

The Westchester Graduate Campus of Long Island University

735 Anderson Hill Road, Purchase, NY. 10577

Financial Aid Facts

- 1.** You must be accepted as a matriculated student **and** register for **6 or more** credits to be eligible for a Federal Direct Loan.
- 2.** **The combined annual loan limit** for Direct Subsidized Loan and Direct Unsubsidized Loans is \$18,500 for graduate students. The maximum for a Subsidized Loan is \$8,500. The maximum for an Unsubsidized Loan is \$10,000.

Deadlines for applying for Federal Direct Student Loans

Summer only	August 4, 2007
Summer/Fall	December 12, 2007
Fall only	December 12, 2007
Fall/Spring	May 1, 2008
Spring only	May 1, 2008

NOTE: If you do not apply and receive your loan in time you will be subject to late fees. Scholarships: All candidates for any scholarship offered at the Westchester Graduate Campus must complete an online FAFSA application.

Financial Aid Procedures For All Programs

- 1.** File your FAFSA online (www.fafsa.ed.gov) and register for classes.

IMPORTANT: Include the school codes. All Westchester campus programs use the school code 002751.

- 2.** If you are borrowing for the first time you must complete an Entrance Interview and Master Promissory Note at www.dl.ed.gov. Sign your promissory note ONLINE. It is important that you **print and keep a copy** of the promissory note for your records.
- 3.** Follow the instructions included with the “award notice” that you will receive from either the Brooklyn or CW Post financial aid office. This notice will tell you how much money you are eligible for. It may be more money than you need. You can (1) accept the amount, (2) adjust the amount or (3) decline the loan.

NOTE: If you are a student whose application is chosen for verification by FAFSA, you will be contacted, and will be required to submit additional documentation.

Procedure for altering the amount of your award

For Library and Information Science Students

If the amount of the loan indicated on your “award notice” is not the amount that you want to receive, you can change it. Write the loan amount you want and the semester you want the loan applied to on the original “award notice.” Loan requests may be applied for the full academic year. (summer/fall/spring) Mail your “award notice” to Long Island University, CW Post Campus, Financial Aid Office, 720 Northern Boulevard, Brookville, NY. 11548-1300.

For Education or MBA Students

1. If the amount of the loan indicated on your “award notice” is not the amount that you want to receive you can change it. You must fill out a “Request to Decline or Adjust a Loan” form and mail it to Long Island University, Brooklyn Campus, Financial Aid Office, 1 University Plaza, Brooklyn, NY. 11201-8423.

2. A “Request to Decline or Adjust a Loan” form must also be filled out if you want to apply your loan for a time period other than the conventional fall/spring loan period. (for example: summer only, summer/fall, fall only, spring only) Mail this form to the LIU Brooklyn Campus, Financial Aid Office.

Online Resources

The Westchester Graduate Campus of Long Island University

www.liu.edu/westchester 1 (800) GRAD-LIU

Student Information Systems

<https://sis.liunet.edu/stinfo/stinfo.signon>

FAFSA

www.fafsa.ed.gov 1 (800) 433-3243

FAFSA Pin Registration

www.pin.ed.gov

Federal Direct Student Loans

www.ed.gov/DirectLoan/ 1 (800) 848-0979

Entrance Counseling

www.dl.ed.gov

If you need additional assistance, please contact Lisa Dorado, Roseann Isaac, or Ellen Brief at 1-800-GRAD-LIU in the Admissions/Student Services office.