

Harding University CONSUMER INFORMATION Summary of Disclosures

(As required by the Higher Education Act, 1998 Amendments)

The following is a list of consumer information that Harding University is required by federal regulations to make available to you as a student or parent of a student. This document will give you a brief summary of the information available and at least one source for obtaining a full disclosure of the information.

RIGHTS UNDER THE FAMILY EDUCATION RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT (FERPA)

- Right to and procedures for inspecting and reviewing student's education records
- Right to and procedures for requesting amendment of student's education records
- Right to consent to disclosure of personally identifiable information contained in student's education records
- Right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education
- Right to obtain a copy of the student records policy as it relates to FERPA

Source of information: Academic Catalog, Student Handbook, Student Services office, Registrar's office, Cooperative Education office

FFEL LOAN DEFERMENTS FOR PEACE CORPS OR VOLUNTEER SERVICE

- Terms and conditions of FFEL loan deferments for service in the Peace Corps, service under the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973, or comparable volunteer service for a tax-exempt organization of demonstrated effectiveness in the field of community service

Source of information: Student Financial Services office

AVAILABLE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- Description of all available federal, state, local, private, and institutional financial need-based and non-need-based assistance programs, and for each program a description of:
 - Application form and procedures
 - Student eligibility requirements
 - Selection criteria
 - Criteria for determining the amount of a student's award
- Rights and responsibilities of student receiving Title IV and other financial aid, including:

- Criteria for continued eligibility
- Satisfactory academic progress standards and criteria to re-establish eligibility if student fails to maintain satisfactory academic progress
- Methods and frequency of financial aid disbursements
- Terms of any loans received, sample loan repayment schedules, and the necessity for repaying loans
- General conditions and terms applicable to any employment offered as part of student's financial aid award
- Exit counseling information required to be provided for and to be collected from student borrowers of a FFEL or federal Perkins loan

Source of information: Academic Catalog, Student Financial Services office

INSTITUTIONAL INFORMATION

- Cost of attending the University
Source of information: Academic Catalog, Student Financial Services office
- Refund policies
Source of information: Academic Catalog, Student Financial Services office
- Requirements for officially withdrawing from the University
Source of information: Academic Catalog, Student Handbook, Student Services office
- Summary of requirements for the return of Title IV grant or loan assistance by withdrawn students
Source of information: Academic Catalog, Student Financial Services office
- Information regarding the University's academic programs
Source of information: Academic Catalog, Vice President for Academic Affairs office
- Entities that accredit, license, or approve the University and its programs and procedures for reviewing the University's accreditation, licensing, or approval documentation
Source of information: Academic Catalog, President's office
- Description of any special services and facilities for disabled students
Source of information: Student Support Services office, Student Services office, Chief Financial Officer's office, Web

site <http://honet.harding.edu/disabilities.html>

- Title and availability of employee(s) responsible for dissemination of institutional and financial assistance disclosure information and how to contact them

Source of information: Director of Student Financial Services, available during regular office hours, e-mail finaid@harding.edu

- Statement that enrollment in a study abroad program approved for credit may be considered enrollment at the school for the purpose of applying for Title IV assistance

Source of information: Student Financial Services office

COMPLETION/GRADUATION RATES

- Completion or graduation rate of cohort of certificate- or degree-seeking, full-time undergraduates who graduated or completed their program within 150% of the normal time for graduation or completion

Source of information: Academic Catalog, Registrar's office, School of Nursing office (for nursing graduates)

CAMPUS SECURITY REPORT

- Statistics for three most recent calendar years concerning the occurrence on campus, in or on non-campus buildings or property, and public property of certain offenses reported to campus security authority or local police

- Policies regarding procedures to report crimes committed on campus, criminal actions or other emergencies, and the University's response to such

- Policies concerning the security of and access to campus facilities

- Policies concerning campus law enforcement

Source of information: Web site <http://www.harding.edu/security/report.htm>, Campus Security office

REPORT ON ATHLETIC PROGRAM PARTICIPATION RATES AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT DATA

- Number of male and female full-time undergraduates

- Statistics regarding varsity teams that compete in intercollegiate athletic competitions

- Unduplicated number of students, by gender, who participated on at least one varsity team as of the date of the first scheduled contest

- Institutional revenues derived from and attributable to the University's intercollegiate athletic programs

- Incurred expenses attributable to the University's intercollegiate athletic programs

- Total spent on athletics-related student aid awarded to men and to women

- Aggregate total recruiting expenses for men's teams and for women's teams

- Average annual institutional salary of non-volunteer coaches and assistant coaches (across all sports) of all men's and women's teams on a per person and per full-time basis

Source of information: Director of Athletics office

COMPLETION/GRADUATION RATES FOR STUDENT ATHLETES

- Number of students, by race and gender, who attended the school during the prior year

- Number of students, by race and gender within each sport, who attended the school during the prior year and received athletics-related student aid

- Completion or graduation rate, by race and gender, of cohort of certificate- or degree-seeking, full-time undergraduates who graduated or completed their program within 150% of the normal time for graduation or completion

- Completion or graduation rate, by race and gender within each sport, of cohort of certificate- or degree-seeking, full-time undergraduates who received athletics-related student aid and graduated or completed their program within 150% of the normal time for graduation or completion

- Average completion or graduation rate, by race and gender, for the four most recent graduating classes of certificate- or degree-seeking, full-time undergraduates who graduated or completed their program within 150% of the normal time for graduation or completion

- Average completion or graduation rate, by race and gender within each sport, for the four most recent graduating classes of certificate- or degree-seeking, full-time undergraduates who received athletics-related student aid and graduated or completed their program within 150% of the normal time for graduation or completion

Source of information: Director of Athletics office