

## **2023-2024** Public Safety Officer Career Advancement Grant (PSOCAG) Program Application

PSOCAG is a state-funded grant program offered for up to tuition and fees (maximum of \$5,000 per year, subject to funding) for students enrolled in criminal justice-related programs at Weber State University available for up to four academic years. Any reimbursements received under the previous PSOCAR program will count toward the overall limit of four academic years. If total qualified applicant awards exceed available funding in any given year, awards will be reduced on a pro rata basis across all qualified applicants.

- Qualified PSOCAG applicants may submit applications beginning July 1, 2023.
- The priority deadline for 2023-2024 PSOCAG applications is December 1, 2023.

## Qualified PSOCAG applicants must:

- be a certified peace officer, currently employed by a law enforcement agency in Utah;
- be seeking a post-secondary degree in a criminal justice related program from a credit-granting USHE Institution;
- maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress each semester;
- submit a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) annually;
- submit employer certification from an authorized representative at a Utah law enforcement agency;
- submit official transcripts from any other post-secondary institutions attended (if applicable);

Submit completed applications to finaid@weber.edu with the following information:

- 1. Complete all required fields
- 2. Sign and date the application
- 3. Attach transcripts for any post-secondary institutions attended (if applicable)
- 4. Attach letter of employment verification from eligible Utah Law Enforcement Agency on letterhead with signature from authorized representative

Applicant Signature Date

By signing this application, I hereby certify under the penalty of perjury that I have read and understand the program rules and that all information provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

DEMOGRAPHICS						
Name		W Number				
Semesters Include semesters you plan to enroll at WSU in an eligible program						
Phone Number		Email				

PRIOR ENROLLMENT	(if applicable)								
Previous Institution				Program of Study					
Semester (Fall, Spring, Summer & Year)	Credits Attempted (# Credits Attempted)	Credits Earned (# Credits Earne	ed)	% Credits Earned (Credits earned/ Credits attempted)	Ov	verall GPA	PSOCAG Awarded  Amount of reimbursement received if applicable		
You must include an of Weber State University	• • •	vith final gra	des	for any prior post-s	ecor	ndary enrollr	nent other than		

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY								
Include current employment history as of the time of application.								
You must also attach a letter of employment verification on letterhead signed by an authorized representative.								
Current Employer			Employer Phone					
Employer Address (Street, City, State, Zip)								
Employer Jurisdiction (county or counties)								
Length of Employment:	From (mo/yr)		To (mo/yr					
THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE EMPLOYER								
Printed Name		•	Title					
Signature								
I hereby certify I am an authorized representative of the above-named employer, which is a law enforcement agency within the state of Utah, and the named applicant is currently employed as a certified peace officer for the period provided.								