Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose
(To be signed at the institution/in the presence of a UW Colleges Student Affairs Official)

The student must appear in person at the local University of Wisconsin Colleges campus where she/he is enrolled or at the UW Colleges Central Administrative Offices in Madison to verify his or her identity by presenting a valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver’s license, other state-issued ID, or passport.

See the back side of this document if the student is unable to appear in front of a UW Colleges Official.

Attach a copy of the student’s ID to this document. The institution will maintain the copy of the student’s photo ID that is annotated with:

1. the date it was received, and
2. the name of the UW Colleges Official who collected the student’s ID

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the following:

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I __________________________ am the individual signing this
(Print Student’s Name)

Statement of Educational Purpose and that the Federal student financial assistance
I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending
(Name of UW Colleges Campus)

__________________________  __________________________  __________________________
(Student’s Signature)        (Date)                             (Student’s ID Number)

__________________________  __________________________
(Print Name of UW Colleges Witness)     (Signature of UW Colleges Witness)
Student: complete only one side of this document. This side of the form must be completed only if you are unable to appear in person on campus; if so, it must be notarized. Otherwise, complete the opposite side of this form on campus with a UW Colleges Student Affairs Official.

Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose
(To be signed with/in the presence of a Notary)

If the student is unable to appear in person at the local University of Wisconsin Colleges campus where she/he is enrolled or at the UW Colleges Central Administrative Offices in Madison to verify his or her identity, the student must provide:

a) A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, such as, but not limited to a driver’s license, other state-issued ID, or passport –
   Attach a copy of the ID that was verified by the Notary to this document; and

b) The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose provided below:

Statement of Educational Purpose (completed by the student in the presence of a Notary)

I certify that I _____________________________ am the individual signing this
(Print Student’s Name)
Statement of Educational Purpose and that the Federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending
(Name of UW Colleges Campus)

_____________________________  ____________________________  ______________________
(Student’s Signature)            (Date)                        (Student’s ID Number)

Notary’s Certificate of Acknowledgement (to be completed by Notary)

State of __________________ City/County of ________________________________
On __________________, before me, __________________, (Notary’s Signature),
personally appeared, __________________, (Printed name of Signer), and provided to me
to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

(Seal)  ___________________________________________  (Notary’s Signature)

My commission expires on ______________________

(Date)

IF COMPLETING THIS SIDE, SUBMIT FORM TO THE UW COLLEGES STUDENT FINANCIAL AID OFFICE.
Questions? Contact your Campus Student Affairs Office.