Federal Direct Stafford Loan Application
for Graduate Professional Studies

Name: ______________________________________  Sage ID: ____________________________

Email: ____________________________  Phone Number: ____________________________

Program: ______________________________________  Expected graduation date: ___________  Month/Year

Degree Program: ____________________________

How many credits do you anticipate taking each session? __________
Please note: to be eligible for Stafford loan funds you must be enrolled in at least 6 credits each semester.

Fall 2020 Session 1  ______ Fall 2020 Session 2  ______ Spring 2021 Session 1  ______ Spring 2021 Session 2  ______

I will/have filed(d) my FAFSA on ___________.

Total loan amount you are requesting for the 2020-2021 academic year to the extent you are eligible: __________________________

$__________________________

One amount for entire academic year. Loan requests are equally disbursed among all semesters in which student is attending and eligible.

Stafford Loan Eligibility and Details:

- Must be enrolled at least half-time (i.e., 6 credits) in a degree program in each term for which you wish to receive Stafford Loan
- Must have a valid FAFSA (this application must be filed online at https://studentaid.gov/)
- $20,500 is the maximum amount that can be borrowed per academic year (loan amount cannot exceed the calculated cost of attendance)
- Stafford Loan is only available in the unsubsidized version for continuing education students
- Interest rate: 4.30%
- Origination Fee: 1.059%

Before any financial aid can be awarded, please be sure you have submitted your application for admission. You must be accepted into a degree program and be making satisfactory academic progress in order to be awarded financial aid.

My signature below certifies that I am aware this is only an application for a loan. I must sign and complete a Master Promissory note, and complete entrance counseling, at https://studentaid.gov/ if I am required to do so. I understand that it is my responsibility to follow up on the status of my loan application. I will promptly provide notification to the Office of Student Financial Services of all financial aid I receive from any source, any change in the number of credits enrolled in any term, and any change in my degree status- any of which may result in an adjustment or cancellation of my financial aid package. All charges on my student account not covered by financial aid are my responsibility.

SIGNATURE: ____________________________  DATE: ____________________________

Return this form to:  Office of Student Financial Services, MS 027, Waltham, MA 02454-9110; finaid@brandeis.edu