

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT FARMINGTON OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIP POLICY AND NOTIFICATION FORM

WHAT IS AN “OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIP”? UMF considers outside scholarships to include scholarships, waivers, tuition reimbursement or assistance awarded by organizations other than UMF, such as high schools, businesses, Federal or state agencies, private organizations or scholarship foundations. **If you have been awarded any outside scholarships for any semester, please provide the information requested below and return this form to the Financial Aid Office.** Do NOT include awards already listed on your financial aid award notice, such as Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Grants, University Grants, Presidential Scholarships, UMF Academic Scholarships, Academic Competitiveness Grants, Academic Recognition Scholarships, Maine State Grant Program Scholarships, Federal Work-study, Federal Perkins Loans, Educators for Maine Loans or Federal Stafford Loans.

EFFECT ON AID ALREADY AWARDED. Receipt of an outside scholarship may require an adjustment to your financial aid award. UMF gives students the maximum allowable benefit permitted by federal and state regulations when incorporating outside scholarships into the existing financial aid award. If it is necessary to adjust aid already awarded, UMF will reduce subsidized loans first, work-study second, and grants last. Students are notified of award adjustments with a revised financial aid award notice or an email.

PAYMENT OF OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIPS: Payment of outside scholarships differs between organizations - some send the funds to the student while others send the funds to the University. **Regardless of the method or timing of payment, outside scholarships must be reported to the UMF Financial Aid Office.** Awarding organizations may require a bill, proof of enrollment, or a copy of first semester grade reports prior to paying a scholarship. *It is the student’s responsibility to coordinate the information requested by the organization.* Billing statements can be requested from our office. Enrollment verification or grade reports can be arranged upon request through the Registrar’s Office in the Merrill Center.

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| → STUDENT NAME: _____ | MaineStreet ID: _____ | DATE: _____ |
| Student Daytime Phone: | Date of Birth: | |
| NAME OF AWARD & AWARING AGENCY ADDRESS & CONTACT | AWARD AMOUNT | |
| | FALL 2009 | SPRING 2010 |
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| <i>Use a separate sheet if more space is needed. Remember to update this information if it changes.</i> | | |

Return original copy (or fax) to:
UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT FARMINGTON
FINANCIAL AID/STUDENT ACCOUNTS OFFICE
224 MAIN STREET
FARMINGTON, ME 04938

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