

Northern Illinois University  
Graduate School

***Underrepresented Student Tuition Waiver Scholarship***

This form is to be submitted to the Graduate School Recruitment Office, before the beginning of the academic term in which the tuition waiver is to begin.

Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Academic term and year for scholarship to begin: \_\_\_\_\_

The following student is recommended for a underrepresented student tuition waiver scholarship for this term (and possibly the successive two terms:)

Last name: \_\_\_\_\_ First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student EMPL ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the name of the degree (e.g., M.A., M.S.Ed., Ph.D., Ed.D.) *and* the name of the major (e.g., History, Counseling).

The department states that the student has met **ALL** the following criteria:

- Is a U.S. citizen or permanent resident who indicated membership in one of the underrepresented groups on the Graduate School application
- Has been admitted to graduate-level study (and if not unconditionally admitted to the Graduate School, the scholarship will be for one academic term; if unconditionally admitted, the scholarship will be for up to twelve months)
- Has been selected for this award by a written assessment, on file in the department office, of how well the selection criteria were met
- Has been informed that tuition will be waived during these terms as long as good academic standing is maintained, and that payment of fees remains the obligation of the student
- Will be considered for a graduate assistantship by this department at the conclusion of the tuition waiver scholarship

The Graduate School will determine whether the requirement for Selective-Service registration certification has been met.

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GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity \_\_\_\_\_

Admitted \_\_\_\_\_

Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Sel Serv Cert \_\_\_\_\_

Verified by \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Authorized Departmental Signature

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Date

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Graduate School Approval Signature

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Date