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**FEDERAL DIRECT STAFFORD LOAN REQUEST FORM
2017-2018**

To apply for a Federal Direct Stafford loan, follow the instructions below:

1. **Indicate the Amount** you would like to borrow below. Please note federal maximums for Federal Direct Stafford loans are:
 - \$3,500 for first year students
 - \$4,500 for sophomores
 - \$5,500 for juniors and seniorsAn additional \$2,000 in an unsubsidized loan is also offered by the Direct Loan Program.
2. **Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** online at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov> if you have not already done so for 2017-2018. Barnard's Federal School Code is 002708.
3. **Complete an Entrance Counseling session** at <http://www.StudentLoans.gov> if you are borrowing a Federal Stafford Loan for the first time. The Entrance Counseling is completed only once during your entire enrollment at Barnard College.
4. **Complete a Master Promissory Note (MPN)** at <http://www.StudentLoans.gov> if you are borrowing a Federal Direct Stafford Loan for the first time. The MPN is completed only once during your entire enrollment at Barnard College.
5. **Submit documents to Financial Aid.** Submit **parent and student 2015 tax returns and W-2 forms** if you have not already done so. Before your loan can be processed, your financial aid file must be complete.

Federal Direct Stafford Loan Amount requested for 2017-2018 \$ _____

Name (Print) _____
Last, First

Student Signature _____ **ID #** _____

Return the signed form to Financial Aid, 11 Milbank, 3009 Broadway, NY, NY 10027.
Telephone: 212-854-2154 FAX: 212-280-8794 Email: finaid@barnard.edu