Degree Certification & Dependency Status Form for First-Time Financial Aid Applicants
College of Liberal and Professional Studies
2015-2016

Instructions: This form (all sections) must be completed by all LPS students who are first-time financial aid applicants enrolled in any of the following:
- a degree program
- approved prerequisite courses leading to admission to a degree program
- approved Post-Baccalaureate programs
- The Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts BFA Program

Return this form to Student Financial Services as soon as possible. Be certain to have Section B, Degree Status Certification completed by your school. This is a preliminary application only. In order to complete the application process, you must submit all required documents outlined in the instructions.

Section A
Check the term for which you are applying: ☐ Fall ☐ Spring

Name ____________________________ Penn I.D. Number ____________________________
Last First Middle

Address ____________________________________________________________________________________________________

Phone   Home ________________________ Work ____________________________ E-mail ____________________________

Citizenship Status: ☐ US Citizen ☐ Permanent Resident (Attach copies of both sides of Green Card) ☐ Other

Previous College(s) Attended __________________________________________________________________________________

Will you have your first Bachelor’s Degree before September 1, 2015? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Date of Birth ______________________________________________

Marital Status ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Divorced ☐ Separated

Number and Ages of Dependent Children __________________________________________________________________________

Are you an orphan or ward of the court (or were you a ward of the court until the age of 18)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you a veteran of the United States Armed Forces? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Your earnings for calendar years: 2015 (est) ________________ 2014 ____________________ 2013 ____________________

Were you claimed as a tax deduction on your parents’ tax return in: 2014? ☐ Yes ☐ No

2013? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you resided in your parents’ home for part, or all, of the previous 2 calendar years? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Section B
Degree Status Certification - To be completed by an LPS official.

Check one:

1. ☐ I certify that this student is enrolled in a degree program at the University of Pennsylvania as of ____________________________

☐ Check if student is enrolled in the PAFA/BFA program.

2. ☐ I certify that this student is enrolled in one of the LPS Post-Baccalaureate Programs (Classical Studies, Pre-Clinical Psychology, Pre-Health, Special Science)

3. ☐ I certify that this student is enrolled in approved pre-requisite courses leading to admission to a ____________________________ degree program.

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Signature/Title Date/School Seal