

Terms and Conditions of Financial Aid Awards

- I understand that I am obligated to pay tuition/fees in full if I do not complete all appropriate paperwork, qualify for aid, or receive enough funding to cover all costs. This includes any remaining balances that are a result of withdrawing from my classes.
- I understand that I must be enrolled in a minimum of 6crs (undergraduates) and 4.5 crs (graduate) to receive a Federal Student Loan.
- First time, fist year undergraduate students (less than 30 credits) loan borrowers are subject to a 30 day hold on their first loan disbursement.
- Two disbursements are required for loan borrowers who wish to borrow loans for one semester only. Please review the Important Dates Calendar for more information http://www.udc.edu/financial_aid/office_financial_aid.
- First time Direct Loan Borrowers, must complete both Loan Entrance Counseling and a Master Promissory Note at www.studentloans.gov.
- I understand that both <u>Pell and/or SEOG Grants</u> are awarded based on full time enrollment. Also, that my award may be prorated based on my enrollment or if I am close to the 600% Pell Lifetime Limit. NOTE: SEOG recipients are required to enroll in 6crs. Also, depending on your Expected Family Contribution #, 6crs or more may be required for some Pell Grant recipients.
 - *12 or more credit hours (full-time enrollment status): You will receive 100% of your Pell and/or SEOG award
 - *9-11 credit hours (3/4 time enrollment status): You will receive 75% of your Pell and/or SEOG award
 - *6-8 credit hours (1/2 time enrollment status): You will receive 50% of your Pell and/or SEOG award
 - *1-5 credit hours (less-than-half-time enrollment status): You will receive 0% to 25% of your Pell award
- I understand that <u>non-attendance</u> by itself does not relieve me of financial responsibility for the courses in which I am enrolled and I am responsible for properly dropping and/or withdrawing from courses that I do not plan to attend by the published deadlines http://www.udc.edu/registrar/academic_calendars.
- I understand that the Office of Financial Aid sends <u>electronic notifications</u> via the MyUDC portal, my.udc.edu (messages tab), e-mails to my UDC e-mail and personal email accounts on record to communicate important updates, and I am responsible for checking and reading all correspondence sent.
- I understand that if I have a <u>credit balance</u> after all charges are paid, I will receive a refund via mail or direct deposit. It is my responsibility to ensure my mailing address and/or bank account information is accurate.
- I understand that I must report all offers of financial aid not previously awarded (e.g. external scholarships)
- I understand that financial aid is contingent upon maintaining **Satisfactory Academic Progress** (SAP) http://www.udc.edu/financial aid/maintaining eligibility.
- I am responsible for full payment of my **bookstore charges** if I become ineligible for financial aid <u>or</u> if your financial aid is reduced and is not sufficient to cover your account balance.
- I understand that <u>if I stop attending classes or withdraw</u> completely before completing a minimum of 60% of the term, I will be required to repay all or a percentage of the financial aid received. For more information on the Federal Return of Title IV Funds Policy, please visit http://www.udc.edu/financial_aid/repaying_aid_financial_aid.

By accepting my financial aid award, I hereby acknowledge that I have read, understand and agree to these conditions.