



2008-2009 Financial Aid Release Form

Name: _____ UHD ID: _____-_____-_____

Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act (FERPA) Release

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a federal law that protects the privacy of student educational records, both financial and academic. For the student's protection, FERPA generally limits, with certain exceptions, release of student information without the student's explicit written consent. In order to release information concerning your financial aid, your authorization is needed.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT

To authorize UHD's Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid (OSFA) to release student financial aid information, please complete, sign, and return this form to our office.

Student Disclosure and Release of Information

I understand that any and all personally identifiable information concerning my financial aid, with certain exceptions, is protected under FERPA. I further understand that I may grant access of my student financial aid information to individuals of my choice. This release allows the individual(s) listed below to access my student financial aid information only from records maintained by UHD OSFA. Primarily, the information provided to the identified individual(s) is the status of my financial aid application (what is on file, what is missing, etc.). I will advise those identified below that UHD OSFA will not release most information on the telephone, because of the inability to positively identify the caller for lack of a photo ID.

NAME OF PERSON

RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT

By signing this release, I authorize UHD to release any and all financial aid information to the person(s) listed above. I acknowledge that this release is only effective for the 2008-2009 academic year. I also understand that I may cancel this authorization at any time.

Signature of Student

Date