graduate student completes an agreement that both student and graduate school expect to honor. In that context, the conditions affecting such offers and their acceptance must be defined carefully and understood by all parties.

Students are under no obligation to respond to offers of financial support prior to April 15; earlier deadlines for acceptance of such offers violate the intent of this Resolution. In those instances in which a student accepts an offer before April 15, and subsequently desires to withdraw that acceptance, the student may submit in writing a resignation of the appointment at any time through April 15. However, an acceptance given or left in force after April 15 commits the student not to accept another offer without first obtaining a written release from the institution to which a commitment has been made. Similarly, an offer by an institution after April 15 is conditional on presentation by the student of the written release from any previously accepted offer. It is further agreed by the institutions and organizations subscribing to the above Resolution that a copy of this Resolution should accompany every scholarship, fellowship, traineeship, and assistantship offer.

The following list includes CGS member institutions that indicated their support of the Resolution.

This Resolution was renewed September 2004.

Abilene Christian University	California University of Pennsylvania	Florida Atlantic University	Louisiana State University
Air Force Institute of Technology	Case Western Reserve University	Florida International University	Health Sciences Center
Alcorn State University	Catholic University of America	Florida State University	Loyola Marymount University
Alfred University	Central Michigan University	Fordham University	Loyola University of Chicago
American University	Central Missouri State University	Fort Hays State University	Marquette University
Andrews University	Central Washington University	Gallaudet University	Marshall University
Angelo State University	City University of New York	George Mason University	Marywood University
Appalachian State University	Graduate Center	George Washington University	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Arizona State University	Claremont Graduate University	Georgetown University	Medical College of Georgia
Arkansas State University	Clark Atlanta University	Georgia Institute of Technology	Medical College of Ohio
Auburn University	Clark University	Georgia Southern University	Medical College of Wisconsin
Austin Peay State University	Clemson University	Georgia State University	Medical University of South Carolina
Ball State University	Cleveland State University	Hampton University	Miami University
Baylor College of Medicine	College of New Jersey	Harvard University	Michigan State University
Baylor University	College of Saint Rose	Hebrew Union College - Jewish	Michigan Technological University
Bloomsburg University of Penn.	College of William and Mary	Institute of Religion	Middle Tennessee State University
Boise State University	Colorado School of Mines	High Point University	Minnesota State University - Mankato
Boston College	Columbia University	Hofstra University	Mississippi State University
Boston University	Concordia University, River Forest	Hood College	Montana State University - Bozeman
Bowling Green State University	Coppin State College	Howard University	Montclair State University
Bradley University	Cornell University	Idaho State University	Mount Mary College
Brandeis University	Creighton University	Illinois Institute of Technology	Murray State University
Brigham Young University	Dartmouth College	Illinois State University	National University
Brown University	Drew University	Indiana State University	Naval Postgraduate School
Bryn Mawr College	Drexel University	Indiana University	New Jersey Institute of Technology
Caldwell College	Duke University	Indiana University - Purdue University	New Mexico State University
California Institute of Technology	Duquesne University	Fort Wayne	New York Medical College
California State Polytechnic	East Carolina University	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	New York University
University, Pomona	East Central University	Iowa State University	North Carolina Agricultural & Technical
California State University, Bakersfield	East Tennessee State University	Jackson State University	State University
California State University, Fresno	Eastern Illinois University	James Madison University	North Carolina State University
California State University, Fullerton	Eastern Kentucky University	John Carroll University	at Raleigh
California State University, Hayward	Eastern Michigan University	Johns Hopkins University	North Dakota State University
California State University,	Eastern Washington University	Kansas State University	Northeastern Illinois University
Long Beach	Emerson College	Kent State University	Northern Arizona University
California State University,	Emory University	Lamar University	Northern Illinois University
Los Angeles	Emporia State University	Langston University	Northern Michigan University
California State University, Northridge	Fayetteville State University	Lehigh University	Northwestern State University
California State University,	Fairmont State University	Lipscomb University	of Louisiana
Sacramento	Fielding Graduate Institute	Loma Linda University	Northwestern University
California State University,	Fitchburg State College	Louisiana State University and	Nova Southeastern University
Stanislaus	Florida A & M University	A & M College	Oakland University

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Ohio University	Texas A & M International University	University of Kansas	University of South Florida
Ohio State University	Texas A & M University	University of Kentucky	University of Southern California
Oklahoma State University	Texas A & M University - Corpus Christi	University of Louisiana at Lafayette	University of Southern Mississippi
Old Dominion University	Texas Christian University	University of Louisville	University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
Oregon State University	Texas Southern University	University of Maine	University of Tennessee at Knoxville
Park University	Texas State University, San Marcos	University of Maryland, Baltimore County	University of Texas at Arlington
Pennsylvania State University	Texas Tech University	University of Maryland, College Park	University of Texas at Austin
Pepperdine University	Texas Woman's University	University of Massachusetts Amherst	University of Texas at Brownsville
Pittsburg State University	Towson University	University of Massachusetts Boston	University of Texas at Dallas
Polytechnic University	Trinity University	University of Massachusetts Lowell	University of Texas at San Antonio
Princeton University	Truman State University	The University of Memphis	University of Texas Graduate School of Biomedical Science at Galveston
Purdue University	Tufts University	University of Miami	University of Texas Grad School of Biomedical Science at Houston
Queens College of the City University of New York	Tulane University	University of Michigan	University of Texas Grad School of Biomedical Science at San Antonio
Radford University	University at Buffalo, State University of New York	University of Minnesota	University of the Pacific
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Akron	University of Mississippi	University of Toledo
Rice University	University of Alabama	University of Missouri, Columbia	University of Tulsa
Rockefeller University	University of Alabama at Birmingham	University of Missouri, Kansas City	University of Utah
Rockhurst University	University of Alabama in Huntsville	University of Missouri, St. Louis	University of Vermont
Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science	University of Alaska, Fairbanks	University of Montana	University of Virginia
Rowan University	University of Albany, State University of New York	University of Nebraska-Kearney	University of Washington
Rutgers - New Brunswick	University of Arizona	University of Nebraska-Lincoln	University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire
Rutgers - Newark	University of Arkansas	University of Nebraska-Omaha	University of Wisconsin - La Crosse
St. Bonaventure University	University of Bridgeport	University of Nevada-Las Vegas	University of Wisconsin - Madison
St. Cloud State University	University of California, Berkeley	University of Nevada-Reno	University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
St. John's University	University of California, Davis	University of New Hampshire	University of Wyoming
Saint Louis University	University of California, Irvine	University of New Haven	Utah State University
San Diego State University	University of California, Los Angeles	University of New Mexico	Valdosta State University
San Francisco State University	University of California, Riverside	University of New Orleans	Vanderbilt University
San Jose State University	University of California, San Diego	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Villanova University
Santa Clara University	University of California, San Francisco	University of North Carolina at Charlotte	Virginia Commonwealth University
Shippensburg University	University of California, Santa Barbara	University of North Carolina at Greensboro	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
South Carolina State University	University of California, Santa Cruz	University of North Carolina at Wilmington	Wake Forest University
South Dakota School of Mines & Technology	University of Central Arkansas	University of North Dakota	Walden University
South Dakota State University	University of Central Florida	University of North Texas	Washington State University
Southeast Missouri State University	University of Chicago	University of North Texas Science Center - Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences	Washington University
Southern Illinois University at Carbondale	University of Cincinnati	University of Northern Colorado	Wayne State College
Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville	University of Colorado at Boulder	University of Northern Iowa	Wayne State University
Southern Methodist University	University of Colorado at Denver	University of Notre Dame	Wesleyan University
Southern University A&M College	University of Connecticut	University of Oklahoma	West Chester University
Southwest Missouri State University	University of Dayton	University of Oregon	West Virginia University
Spalding University	University of Delaware	University of Pennsylvania	Western Carolina University
Spalding University	University of Denver	University of Pittsburgh	Western Illinois University
Stanford University	University of the District of Columbia	University of Puerto Rico - Rio Piedras Campus	Western Kentucky University
State University of New York at Binghamton	University of Florida	University of Rhode Island	Western Michigan University
State University of New York - Upstate Medical University	University of Georgia	University of Rochester	Western Washington University
State University of New York at Stony Brook	University of Hartford	University of San Diego	Wichita State University
Syracuse University	University of Hawaii at Manoa	University of Scranton	Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute
Temple University	University of Houston	University of South Alabama	Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Tennessee State University	University of Idaho	University of South Carolina	Wright State University
Tennessee Technological University	University of Illinois at Chicago		Xavier University of Louisiana
	University of Illinois at Springfield		Yale University
	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign		
	University of Iowa		



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