Academic Year 2013-2014 Electronic Payment Request & Information Form Instructions For EOF Graduate

http://www.nj.gov/highereducation/EOFGradGrants.htm

Questions about the submission of applications can be addressed to Mary Alice Everett at (609) 984-2800 or at mary.everett@njhe.state.nj.us

ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED BEFORE APPLICATION IS CONSIDERED COMPLETE

NOTE: If an error is made in the submission of the application, DO NOT RE-SUBMIT the application.

Please contact Mary Alice Everett.

A. Renewal Status and Payment History

- 1. Select the semester(s) the payment is being requested (fall only; spring only; fall & spring)
- 2a. Indicate if the student previously received an EOF Graduate Grant.
- 2b. Select the number of semesters the student has **previously** received an EOF Graduate Grant. Example:
 - 1=renewal graduate student receiving 2nd semester of EOF
 - 2=renewal graduate student receiving 3rd semester of EOF
- 2c. Enter both the semester and year the student received his/her first EOF Graduate Grant payment.

B. Student Information

Please enter information as requested in questions 3-11.

C. <u>Undergraduate History</u>

Please indicate if the student received EOF as an undergraduate. If yes, provide the undergraduate institution, major, and graduation date.

D. Graduate Credit Information

Enter information in this section relevant to current academic year enrollment status. If your institution does not use credit load or number of courses being taken to determine full-time enrollment status, please attach an explanation of the method used. Refer to EOF Regulations N.J.A.C. 9A:11-3.5(c) to determine continued eligibility.

E. Financial Information

Enter information requested relative to the student's financial aid package for the academic year. Please answer every question. If not applicable or value=\$0, please enter 0000.

- 37. Other Grants/Scholarships/Fellowships Do not include the requested EOF Graduate in this total.
- 38. Total Financial Aid This is the sum of #33 thru #37.

39. Remaining Need – This is the difference between the total budget (#32) and the total financial aid package (#38).

F. Grant/Scholarship Requests

Enter the amount of the EOF Graduate Grant you are requesting for the fall and/or spring semesters. Please note: the amount requested for the grant may not exceed the remaining need as calculated in #39, nor may it exceed the maximum grant allowed for your sector as shown in the table below.

EOF Graduate Grant Amounts

	Semester	Annual
	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
State Colleges & Universities	\$1,150	\$2,300
Independent Colleges & Universities	\$1,425	\$2,850
Rutgers University, NJIT	\$1,425	\$2,850
UMDNJ	\$2,175	\$4,350

The minimum graduate grant award a student may receive is \$200 for the academic year.

G. Certification

Enter the name, e-mail address, and title of the individual who completed the electronic application as a preliminary verification of the information being submitted.

After all applications have been received, a certification roster will be generated that summarizes each electronic application submitted to New Jersey Higher Education/EOF. The roster will require the signature of the appropriate director or graduate coordinator for verification and authorization purposes.