

Personal Data

Name: _____ Date: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Soc. Sec. No.: _____ Gender ()M ()F

Student ID#: _____

Ethnic Heritage: () African American/Black () Asian/Pacific Islander
() Caucasian () Latino-American (list ethnic group) _____() Native American

Please indicate your citizenship status: () U.S. Citizen () Permanent Resident

**** ONLY US CITIZENS AND PERMANENT RESIDENTS ARE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY****

Current Address (campus or local residence)

Street _____ Apt. No. _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (H) _____ (W) _____

Email Address _____

Permanent Contact

Name _____ Relationship _____

Street _____ Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

What other programs do you participate in?

CSTEP SSSP EOP TOC NONE Other _____ Counselor _____

Academic Data: List any other institutions you have attended.

Institution _____ Location _____ From ___/___/___ To ___/___/___

What is your current class standing? () Freshman () Sophomore () Junior () Senior

How many credit hours have you earned? _____

How many credit hours are you currently registered for? _____

What is your anticipated graduation date? _____

What is/are your Majors? _____ What is your overall grade point average? _____

Minor: _____ Academic Advisor: _____

FINANCIAL ASESMENT/ FIRST GENERATION VERIFICATION FORM

Income Status Verification

The following information should be retrieved from the appropriate income tax statements (Tax Form 1040, 1040A or 1040EZ). You must also submit the Financial Aid Office verification of family income form (next page).

Dependent students must submit tax returns for themselves AND their parent(s) (if applicable), spouse or legal guardian. **You must use the same status as reported on your FAFSA.**

Filing Status of Dependent Applicant:

- Married Filing Jointly
- Number in Household
- Did not have to file

Filing Status of Independent Applicant:

- Single or Head of Household
- Married Filing Jointly
- Married Filing Separately
- Did not have to file

First Generation Status Verification (check all that apply):

This is to certify that:

- I have a four year degree.
- I do not have a four-year degree.
- My mother/guardian has a four-year degree.
- My father/guardian has a four-year degree.
- Neither parent has a four-year degree.

REQUIRED ESSAY

Type a two to four page essay addressing each of the following areas.

1. Describe your family background/history. How have these experiences affected your educational aspirations and career goals.
2. Define your understanding of the McNair Achievement Program philosophy and its primary objective. How is this program a good fit for your needs and goals.
3. The McNair Summer Research Program is challenging and demanding. What are your expectations of this experience? What research fields or topics are you interested in?
4. What are your reasons for wanting to attend graduate school and for pursuing the doctorate degree? Describe your timetable for obtaining this goal?

Certificate of Eligibility Information

This is to certify that I am a citizen of the United States; a permanent resident of the United States; in the United States for other than a temporary purpose and able to provide evidence from the Immigration and Nationalization Service of my intent to become a permanent resident; or a permanent resident of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Island, Guam, or the Northern Mariana Island.

Signature _____ Date _____

I certify that the information provided on this application is true to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that any omission or misrepresentation of facts or failure to furnish information will automatically invalidate consideration of this application and/or acceptance into the program.

Signature _____ Date _____

Release of Information

I authorize the Oswego State McNair Scholars Program to provide information to or to receive information from other educational institutions regarding reported standardized test scores, acceptance and attendance dates, and progress being made towards the attainment of my current and future academic pursuits.

Signature _____ Date _____

Office Use Only

- Application
- Essay
- Tax Form (if applicable)
- 2 Letters of Recommendation
- Writing Sample
- Resume

FINANCIAL AID OFFICE VERIFICATION OF FAMILY INCOME

I authorize the Financial Aid Office at SUNY Oswego to verify my family income by releasing income tax information, need analysis, and various financial aid information to the McNair Scholars Program.

Print Student's Name

Date

Student's Signature

Identification Number

The information below must be filled out by a Financial Aid Officer at Oswego State University at 206 Culkin.

AWARD PROGRAM	AMOUNT	TERM YEAR
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

TOTAL AWARD \$ _____

TOTAL ESTABLISHED NEED \$ _____

STUDENT EFC _____

EXTREMELY IMPORTANT: The official at the Financial Aid Office information shows the family/student taxable income and family size for the above named students to be \$ _____ and _____ for tax year _____.
Taxable Income # of Exemptions

Additional Information or Comments:

Print Name of Financial Institution

() _____

Office Phone Number

Signature of Financial Aid Office Official

Date

Return to: McNair Scholars Program
McNair/CSTEP Office
106 Poucher Hall
SUNY Oswego
Oswego, NY 13126
Phone: (315) 312-4079 Fax: (315) 312-4026

