



PHYSICS

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY CARBONDALE

GENERAL INFORMATION - GRADUATE ADMISSION APPLICATION

Applications for graduate programs begin in each department on campus. Each department has its own packet of forms and all requests for information are forwarded to the appropriate department. The Physics' packet includes five forms which must be completed and returned with the required documentations: (1) Application for Admission to Graduate Study, Graduate School; (2) Department of Physics Application; (3) Personal & Professional Data Sheet, for assistantship; (4) Confidential Report/Financial Statement for International Students, for I-20; (5) Professional Record, Application for Financial Aid (Graduate Assistantship or Fellowship); and (6) Reference Form (which must be duplicated for three references). THERE IS A \$10 FEE FOR MAKING APPLICATION TO THIS DEPARTMENT.

Completed forms and documentation should be submitted to the department address listed below. You may contact the Physics Department for information and and/or assistance. International student applications must meet all the requirements of the Graduate School and the Department before the application will be considered for acceptance. The Graduate Committee reviews each file and then meets to make selections. Once approved by the department, an applicant's file is forwarded to the Graduate School for final approval for admission. Once approval has been given, financial clearance for an I-20 is required from the Office of International Scholars and Students before the I-20 is prepared. The department will then send the I-20 to the student. The process does take time so it is strongly recommended that applicants submit completed forms and documentation as early as possible.

It is to your advantage to read the checklist carefully and to complete and submit documents as required. The lack of appropriate seals, missing information, incorrect documents, any variance from the requirements will only cause delays in preparing files for department review. It is the applicant's duty to ensure that all required information is submitted properly.

Please be sure to enclose photocopies of your TOEFL report and general GRE report even if you have requested official copies for SIUC. The department considers the photocopies as required documentation. (The GRE is not required, but is strongly suggested.) The department strongly suggest practicing in English as much as possible. Incoming graduate students must take an exam of spoken English skills upon arrival on campus. (Contracts will not be processed until this exam is taken.)

Assistantships for the academic year are offered to every selected applicant. An assistantship guarantees employment and includes a waiver of tuition (except for students fees). Assuming satisfactory performance, it is renewable annually and the waiver plus the current \$1,146 per month is sufficient for an international student to qualify for a U.S. visa without a personal source of funds. Incoming graduate students will be teaching assistants or research assistants. Some grading, proctoring and laboratory preparation will be assigned.

A Master's program is available in Physics. For more information regarding degrees and Graduate School requirements, checkout the 1998/2000 graduate catalog on the web at <<http://www.siu.edu/gradschl/>>.

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**The following checklist identifies required documentation.
Files will not be reviewed by our Graduate Committee without these items.**

- _____ **Original Application** (required by Graduate School)
- _____ **Department of Physics Application** (required by Physics Department)
- _____ **Personal and Professional Data Sheet** (for assistantship information, Human Resources)
- _____ **Confidential Report/Financial Statement of International Students**
(for I-20 approval by International Students and Scholars Department)
- _____ **Professional Record, Application For Financial Assistance** (required by Physics Department)
- _____ **GRE - Photocopy for department**--Graduate School must have original
- _____ **TOEFL - Photocopy of student report** required for departmental application process
 1. Official ETS report is required by Graduate School if applicant selected and referred by department.
 2. Exam must have been taken within two years before first registration (i.e. 8-98 earliest date for F00).
 3. Grad School required minimum score of 550 on paper test or 220 on computer test.
- _____ **Three (3) recommendation letters** required by Physics Department

For each COLLEGE and/or UNIVERSITY attended:**

- _____ **Transcript - Official native-language**
 - _____ **Transcript/Marksheet - English translation**
- If you are currently enrolled, but will not be receiving a degree, make sure current and final transcripts will be available.**

For each DEGREE received:**

- _____ **Diploma - Official native-language**
- _____ **Diploma - English translation**

****NOTE: Final transcripts and/or diplomas will be required by Graduate School before first registration for successful candidates. This requirement will be noted on an I-20.**

All: Diplomas and/or transcripts are required from every college or university attended. They must have required official seals/signatures and be in envelopes sealed by the issuing institution.

- China:**
- (1) All Chinese transcripts and diplomas **MUST** have the colored or embossed seals on each page.
 - (2) Chinese transcript grades **MUST** be in Chinese characters or numbers. The Graduate School **WILL NOT** accept letter grades that are not in Chinese characters.
 - (3) **Wording on Chinese diplomas must state the degree was conferred, granted, awarded, or received.**
(The graduation certificate (eligible or approved or qualified for graduation) does not meet the requirement.)

- India:**
- (1) **Individual marksheets are required. Consolidated marksheets are not acceptable.**
 - (2) **Marksheets/diplomas must be issued by the UNIVERSITY, not the college affiliated with the university.**
 - (3) **Provisional diplomas from recent graduates are acceptable.**
 - (4) **All documents must be certified by the UNIVERSITY, have an original school seal and an original signature of (a) the Registrar Office, OR (b) the Controller of Exams, OR (c) the U.S. Educational Foundation in India.**

NOTE: Depending on individual circumstances, there may be additional requirements that must be met.



****IMPORTANT****
READ ADMISSIONS INFORMATION ON REVERSE BEFORE COMPLETING
APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDY
GRADUATE SCHOOL
Southern Illinois University
Carbondale, Illinois 62901

It is the policy of Southern Illinois University Carbondale to afford equal educational opportunities to qualified persons regardless of race, religion, sex, ethnic background, or physical disability.

Please Print or Type

1. Legal Name _____ 2.

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 Social Security Number

3. Date of Birth Month/Day/Year 4. Other names used on your records: _____

5. Address which correspondence should be sent: _____
number and street or rural route

city or town state/country zip phone number

6. Permanent Home Address in Country of Citizenship: _____
number and street or rural route apt. no.

city or town state/country zip code U.S. County

7. How long have you lived at the above address? _____ 8. E-mail address: _____ 9. Fax number: _____

10. Are you a citizen of Yes No _____
If no, what country? country of birth type of visa or P.R. Registration No.
 If you are a Permanent Resident of the United States, attach a copy of Resident Alien Card.

The information for lines 8–12 is requested for institutional research and reporting purposes only. None of the information you provide will be used in any way to make admission decisions.

11. Female Male 12. Veteran? Yes No

13. (Check one)
 American Indian/Alaskan Native Black—Non Hispanic Origin White—Non Hispanic Origin
 Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic International Student

14. Degree for which you are applying: Nondeclared (non degree) Master's Doctorate
 (IF YOU ARE APPLYING AS A NONDECLARED STUDENT, LEAVE LINE 14 BLANK.)

15. Proposed Major: _____ Concentration: _____
(see reverse side of this page) code (major)

16. Term and year for which you are applying: Fall (August) Spring (January) Summer (June) Year _____

17. Undergraduate Major: _____ 18. Previous Graduate Major: _____

19. If your native language is not English, regardless of citizenship, did you take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)? Yes No When did you (will you) take it? _____
month/year (see item 6 of last page) Please send photocopy of TOEFL score with your application.

20. Have you taken the (please circle) GRE, MAT, GMAT? Yes No When did you (will you) take it? _____
month/year

21. Have you ever attended SIUC? No Yes (List all dates on item 23) 22. SIUC Identification Number: _____

23. List ALL colleges/universities attended (INCLUDE SIU).** Please do not abbreviate names of schools.

Name of School	Location	Dates of Attendance				List all Degrees with Dates			
		From		To		Earned		Expected	
		Month	Year	Month	Year	Degree	Date	Degree	Date

****HAVE EACH INSTITUTION ATTENDED FORWARD AN OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT of your record to the DEPARTMENT if you are declaring a major or to the GRADUATE SCHOOL if you are requesting nondeclared status. It is not necessary to request transcripts of study completed at SIUC. Please note Item 3 on reverse side of last page. All college transcripts become the property of SIUC. NO ACTION CAN BE TAKEN ON YOUR APPLICATION UNTIL ALL CREDENTIALS ARE RECEIVED.**

I understand that withholding information requested on this application or giving false information may make me ineligible for admission to the University or subject to dismissal. I certify that the statements I have made on this application are correct and complete.

24. Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

PLEASE USE THIS MAJOR LISTING TO COMPLETE LINE 15 ON THE APPLICATION FORM.
YOU MAY APPLY TO ONLY ONE (1) PROGRAM AT A TIME.

NOTE: If you are applying as a nondeclared graduate student, leave line 15 blank.

Graduate Programs
Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Master's Degrees

(ACTY) Accountancy	Outdoor Recreation	(PLB) Plant Biology
Information Systems	Resource Mngmt.	(PLSS) Plant and Soil Science
Taxation	Wood Science and Tech.	Crop Science
(AJ) Administration of Justice	(GEOG) Geography	Horticultural Science
(ABE) Agribusiness and Economics	Physical Envir. Systems	Soil Science
Agricultural Services	Resource Mngmt. Systems	(POLS) Political Science
(ANS) Animal Science	Urban and Regional	(PSYC) Psychology
(ANTH) Anthropology	Planning	Clinical
(ALNG) Applied Linguistics	(GEOL) Geology	Counseling
(ART) Art	(HED) Health Education	Experimental
(BEHV) Behavior Analysis and	(HIED) Higher Education	(PADM) Public Administration
Therapy	College Student Personnel	(REC) Recreation
(BIOS) Biological Sciences	Community College Teaching	(REHA) Rehabilitation Administration
(BA) Business Administration	(HIST) History	and Services
Information Systems	American	(REHC) Rehabilitation Counseling
International Business	European	(SOCW) Social Work
(CHEM) Chemistry	Latin American	(SOC) Sociology
(CE) Civil Engineering	(MFGS) Manufacturing Systems	(SPED) Special Education
(CDS) Communication Disorders and	(MATH) Mathematics	(SPCM) Speech Communication
Sciences	(MBMB) Molecular Biology	(TESO) Teaching English to Speakers
(CS) Computer Science	Microbiology and Biochemistry	of Other Languages
(CWRI) Creative Writing	(MCMA) Cinema and Photography	(THEA) Theater
(CI) Curriculum and Instruction	International Multimedia	(WED) Workforce Education and
(ECON) Economics	Journalism	Development
(EADM) Educational Administration	Telecommunications	(ZOOL) Zoology
(EPSY) Educational Psychology	(ME) Mechanical Engineering	
Counselor Education	(MNGE) Mining Engineering	
Educational Psychology	(MUS) Music	
(EE) Electrical Engineering	Music Education	
(ENGL) English	Music History and Lit.	
Composition	Music Theory and	
Literature	Composition	
(EADM) Educational Administration	Opera-Music Theater	
(FN) Food and Nutrition	Performance	
(FL) Foreign Languages and	Piano Pedagogy	
Literatures	(PHRM) Pharmacology	
French	(PHIL) Philosophy	
Spanish	(PE) Physical Education	
(FOR) Forestry	(PHYS) Physics	
Forest Resource Mngmt.	(PHSL) Physiology	

Doctoral Degrees

(ANTH) Anthropology	(ESCN) Engineering Science	(PHIL) Philosophy
(BA) Business Administration	(ENGL) English	(PHSL) Physiology
(CHEM) Chemistry	(GEOG) Geography	(PLB) Plant Biology
(ECON) Economics	Physical Envir. Systems	(POLS) Political Science
Education:	Resource Mngmt. Systems	(PSYC) Psychology
(EDCI) Curriculum and Instruction	(GEOL) Geology	Experimental
(EDEA) Educational Administration	(HSTY) Historical Studies	Clinical
(EDEP) Educational Psychology	(MATH) Mathematics	Counseling
(EDHE) Health Education	(MBMB) Molecular Biology	(REHB) Rehabilitation
(EDWE) Workforce Education and	Microbiology and Biochemistry	(SOC) Sociology
Development	(MCMA) Mass Communication and	(SPCM) Speech Communication/
	Media Arts	Theater
	(PHRM) Pharmacology	(ZOOL) Zoology



**ADMISSIONS INFORMATION
GRADUATE SCHOOL
Southern Illinois University
Carbondale, Illinois 62901**

Before an application can be considered for admission, the following information *must be submitted*.

- 1. APPLICATION FORM:** Please return both copies *intact* to the Department if you are declaring a major or to the Graduate School if you are requesting nondeclared status. All pertinent information must be given on the form; attachments are not acceptable. Illegible, incomplete, photocopied, or pencil applications are not acceptable and will be returned. **THE APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED AND DATED.**
- 2. INTERNATIONAL STUDENT APPLICATIONS:** Complete both the application and the separate Financial Statement form. **RETURN BOTH DOCUMENTS TOGETHER.**
- 3. OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS:** Request the registrar of each junior college, university, graduate and professional school you have attended to send an official transcript of your record **DIRECTLY** to the Department if you are declaring a major or to the Graduate School if you are requesting nondeclared status. **UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.** For International students, photocopies are accepted only if they bear an original official school seal from the Registrar's Office of the University you attended. The recording of one or more college's grades upon the transcripts of another college does **NOT** meet the requirement. No transcripts or any other application credentials will be returned or forwarded to other institutions.
- 4. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER** (does not apply to International students). Your Social Security number is important since it will be used in processing your application, and will become your identification number if you are admitted to the University. Applications cannot be processed without this item. If you do not have a Social Security number, obtain an application form at your local post office or nearest Social Security Administration Office.
- 5. PROPOSED MAJOR:** Please use the major listing on reverse side of page one (1) for completion of line 15. If you are applying as a **NONDECLARED** graduate student, leave line 15 blank.
- 6. TEST SCORES.** A TOEFL is required of all International Students whose native language is not English. The official test score report must be sent directly to the Graduate School (all applicants) by Educational Testing Service and the test date must be within the *24 month* period immediately preceding the proposed term of admission. GRE/GMAT/MAT tests are required by some programs. Please refer to catalog, brochure or major department for requirements.
- In order to be admitted to a degree program, an applicant must meet Graduate School admission requirements and be approved by the department or degree program concerned. Departments may require additional information such as letters of recommendation, GRE scores, etc.

General Information

- Admission to the Graduate School is contingent upon receipt of a bachelor's degree.
- An applicant to SIUC will not be considered for admission to two or more departments concurrently.
- Departmental requirements should be checked carefully before you indicate the degree program for which you wish to be considered. If there are questions, please write directly to the department for clarification.
- Questions regarding particular courses and programs should be sent directly to the department concerned.
- Graduate assistantship and fellowship applications may be secured from the department. Assistantships provide a stipend plus tuition waiver and have a 10 or 20 hour per week teaching, research, or service requirement. Fellowships provide a stipend plus tuition waiver, are awarded for 11 months, and have no duty requirements. Graduate Fellowships are awarded on a University-wide competitive basis. The deadline for receipt of fellowship applications is February 1.
- All credentials should be received by the Department and/or the Graduate School at least **THREE MONTHS** prior to the beginning of the term for which you wish to be considered for admission. (**SIX MONTHS** for International Students).
- For international students, all credentials should be received by the Department and/or the Graduate School at least six months prior to the beginning of the term for which you wish to be considered for admission.
- The Office of Disabled Student Services provides special facilities and services for students with permanent disabilities. Students interested in such services should directly contact that office.
- If you fail to enroll in courses for the initial term for which you applied, you will be required to update your application by notifying the Graduate School in writing. If your first registration in courses is more than one year after the term for which you first applied, you will be required to complete the entire application process again.

Financial Aid Information

Fellowships & Assistantships: Contact the department concerned.

Loans & Student Work: Financial Aid Office, Woody Hall B-300, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL 62901.

SIUC Graduate Tuition Scholarship, Morris Doctoral Fellowships, Illinois Minority Graduate Incentive Program, and Illinois Consortium for Educational Opportunity: Graduate School, Woody Hall B-114, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL 62901.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL CANNOT ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY MISUNDERSTANDING OF INSTRUCTIONS OR REGULATIONS, MISDIRECTED DOCUMENTS, OR OTHER DELAYS. IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO SEE THAT ALL CREDENTIALS REACH THE DEPARTMENT AND/OR GRADUATE SCHOOL BY THE APPROPRIATE DEADLINE.

**DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS APPLICATION
GRADUATE PROGRAM IN PHYSICS
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY AT CARBONDALE
CARBONDALE, IL 62901-4401 USA**

Please complete **both** sides of this application. **Please return form and all other materials to:**

Graduate Program Committee Chair
Department of Physics
Mailcode 4401
Southern Illinois University
Carbondale, IL 62901-4401

Please type or print legibly.

Last/Family Name: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____

Address for Reply: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Gender: ___ Female ___ Male Citizenship: _____

Are you a Permanent Resident of the U.S. ___ Yes ___ No

Semester and year you are applying for: ___ Fall (August) ___ Spring (January) ___ Summer (June) Year _____

Financial Assistance Desired: ___ Yes ___ No

International Students should submit applications at least 6 to 7 months prior to the desired admission date.

Academic Record: (List all colleges/universities attended, including SIUC.)

College or University: _____ Degree: _____

Dates Attended: _____ Major: _____ Grade Point Average (or %): _____

College or University: _____ Degree: _____

Dates Attended: _____ Major: _____ Grade Point Average (or %): _____

College or University: _____ Degree: _____

Dates Attended: _____ Major: _____ Grade Point Average (or %): _____

TOEFL* (International Students Only—cannot be more than 2 years old at beginning of semester for which application is made): _____ Date Taken _____

GRE: Verbal _____ (_____%) Quantitative _____ (_____%) Analytical _____ (_____%) Date Taken _____

***Admission cannot be processed unless TOEFL scores (if applicable) are provided.**

This space for office use only.

Eligible to apply for admission to our Graduate Program? ___ Yes ___ No

Eligible to apply for Graduate Assistantship? ___ Yes ___ No

For your graduate studies, are you interested in (check one):

Experimental Theory Undecided

The areas of physics currently available in the department are listed below. Check the one in which you are interested:

- Applied-Materials Science (Experimental)
- Biomedical/Biophysics (Experimental)
(Biophysics of Advanced Molecular Biotherapeutics)
- Solid State - Condensed Matter (Experimental)
- Atomic (Theory)
- Nuclear (Theory)
- Solid State - Condensed Matter (Theory)
- Computational Physics

Check which of the following courses you have taken (please provide your grade or %):

- | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Classical Mechanics | Grade _____(_____%) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Quantum Mechanics | Grade _____(_____%) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Electromagnetism | Grade _____(_____%) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Statistical Mechanics | Grade _____(_____%) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Solid State | Grade _____(_____%) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Nuclear | Grade _____(_____%) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Mathematical Physics | Grade _____(_____%) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other: Please specify: | |
| | _____ | Grade _____(_____%) |
| | _____ | Grade _____(_____%) |

13. Yes No Have you ever worked for an Illinois state-supported university, the State of Illinois, or one of its agencies? If SIUC, type of appointment was:

Faculty A/P Civil Service Student Worker Graduate Assistant

14. Education: (Please attach transcripts of college and university courses) Graduate Assistants must have a transcript on file in the Office of Graduate Admissions no later than the end of the first academic term or appointment at SIUC. If a student was admitted to graduate school prior to graduation, this means that an additional final transcript showing award of degree must be submitted.

Dates	Institution and location	Major	Degree name	Date conferred
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15. Experience: (Add supplemental pages if necessary)

Dates	Institution and location	Title/Rank	Salary	Nature of work
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16. Current membership in professional, civil, and veterans organizations:

17. Publications and papers read at professional meetings: (Add supplemental pages if necessary)

18. Thesis and dissertation titles, and names (with addresses) of major professors:

19. Research activities, projects, and grants:

20. I certify that (circle one) I am/am not in default, for a period of six months or more and in an amount of \$600 or more, on the repayment of any educational loan guaranteed by the Illinois Student Assistance Commission or made from state or federal funds for the purpose of my attendance at an institution of higher education. I understand that falsification of this information will result in termination of employment.

Print name _____ Date _____

Signature _____



Graduate School
Southern Illinois University
Carbondale

**Information Sheet for
Application for Admission
—International Form**

Please review thoroughly the general information provided below.

The Campus

Southern Illinois University Carbondale is 100 miles southeast of St. Louis, Missouri. The University was chartered in 1869 and is fully accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. There are approximately 22,300 students enrolled. International students total more than 1,300 representing 103 countries.

Educational Records

All applicants must submit official transcripts of all universities attended. U.S. schools must send their transcript directly to the Department. A transcript from a foreign school must be certified by an officer in the Registrar's Office of the school issuing the document. Photocopies without this certification will not be accepted. Applicants are advised to maintain contact with their major department. Failure to do this may make it impossible for the department to take any action on your application. PLEASE USE THE SAME FAMILY NAME ON ALL MATERIALS AND CORRESPONDENCE SUBMITTED.

TOEFL

All graduate students whose primary spoken language is not English must obtain a score of 550 or better on the TOEFL in order to be considered for admission. A 600 TOEFL is required in a few programs. Completion of an intensive English program will not substitute for the TOEFL. The TOEFL must have been taken no more than 24 months prior to the semester for which the applicant is seeking admission. If a foreign-born applicant has recently completed at least 100 semester hours of graded coursework at an accredited institution in the United States of America, the applicant will be given the same consideration for admission to a graduate degree program as a U.S. citizen, in regard to the use of English as a foreign language.

For information on the TOEFL write to: Test of English as a Foreign Language, Box 899, Princeton, New Jersey 08540, U.S.A.

International Students and Scholars

International Students and Scholars provides a wide range of services and programs for international students. They are located at 860 Lincoln Drive in the Northwest Annex, Wing B, Room 133, Carbondale, Illinois 62901, and may be contacted about housing, financial, and other general questions.

Financial Resources

You should have assured financial resources of not less than \$15,500.00 (United States dollars) for each year you are to be a student at the University. Estimated minimum expenses (exclusive of travel cost) are:

Room and Board (12 months) (varies)	\$8,000.00
Tuition and Fees	7,500.00
Total	\$15,500.00

Graduate students from abroad will be considered for fellowship or assistantship awards in open competition with American students on the basis of scholarship. These awards provide financial support in varying amounts for the academic year plus remission of tuition but not other fees. Assistantships are subject to income taxation. Application forms for either award may be requested from the major department and must be returned to the major department by February 1 to be considered for the fall semester.

Admission Procedure

Your application for admission to SIUC should include the following information:

1. An application form.
2. Financial Statement (reverse side of this page).
3. Your official academic credentials.
4. Official TOEFL report, if required, sent from Educational Testing Service.
5. Three letters of recommendation from your major professors if requested by the department.
6. Other information as deemed necessary by the Graduate School and your major department.

APPLICANTS ARE ADVISED TO SUBMIT THEIR APPLICATIONS AT LEAST SIX MONTHS PRIOR TO THE TERM IN WHICH THEY ARE SEEKING ADMISSION. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN YOUR NOT BEING ADMITTED FOR THE TERM IN WHICH YOU ARE SEEKING ADMISSION.

CONFIDENTIAL REPORT

Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Financial Statement for Graduate International Students

NOTICE: This form must be submitted with the application form. Until you show that you have satisfactory arrangements to meet your financial obligations at SIUC, you will not be admitted.

Student Name: [] Mr. [] Ms. [] Mrs. (Family Name) Nationality: []
(First) (Middle)

Current Address: _____

Proposed Department: _____ Enrollment Date: [] January [] June [] August Year _____

Have you previously attended SIUC? [] Yes [] No Degree(s) sought: [] Master's [] Ph.D.

Are you a resident alien? [] Yes [] No

If you are now in the United States, what type of visa do you hold? [] Student "F" Visa, "Exchange "J" Visa, [] Visitor Visa, [] Other _____

- NOTE: 1. Before you can be fully admitted, it is necessary for you to indicate that a minimum of U.S. \$15,500.00 will be available to you for each year of your proposed course of study at SIUC. 2. Due to currency exchange difficulties, we require certain students to advance at least one year's expenses to the university. We will notify students who fall into this category.

Source of Funds: Please complete section A, B, or C below. The persons responsible for financing your education (A or B below) must sign this form on the appropriate line below and furnish us with official documentation of funds and amounts via a recent bank statement or letter from the sponsoring organization.

A. Personal Sources: (Parents, Friends, or Relatives)

This is to certify that I, _____, will provide funds in the amount of U.S. \$ _____ per year for _____ during his/her studies at SIUC. (Name of student)

Signature of sponsor: _____; Relationship: _____

Address: _____

B. Organization furnishing financial assistance: (Government grants or other sources)

A scholarship or fellowship Effective Dates: Amount of award: U.S. \$ _____ From _____ To _____ Source of funding _____

C. SIUC Assistantship or Fellowship: _____ (Department to which you have applied) Are your studies totally dependent upon this award? [] Yes [] No

Dependents / Health Insurance Are you Married [] Unmarried []? If married, do you plan to bring your spouse and/or children to the U.S.? Yes [] No [] IMPORTANT: If you bring your family to the U.S., we require that you show proof to the U.S. Consulate of financial resources for their support in the amount of U.S. \$3,000 per year for a spouse and U.S. \$1,500 per year for each child. SIUC also requires that you purchase health insurance for any dependents who join you in the U.S. for the duration of their stay. (For more information, contact International Students and Scholars.)

*To be signed by student: I certify that the statements given by me in this form are complete and accurate. Furthermore, I take all financial responsibilities should my source of funding (as specified above) stop.

(Signature of student)

(Date)

PROFESSIONAL RECORD
 APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
 (Graduate Assistantship or Fellowship)

1. Name and Address of Applicant: _____

2. Semester Applying: Fall Spring Summer 19____

3. A copy of all transcripts (or attached copies of mark sheets and certificates) must be submitted separately to the department for consideration of admission and graduate assistantships or fellowships.

4. Summary of Grades:

For Student sin the USA, Canada, and elsewhere (if appropriate):

Total GPA (Grade Point Average: A - 4.0):
 GPA in Physics:
 GPA in Mathematics:

Any Honors:

For Students abroad (if appropriate):

	<u>Examination</u>	<u>Grades/Marks</u>	<u># of Students</u>	<u>Rank</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____

5. Names of References

	Name	Address
1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____

Please arrange to have your referees forward letters of reference directly to:

Dr. Aldo Migone, Chair
 Department of Physics
 Southern Illinois University–Carbondale
 Carbondale, IL 62901-4401



Department of Physics
Southern Illinois University - Carbondale

(To be filled in by Applicate)

Name of Applicant: _____

Recommendation requested of: _____

Under the Federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, students are entitled to review their records, including letters of recommendation. It is your option to waive your right of acces to these recommendations or to decline to do so. Please mark the appropriate phrase below, indicating your choice, and sign your name:

I waive my right to review of this recommendation.

Signature: _____

I do not waive my right to review of this recommendation.

Date: _____

(To be filled in by person making recommendation)

The Department of Physics would appreciate your evalaution of the person named above realtive to his/her request for gradaute study and a teaching assistantship. On a scale of 0-100, 100 being the highest, rate the candidate realtive to all other students you have known. Place an X if you have no basis for evaluation.

General Educational Background	<input type="text"/>	Research Ability	<input type="text"/>
Intellectual Ability	<input type="text"/>	Perseverance in Pursuing Golas	<input type="text"/>
Imagination and Creativity	<input type="text"/>	Proficiency in Laboratory Work	<input type="text"/>
Reliability	<input type="text"/>		

Please add any comments or attach a letter of recommendation which might be helpful in evaluating the appicant's potential as a graduate student and teaching assistant.

Mail to:

Graduate Committee Chair
Dept. of Physics
Southern Illinois Univeersity - Carbondale
Carbondale, IL 62901 USA

Signature of Respondent
Title of Respondent and Department (if applicable)
Institution
Date