

**FEDERAL DIRECT GRADUATE
PLUS LOAN CREDIT CHECK
AUTHORIZATION 2012-2013**

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Student Name _____ Student ID # 95 _____

IMPORTANT:

For **SUMMER 2012 Graduate PLUS Loans**, the **2011-2012 Graduate PLUS Loan Credit Check Authorization Form** is required.

**Complete this form if you are borrowing a Graduate PLUS Loan for
FALL 2012 AND/OR SPRING 2013.**

You accepted a Direct Graduate PLUS Loan as part of your 2012-2013 UVM Financial Aid Award. Your Loan will be processed through the William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program. The Direct PLUS Loan is a credit based loan and UVM must receive your authorization before forwarding your loan request to the Department of Education for credit review and processing.

Loan Information: You provided your loan amount and loan period when accepting your Graduate PLUS Loan request online. Changes to your loan amount may be made by contacting UVM Student Financial Services in writing or from your UVM assigned e-mail address. Any changes should be requested within 30 days of the disbursement date of your loan.

Consent to Obtain Credit Report

I consent to the U.S. Department of Education and its agents obtaining a report of my credit record and using the information from that report in determining whether to make a PLUS Loan to me. I understand that I will be notified in writing of the results of the credit check with respect to my loan application.

Student Signature _____

Date _____

NEXT STEPS:

If you have not already done so, visit **www.studentloans.gov** and complete:

- Direct Graduate PLUS Loan Master Promissory Note (**ALL STUDENTS**) *and*;
- Direct Graduate PLUS Loan Entrance Counseling (**Students borrowing their first Graduate PLUS Loan at UVM**)

TIPS: From www.studentloans.gov look for the green “sign in” button. Sign in using your Federal PIN (the same PIN you use to electronically sign your FAFSA) to complete your online Master Promissory Note(s) and/or Entrance Counseling. Do not select the “Request PLUS Loan” option as this is not an available option for graduate students at UVM.

The www.studentloans.gov site currently supports Internet Explorer 6 and 7 and Mozilla Firefox 2.0.

Completed form may be faxed to 802-656-4076.