



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 or a link to the URL 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 October 2009.

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| Abilene Christian University | California University of Pennsylvania | Florida A & M University | Louisiana State University and A & M College |
| Air Force Institute of Technology | Case Western Reserve University | Florida Atlantic University | Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center |
| Alcorn State University | Catholic University of America | Florida International University | Loyola Marymount University |
| Alfred University | Central Michigan University | Florida State University | Loyola University of Chicago |
| American University | Central Missouri State University | Fordham University | Marquette University |
| Andrews University | Central Washington University | Fort Hays State University | Marshall University |
| Angelo State University | City University of New York Graduate Center | Gallaudet University | Marywood University |
| Appalachian State University | Claremont Graduate University | George Mason University | Massachusetts Institute of Technology |
| Arizona State University | Clark Atlanta University | George Washington University | Medical College of Georgia |
| Arkansas State University | Clark University | Georgetown University | Medical College of Ohio |
| Auburn University | Clemson University | Georgia Institute of Technology | Medical College of Wisconsin |
| Austin Peay State University | Cleveland State University | Georgia Southern University | Medical University of South Carolina |
| Ball State University | College of Charleston | Georgia State University | Miami University |
| Baylor College of Medicine | College of New Jersey | Hampton University | Michigan State University |
| Baylor University | College of Saint Rose | Harvard University | Michigan Technological University |
| Bloomsburg University of Penn. | College of William and Mary | Hebrew Union College - Jewish 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 Fort Wayne | New Mexico State University |
| California Institute of Technology | Duquesne University | Indiana University of Pennsylvania | New York Medical College |
| California State Polytechnic University, Pomona | East Carolina University | Iowa State University | New York University |
| California State University, Bakersfield | East Tennessee State University | Jackson State University | North Carolina Agricultural & Technical State University |
| California State University, Fresno | Eastern Illinois University | James Madison University | North Carolina State University at Raleigh |
| California State University, Fullerton | Eastern Kentucky University | John Carroll University | North Dakota State University |
| California State University, Hayward | Eastern Michigan University | Johns Hopkins University | Northeastern Illinois University |
| California State University, Long Beach | Eastern Washington University | Kansas State University | Northern Arizona University |
| California State University, Los Angeles | Emerson College | Kent State University | Northern Illinois University |
| California State University, Northridge | Emory University | Lamar University | Northern Michigan University |
| California State University, Sacramento | Emporia State University | Langston University | Northwestern State University of Louisiana |
| California State University, Stanislaus | Fayetteville State University | Lehigh University | Northwestern University |
| | Fairmont State University | Lipscomb University | |
| | Fielding Graduate Institute | Loma Linda University | |
| | Fitchburg State College | | |

* This Resolution applies to offers of financial support only, not offers of admission.

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