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OPPORTUNITY GRANTS

PROGRAM 2010

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT
APPLICATION**

Período de inscrição

**1º de maio a 15 de junho de
2010**



Opportunity Grants 2010 Undergraduate

CHECKLIST

Nome: _____

Cidade: _____

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<input type="checkbox"/> Formulário de candidatura
<input type="checkbox"/> Aceitação da candidatura e dos termos e condições
<input type="checkbox"/> Comprovante de Renda
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 Redações
<input type="checkbox"/> Carta de Recomendação
<input type="checkbox"/> Histórico Escolar
<input type="checkbox"/> Outros:



CONTACT INFORMATION

1. Full Name:

2. Full Address including Zip Code:

3. Phone Numbers:

4. E-mail:

5. Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy):

6. Gender:

7. Identification Card Number and Issuer Entity (Detran, IFP, etc.):

8. Mother's current occupation and work address (Be specific in case she is self-employed):

9. Father's current occupation and work address (Be specific in case he is self-employed):

10. Number of siblings:

11. Number of people living in your house:



12. Religion:

13. Who pays for your School expenses?

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

14. School Name and Address:

15. School phone number:

16. Principal's Name and e-mail address:

17. In which subjects have you achieved the best grades?

18. What is your level of English proficiency? Have you ever taken a placement test in English?

19. List the name of all schools/universities that you have attended or attend, their address, and the year enrolled.

20. List all extra-curricular activities, clubs, sports, and so on, that you take part in at school and in your community. Highlight the activity you dedicate more time and energy to (Use all the space you need – this is a highly important item in your application).



21. Among the activities listed above, describe the one that is more meaningful to you and explain why.

PERSONAL ASSESSMENT 1

Please provide answers that are between 5 and 10 lines.

22. Have you applied for or participated in any U.S. Government-sponsored academic exchanges? If yes, which program and when?

23. Describe any previous experience in the U.S. Include reason and duration.

24. Are you employed? If so, what is your job?

25. Are you a member of an ethnic or religious minority, disabled, or disadvantaged in another manner? Please explain.

27. Describe your academic achievements. What honors or awards have you received?



28. Describe evidence of your leadership qualities.

**29. If everything works well for you, what will you have achieved in 10 years?
Maximum of 100 words**

30. What do you intend to share with other international and American students about your home culture and country? Maximum of 100 words.

PERSONAL ASSESSMENT 2

Please provide answers that are between 5 and 10 lines.

31. What do you hope to study at university? What is your planned career and why?

(Feel free to mention more than one potential field of study and career path. US education offers many new opportunities and one does not need to decide on a specific one before applying)



32. Outside of your planned career path, name several things you would like to learn just for the pure joy of learning – what do you have a burning desire to know more about?

33. What else should we know about your background, your family and your financial condition?

34. Selection for Opportunity Grants (OG) is very keen. Why should we select you over other highly-qualified Brazilian students? What makes you unique?



ESSAYS (From 500 to 700 words)

Essay A

Colleges and universities in the United States will want to get to know you as a person, both in and out of the classroom. Use this essay as an opportunity to let us know you, how you think and what is important to you. As we want to get to know you and not look for the most dramatic tale, it is essential that all experiences mentioned in these essays are a true and accurate depiction of your life.

Describe your educational path. How did you get to where you are today? What are your educational goals, and how does attending a US University fit into them?

Essay B – Select only one topic!

B1- Brazil is widely known by its natural beauty and its success in sports, especially soccer. However there are many issues that affect all Brazilian citizens. Currently there has been a national political debate around the distribution of oil royalties among all States. How has this resounded in your region? What is your position about it? If you have become active in some way around this issue tell us how.

B2- If you were able to have dinner with a historical figure from any part of the world and any historical time period, who would you choose and why? What lessons could the present day world learn from that person?

B3- What is the greatest scientific discovery so far in the history of mankind? Describe its positive and potentially negative impact to justify your choice. Now if you could make one scientific discovery in your life, what discovery would you want to make and why?

B4- What is the role of the artist in modern society? Do the arts (theater, literature, fine arts, music) shape societal opinion or merely reflect it? Explain.

OG Financial Assessment

35. Descreva qualquer situação especial que tenha um impacto econômico na sua família. Este é um item importante pois nos permite avaliar sua candidatura dentro do seu contexto específico.

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| Renda anual materna | 1. R\$ | <input type="checkbox"/> Por favor, marque se você mora só com seu pai ou mãe. |
| Renda anual paterna | 2. R\$ | |
| Renda anual do candidato | 3. R\$ | |
| Outras fontes de renda familiar | 4. R\$ | |
| Total das linhas 1-4 | R\$ | |
| Número de irmãos | 5. _____ | Idade: |
| Número de outros dependentes da renda familiar acima | 6. _____ | Idade: |
| Em que tipo de moradia sua família vive? | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Própria (ou financiada)
<input type="checkbox"/> Alugada
<input type="checkbox"/> Outros | |
| Algum familiar está matriculado em instituição de nível superior ao mesmo tempo que você? | 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Sim
<input type="checkbox"/> Não | |



ACEITAÇÃO DA CANDIDATURA E DOS TERMOS E CONDIÇÕES

O objetivo deste formulário é verificar:

1. que você, o candidato, e seus pais/guardiões leram e entenderam os termos sob os quais essa candidatura está sendo realizada;
2. que toda a informação fornecida nesta candidatura por todas as partes envolvidas é legalmente correta;
3. que todas as redações enviadas representam o trabalho do candidato;
4. que o candidato está totalmente ciente de que caso sua candidatura seja aceita, não há garantia de uma vaga em universidade Americana, de ajuda financeira, ou quaisquer outros benefícios além daqueles para os quais o programa se propõe, conforme listados na página 1 desse documento.

Para o candidato:

Se você concorda com os termos acima, por favor, preencha os campos abaixo, assinie e date.

Eu (Letra de forma) _____, pelo presente, concordo com os termos e condições expressas nesse documento de candidatura.

Assinatura: _____ Data: ____/____/____

Para o responsável legal do candidato:

Se você concorda com os termos acima, por favor, preencha os campos abaixo, assinie e date.

Eu/Nós (nome dos responsáveis legais) _____

e

_____, pelo presente, concordo(damos) com os termos e condições expressas nesse documento de candidatura.

Assinatura(s): _____ Data: ____/____/____

_____ Data: ____/____/____

Obrigado por se candidatar para o Programa de Oportunidades Acadêmicas. Estamos ansiosos para avaliar sua candidatura!