

Application for Multi-Court Exemption from the Judicial Conference's Electronic Public Access (EPA) Fees For Individual Researchers Associated with Educational Institutions

Applicant's Name:	
Applicant's Title:	
Applicant's Phone Number:	
Applicant's Email Address:	
Applicant's Mailing Address:	

1. Are you an individual researcher associated with an educational institution, or a student associated with an educational institution conducting academic research under the supervision of a professor or instructor?

- Yes
- No

2. Please identify your status. [Certification Requirement] Please attach a letter from the professor/instructor who certifies this research is for a course project, thesis, dissertation, or other academic product.

- High School student
- Undergraduate Student
- Graduate/Professional Student
- Faculty/Lecturer
- Post-Doctoral Researcher
- Certification program student.

3. Please provide the name and type of educational institution you and your research are associated with.

Name of Institution: _____

- Community/Junior College
- Four-year college or university
- Post-graduate program
- Other degree conferring program, including secondary school program.
- Professional skills certification program
- Other non-degree conferring program. Explain:

4. Is the associated educational institution duly accredited and located in the United States? You may search this site <https://ope.ed.gov/dapip/#/home> to determine whether your institution has been accredited in the United States.

Yes

No

5. Do you and/or your affiliated academic institution plan to sell the product of your research?

Yes

No

6. Do you plan to re-distribute the product of your research? If so, please describe the manner in which it will be re-distributed?

7. Please describe your research project, including the hypothesis or thesis that your research will support. You may be required to provide additional information.

8. Please describe what resources are needed from PACER and why. Limitation in scope is demonstrated by narrowly tailoring the amount of exempt access requested to meet the needs of the defined research project.

9. Please estimate of the number and type(s) of cases and/or documents needed to accomplish your research.

10. Please indicate whether you intend to conduct your research using manual searches or by running a data script or some other computer-aided search and/or retrieval process.

11. What is the period of time for which you are requesting the PACER fee exemption? Please note that you must provide a specific timeframe. You may not request an exemption for an indefinite time period.

12. Please select the courts from which you are requesting PACER fee exemptions.

Courts of Appeal

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All Courts of Appeal | <input type="checkbox"/> Fifth Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Tenth Circuit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Sixth Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Eleventh Circuit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Second Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Seventh Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> D.C Circuit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Third Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Eighth Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Circuit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fourth Circuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Ninth Circuit | |

Bankruptcy Appellate Panels (BAP)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> First Circuit - BAP | <input type="checkbox"/> Ninth Circuit - BAP |
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District Courts

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Alabama Middle | <input type="checkbox"/> Illinois Central | <input type="checkbox"/> Nebraska | <input type="checkbox"/> Rhode Island |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alabama Northern | <input type="checkbox"/> Illinois Northern | <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada | <input type="checkbox"/> South Carolina |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alabama Southern | <input type="checkbox"/> Illinois Southern | <input type="checkbox"/> New Hampshire | <input type="checkbox"/> South Dakota |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska | <input type="checkbox"/> Indiana Northern | <input type="checkbox"/> New Jersey | <input type="checkbox"/> Tennessee Eastern |
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Bankruptcy Courts

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