

Public Safety Officer Career Advancement Grant Program (PSOCAG)

The PSOCAG is a state funded grant program for certified peace officers who are currently employed by a Utah law enforcement or corrections agency and who are seeking a post-secondary degree in a criminal justice related program. This grant can cover up to the cost of tuition and fees with a maximum of \$5,000 per year for four academic years and is subject to funding.

For more information, please contact either Laney Smith, Assistant Professor in Criminal Justice 435-586-5410, or Christine Fawson, Academic Scholarship and State Aid Coordinator 435-586-7735.

****Applications are due the first day of classes.**

Name: _____

T-Number: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Are you a certified peace officer? Yes No

Certification Date: _____

Are you currently employed by a Utah law enforcement or corrections agency?

Yes No

- If yes, please attach a copy of your current ID card or verification of employment.

Current Employer: _____

Agency: _____

Employer Phone: _____

Employer Address: _____

Employer Jurisdiction: _____

Are you seeking a post-secondary degree in a criminal justice related program?

Yes No

Program of Study: Criminal Justice Cyber Security Public Administration Other

If other, please state what it is and how the program will help advance your career in law enforcement. _____

Are you a full time or part time student: Full time Part time

Have you completed the FAFSA application? Yes No

What other means of finance are you using to fund your education?

I understand that the amount of the award is subject to available funding and may be reduced.

I understand that I have the right to appeal an adverse decision.

I understand that I may participate in the PSOCAG for a maximum of four academic years.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

To be completed by an authorized representative of the employer

I hereby certify that 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 a certified peace officer.

Date of hire _____

Applicant's current position _____

Printed Name _____

Title _____

Signature _____ **Date** _____