2017-2018
Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose
(To Be Signed at the Institution)

Student ID Number: ___________________________ Email: ___________________________

Student's Full Legal Name: ___________________________
(Please print clearly)
Last ___________________________ First ___________________________ Middle ___________________________

The student must appear in person at Virginia Tech to verify his or her identity by presenting valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver’s license, other state-issued ID, or passport. The institution will maintain a copy of the student’s photo ID that is annotated by the institution with the date it was received and reviewed and the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the student’s ID.

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the Statement of Educational Purpose provided below:

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I ________________________________________________ am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose and that the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending Virginia Tech for 2017-2018.

Student Signature ___________________________________________ Date ____________

Student ID Number ___________________________________________

USFA Witness Signature ______________________________________ Date ____________

(Please Note: Email is not always a secure method of communication and may inadvertently expose your information if misdirected. Virginia Tech suggests using fax, U.S. Postal Service or personal delivery as a more secure method of delivery. If you choose to submit information through email, Virginia Tech will not be responsible for any exposure of data.)
If the student is unable to appear in person at Virginia Tech to verify his or her identity, the student must provide:

a) A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below or that is presented to a notary, such as, but not limited to, a driver’s license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and

b) The original Statement of Educational Purpose which is provided below, must be notarized. If the notary statement appears on a separate page than the Statement of Educational Purpose, there must be a clear indication that the Statement of Educational Purpose was the document notarized.

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**Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose**  
*(To Be Signed in the Presence of a Notary)*

I certify that I ________________________________________________ am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose and that the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending Virginia Tech for 2017-2018.

Student Signature ___________________________ Date __________

Student ID Number _____________________________

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**Notary’s Certificate of Acknowledgement (for use only if unable to appear in person)**

State of __________________________ City/County of ________________

On __________________________ before me, __________________________ (Notary’s Name)

personally appeared, __________________________ (Printed name of signer) and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification __________________________ (Type of government-issued photo ID provided)

to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument. **WITNESS** my hand and official seal __________________________ (seal)

_________________________ My commission expires on ____________ (Date)