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Consumer	Description
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Institutional and Financial Aid Information	Financial aid information and procedures can be found on Financial Aid and Awards Office website.  For information regarding the rights, responsibilities and continued eligibility of students receiving Title IV financial assistance programs:  Eligibility and academic progress: http://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-
	loans/usa/introduction-to-usloans.html   Terms of loans and repayment information: http://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-loans/usa/leaving-concordia.html   Procedures and forms to apply for financial aid: http://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-loans/usa/application-process.html   Return of Title IV policy:
	http://www.concordia.ca/content/dam/concordia/offices/faao/docs/USStudentAid/ReturnTitleIVPolicy.pdf
Contact Information for Assistance Obtaining	The Financial Aid and Awards Office can be contacted in the following ways:
Institutional or Financial Aid Information	<ul> <li>Emailing fundingyoureducation@concordia.ca</li> <li>Booking an appointment FAAObookanappointment@concordia.ca</li> <li>Calling our office at 514-848-2424 ext. 3507</li> <li>Visiting our office, Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.</li> <li>Summer Hours June 9,2023 -August 11,2023 Monday to Thursday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Friday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.</li> </ul>
Ineligible Location	Toronto location situated on 20 Bay Street, 11 <sup>th</sup> floor, Toronto ON M5J 2N8 is an ineligible location for the purpose of Title IV aid and does not offer any eligible programs.
Students with Disabilities	Information about Concordia Services offered to students with disabilities is available from the <u>Access Centre for Students</u> with <u>Disabilities</u> .
Telecommunication Courses/Programs	As a Title IV Foreign Institution, recipients of Direct Loan funding, are not eligible to enroll in telecommunication courses or programs, this means that the version of the program into which the student is accepted will not include the following:  Any use of a telecommunications course, correspondence course, or direct assessment (CFR 600.51(d))

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Nondegree Programs	As a Title IV Foreign Institution, recipients of Direct Loan funding, are not eligible to enroll in nondegree programs.
First Professional Programs	As a Title IV Foreign Institution, recipients of Direct Loan funding are not eligible to enroll in first professional programs.
	First-professional degrees represent a category of qualifications in professional subject areas that require students to have previously completed specified undergraduate coursework and/or degrees before enrolling. They are considered graduate-level programs in the U.S. system because the follow prior undergraduate studies, but they are in fact first degrees in these professional subjects. Holders of first-professional degrees are considered to have an entry-level qualification and may undertake graduate study in these professional fields following the award of the first-professional degree. Several of these degrees use the term "doctor" in the title, but these degrees do not contain an independent research component or require a dissertation (thesis) and should not be confused with PhD degrees or other research doctorates.
Foundation Programs	As a Title IV Foreign Institution, recipients of Direct Loan funding are not eligible to enroll in foundation programs.  A foundation program is a non-degree program that caters to students who wish to develop the necessary background for further study in undergraduate degree program.
U.S. student admissions requirement	U.S. students must have a high school diploma or equivalent to be admitted. <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/admissions/undergraduate/international/usa.html">https://www.concordia.ca/admissions/undergraduate/international/usa.html</a>
Cost of Attendance	Information regarding the cost of tuition, fees, mandatory health insurance and student housing please refer to <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial/tuition-fees/rates.html">https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial/tuition-fees/rates.html</a> . Other expenses such as books and housing can be estimated based on the undergraduate admissions page: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/admissions/undergraduate/costs-aid.html">https://www.concordia.ca/admissions/undergraduate/costs-aid.html</a>

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Refund Policy, Requirements for	Information regarding the institution refund policy and course withdrawals please refer to:
Withdrawal and Return of Title IV	http://www.concordia.ca/admissions/tuition-fees/how-fees-are-
Financial Aid	billed/undergraduate/refunds.html and http://www.concordia.ca/admissions/tuition-
	fees/how-fees-are-billed/graduate/refunds.html Information regarding Academic
	withdrawals and the Return of Tile IV Financial Aid:
	https://www.concordia.ca/content/dam/concordia/offices/faao/docs/USStudentAid/R2T4%20Policies%20and
	%20Proce dures%2012022016.pdf/subassets/R2T4PoliciesandProcedures08302021.pdf
	The student's withdrawal date is the midpoint of the payment period or, if applicable, the last date of
	academic attendance as determined by the institution's attendance records. (Date of Determination: must
	determine the withdrawal date no later than 30 days after the end of the earlier of (1) the payment period or
	the period of enrollment (as applicable), (2) the academic year, or (3) the student's educational program.)
	The official university withdrawal policy for undergraduates please see: <u>Academic information: Definitions</u>
	and Regulations - Section 16 (16.1.5)
	For withdrawal policies for Graduate student please refer to the <u>Graduate Calendar</u>
Academic Programs	For information on academic programs offered at Concordia University, please refer to the admissions website: <a href="http://www.concordia.ca/admissions.html">http://www.concordia.ca/admissions.html</a>
	A list of all current degree programs and other educational training programs can be found in the University
	Calendar and websites:
	Undergraduate: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/academics/undergraduate/calendar.html">https://www.concordia.ca/academics/undergraduate/calendar.html</a> and
	https://www.concordia.ca/academics/undergraduate.html
	Graduate: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/academics/graduate/calendar/current.html">https://www.concordia.ca/academics/graduate/calendar/current.html</a> and
	https://www.concordia.ca/academics/graduate.html
	In addition, you may also refer to the <u>Board of Governors</u> and <u>Senate</u> websites.
	For information regarding the university's accreditation, licensure or approvals please see the University
	Charter and By-Laws. <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/about/administration-governance/board-">https://www.concordia.ca/about/administration-governance/board-</a>
	senate/charter.html

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Institution	For a list of designated institution personnel regarding the individual departments please see the following:
Information	Financial Aid & Awards:
	http://www.concordia.ca/directories.html?f=search&s1=16&s2=17&s3=8&fname=&lname=&ptitle=&email=&depart
	m=financial+aid☎=&building=&start=0
	School Information: <a href="http://www.concordia.ca/admissions/recruitment/contact-a-recruiter.html">http://www.concordia.ca/admissions/recruitment/contact-a-recruiter.html</a>
	Information on Completion or Graduation Rates: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/about/fast-facts.html">https://www.concordia.ca/about/fast-facts.html</a>
	School Security Policies and Crime Statistics: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/campus-life/security.html">https://www.concordia.ca/campus-life/security.html</a>
Instructional Facilities	A full list of all university facilities including instructional, laboratory and other building can are listed on the
	following site: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/maps/buildings.html">https://www.concordia.ca/maps/buildings.html</a>
Faculty	A list of all faculty members is included in the university calendar
,	https://www.concordia.ca/academics/undergraduate/calendar.html and on each of the faculty websites:
	Faculty of Arts and Science: https://www.concordia.ca/artsci/about/chairs-faculty-staff.html
	Gina Cody School of Engineering and Computer Science: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/ginacody/about/faculty-members.html">https://www.concordia.ca/ginacody/about/faculty-members.html</a>
	Faculty of Fine Arts: https://www.concordia.ca/finearts/about/faculty.html
	John Molson School of Business: https://www.concordia.ca/jmsb/research/faculty.html
Principles of Excellence	The University can process applications for US Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) funding (also known as the GI Bill
for Educational	or Post 9/11 Bill) and can complete and submit certificates of enrolment to the VA.
Institutions Serving	
Service Members,	Principles of Excellence is waived for foreign schools.
Veterans, Spouses and	https://www.va.gov/education/choosing-a-school/principles-of-excellence/
other Family Members	

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Textbook and Course	For information on the Concordia Bookstore and textbooks please see Campus Retail Stores:
Schedule Information	https://www.concordia.ca/book-stop.html
	For information regarding the course schedule please see Course registration and then access your My CU Account
	through the Student Hub to see your required booklist.
FERPA (Privacy Laws	Policy, protocol and guidelines that Concordia University has in place to help protect privacy:
and Regulations)	http://www.concordia.ca/content/dam/common/docs/policies/official-policies/New-Access-Guidelines.pdf
Safeguarding Customer	Policy, protocol and guidelines that Concordia University has in place to help protect privacy:
Information	http://www.concordia.ca/content/dam/common/docs/policies/official-policies/SG-9.pdf
Student Loan	Please see the information published by the U.S Department of Education can be found via Federal Direct Loans - U.S.
Information Published by	
the U.S Department of	
Education	Concordia University can also supply prospective and current students at any time with information pertaining to loan
	availability, student rights and responsibilities and educational institutions under the Title IV program as published by
	the U.S Department of Education.
National Student Loan	Concordia University reports student program and registration status regularly throughout the academic year. The
Data System (NSLDS)	NSLDS system is accessed at the following link: <a href="https://nsldsfap.ed.gov/login">https://nsldsfap.ed.gov/login</a>
Entrance Counselling	All Title IV loan borrowers (including PLUS loans) at Concordia University are required to complete Entrance
for Student Loan	Counselling prior to receiving loan funds. Entrance Counselling describes the rights and obligations of borrowers and
Borrowers and Master	may answer many questions you may have about loans, it may be completed at <u>StudentLoans.gov</u> . For more
Promissory Note	information see: <a href="http://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-loans/usa/eligibility-and-">http://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-loans/usa/eligibility-and-</a>
	<u>preparations.html</u>
	   Students must complete a Direct Loan Master Promissory Note (MPN). This is a binding legal document in which you
	agree to repay your loan under certain terms. Borrowers outside of the US need to submit an MPN every year. The D
	Direct Loan Master Promissory Note is e-signed here: <a href="https://studentaid.gov/mpn">https://studentaid.gov/mpn</a>
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Disbursement for Books	Disbursements are made on a per term basis please see the following for more information:
and Supplies	https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-loans/usa/application-process.html

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Exit Counselling for	You must go to <a href="https://studentaid.gov/exit-counseling/">https://studentaid.gov/exit-counseling/</a> website if you withdraw from the University or graduate to
Student Loan	complete Exit Counselling. You will be counselled on your obligations, rights and options under the terms of your loan.
Borrowers	This session will cover repayment options, deferments and other important information you may need during your repayment term. For more information see: <a href="http://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-">http://www.concordia.ca/students/financial-support/government-</a>
	loans/usa/leaving-concordia.html
US Alternative Loans	For more information regarding alternative educational loans, please see the Alternative Loans Section on our website: <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial/loans/us/alternative.html">https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial/loans/us/alternative.html</a>
Written arrangements	Concordia does not have any written arrangements between eligible institutions or any written consortiums.
Concordia University Voluntary Disclosure - Misrepresentation	Concordia does not in any way or form meaningfully misrepresent the nature of its educational programs nor does it intentionally provide false, erroneous or misleading statements regarding the nature of its educational programs, nature of financial charges, employability of its graduates or its relationship with the U.S Department of Education. Concordia's Educational Programs are governed by the university's <u>Senate</u> and is a recognized member of BCI-Bureau de Coopération Interuniversitaire: <a href="http://www.bci-qc.ca/en/">http://www.bci-qc.ca/en/</a>
Code of Conduct for Education Loans	The US Code of Conduct relating to Education Loans specifies that to prohibit a conflict of interest regarding private education loans, employees with responsibility for US loans are prohibited from the following activities:  • Participating in revenue-Sharing arrangements with any lender  • Receiving gifts from a lender, a guarantor or loan servicer  • Contracting arrangement providing financial benefit from any lender or affiliate of a lender  • Directing borrowers to particular lenders or refusing or delaying loan certifications  • Offers of funds for private loans  • Call center or financial aid office staffing assistance  • Advisory Board compensation

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Study Abroad	If you are a student wishing to participate in a study abroad program, please refer to the following link. <a href="https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial/loans/us/federal-direct.html">https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial/loans/us/federal-direct.html</a> Please contact the Financial Aid and Awards Office for additional guidance before pursuing studies abroad.
Title IV Eligible Foreign Schools and the American Opportunity Tax Credit	As an eligible Title IV educational institution, Concordia University can only provide Canadian federal (T2202A) and provincial (RL-8) tax receipts. If you are filing taxes in the US, you can use the information on the T2202A, along with Concordia's EIN (Employer Identification Number)98-1422233. You will require this information in order to complete your US income tax returns.  http://www.concordia.ca/admissions/tuition-fees/how-fees-are-billed/undergraduate/obligations.html