DEADLINE: Summer applications must be received by the Office of Financial Aid on or before June 24, 2016.

Applications received after the deadline date will not be processed for summer financial aid.

This application is required for ALL financial aid programs. IMPORTANT: Financial aid for summer 2016 is very limited. Funds will be awarded based on demonstrated need until funds are exhausted. This may include Federal Work Study and Federal Perkins Loans. See the sections below on Federal Pell Grant and Federal Direct Stafford Loan.

Your application will be considered according to the date the application is COMPLETE in the Office of Financial Aid. If you received financial aid during the 2015-2016 Academic Year at EIU, this application is all that is necessary for your summer aid to be processed. If you did not receive financial aid at EIU during the 2015-2016 Academic Year, you must also complete the 2015-2016 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), list EIU as one of the school choices to receive the results, and provide all federally required documentation, as well as provide any additional information requested by this office.

FEDERAL PELL GRANT If you were eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant during the 2015-2016 Academic Year, and you were not enrolled full time both fall and spring, you may have remaining eligibility for a Federal Pell Grant for summer. The amount you will receive for summer will depend upon your hours enrolled.

FEDERAL DIRECT STUDENT LOANS If you were eligible to receive a Federal Direct Loan (subsidized/unsubsidized) during the 2015-2016 Academic Year, and you did not borrow the maximum loan amount for your academic grade classification, you may be eligible to receive a Federal Direct Loan for summer. Or, if your academic grade class level increased at the end of Spring Semester, you may be eligible. YOU MUST ENROLL IN A MINIMUM OF 6 HOURS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A DIRECT LOAN.

FEDERAL WORK-STUDY You will not be offered summer Federal Work-Study unless you are enrolled for a minimum of 6 hours and your enrollment is for at least 6 weeks, if you qualify and sufficient funds are available.

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS:

The Eastern Illinois University Office of Financial Aid website is your best reference for all types of financial aid available. This site lists State scholarships and grants, University and Foundation awards, Federal aid, and loans. Each listing explains application qualifications and where to apply. YOU MUST ENROLL IN A MINIMUM OF 6 HOURS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A DIRECT LOAN.

GRADUATE STUDENTS:

In order to be considered for financial aid, a graduate student must be accepted as fully admitted into a graduate degree program or be enrolled in a program resulting in teacher certification or be a provisional graduate enrolled in preparatory coursework. For financial aid purposes, 9 credit hours is considered full-time status. YOU MUST ENROLL IN A MINIMUM OF 6 HOURS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A DIRECT LOAN.

SCHOOL OF CONTINUING EDUCATION STUDENTS:

Students who enroll in one or more Continuing Education (CE) classes are eligible to apply for the same State and Federal financial aid as students enrolled in on-campus classes.

If you enroll in one Continuing Education class or a combination of on-campus and off-campus classes, you must notify the Office of Financial Aid IN WRITING as to the number of hours enrolled in each OR YOUR FINANCIAL AID WILL NOT DISBURSE.

Students enrolled in 9 or more hours on campus are automatically billed for student health insurance. Students enrolled in CE classes pay lower fees and do not pay for student insurance. If you are enrolled 8 hours on campus and 1 hour CE in a semester, you are not covered by student insurance. Also, since the drop/ withdrawal time restraints and policies differ from on campus, award calculation and financial aid disbursement policies must be different for CE students.

VERY IMPORTANT:

For those Continuing Education students enrolled in Sponsored Credit Classes, the Sponsored Credit hours cannot be considered when determining dollar amounts of tuition waivers and scholarships. This includes the Illinois Veterans Grant and Illinois National Guard. Cost recovery classes cannot be considered when determining dollar amounts of waivers.

STUDY ABROAD:

If a semester of studying in a foreign country for credit at EIU is a possibility for you, it is important that you notify the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships of your intentions. Once you meet with the Study Abroad Coordinator and begin to formulate your study abroad plans, you should contact our office so that all requirements are met and your financial aid is established before you leave the country. If your study abroad is scheduled through the Continuing Education Office, please be sure to indicate the class number on question #7 of this application.

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Indicate below those programs you will accept. If you indicate both work and loan, you will be considered first for Federal Work-Study only if you are registered for a minimum of 6 hours and will be enrolled for at least 6 weeks. If you request a loan and you are eligible for a Federal Perkins Loan (5% interest), you will be considered first for a Federal Perkins Loan until funds are exhausted and then for a Federal Direct Loan if you enroll in a minimum of 6 hours. You will be considered for a maximum loan amount based on your academic grade classification for summer.

1) I will accept work. ________ (ANSWER YES/NO) I will accept a loan. ________ (ANSWER YES/NO)

2) During Summer 2016, I will live
   _____ EIU Residential Hall/Greek Court/ EIU Married Student Housing/University Housing/U-Court
   _____ Off Campus
   _____ With my parents or with a relative
   _____ Commute 60 miles round trip per day, but don’t live with my parents or relatives
       (for married students & students with dependents—please indicate # miles, one-way, & # times traveled each week)
       ______ # of miles traveled to school one way; ______ # of times traveled to school each week _______

3) I am enrolled in (# of) ______ on-campus hours and/or (# of) ______ Continuing Education hours

4) Beginning summer, I will have the number of cumulative hours listed below. CHECK ONE.
   _____ 0-29 cumulative hours (freshman)     _____ 0-30+ cumulative graduate hours (graduate)
   _____ 30-59 cumulative hours (sophomore)   _____ Sixth Year (graduate in a Specialist Program)
   _____ 60-89 cumulative hours (junior)      _____ 90+ cumulative hours (senior)

5) I expect to graduate with a Bachelor’s Degree (month & year) ________ or with a Master’s Degree ________.

6) I will student teach or intern during Summer 2016 (yes/no) ________.

7) I will enroll in faculty-led Study Abroad with an EIU class through the School of Continuing Education (yes/no)
   Where? ________________________________ Where? ________________________________
   Class & Section# ________________________________
   I will enroll in Study Abroad not taught by EIU (yes/no).

8) I will pay child care costs during class attendance or class preparation for my dependent children in the amount of $_____
   per week. Please list names and ages of all children below. (If ages are not listed, no child care will be considered.)
   ______________________________________________________________________________________

9) Other than EIU, I attended the following schools during the 2015-2016 Academic Year.
   If none, indicate “none attended”.
   Fall 2015 Semester I attended ________________________________
   Spring 2016 Semester I attended ________________________________

   Student Signature __________________________________________ Date ________________________

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