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VETERAN BENEFITS

YELLOW RIBBON PROGRAM APPLICATION

Note: Applications are not considered complete without a copy of the Certificate of Eligibility (COE), issued by the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), stating that you are 100% eligible for this program. Yellow Ribbon consists of an institutional Yellow Ribbon award from PUC and a matching Yellow Ribbon award from the VA.

Qualified applicants may receive up to the following award amounts (with a matching amount from the VA), once per academic year:

- **Undergraduate students:** Awards up to \$6000 of remaining unfunded tuition
- **Graduate students:** Awards up to \$6000 of remaining unfunded tuition

STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name: (Last, First, Middle)	Student ID #
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Program of Study: _____ Academic Level: Undergraduate Graduate

STATEMENT OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT *Please check each statement*

- I understand that the Department of Veterans Affairs establishes eligibility for the Post 9/11 benefit and the participation in the Yellow Ribbon Program is contingent on VA approval.
- I believe I am 100% eligible for the Post 9/11 benefit based on the following criteria set and determined by VA:
 - I served at least 36 months on active duty (either all at once or with breaks in service), or
 - I received a Purple Heart on or after September 11, 2001, and was honorably discharged after any amount of service, or
 - I received a Fry Scholarship on or after August 1, 2018, or
 - I served for at least 30 continuous days (all at once, without a break) on or after September 11, 2001, and was discharged after 60 days with a service-connected disability, or
 - I am a dependent child using benefits transferred by a Veteran or a service member who has served for at least 36 months on active duty and qualifies at the 100% level, or
 - I am a dependent spouse using benefits transferred by a Veteran, at the 100% level, and the service member is no longer on Active Duty.
- I understand that if I do not provide the Veterans Service Office at PUC with all proper documentation and follow policies and procedures, I will not be considered for the Yellow Ribbon Program.
- I understand that PUC only awards Yellow Ribbon in one quarter per academic year. This is awarded only during the semester that I reach the VA annual tuition benefit cap.
- I understand that Pacific Union College is not required to continue making Yellow Ribbon Program contributions if I am not in good academic standing or if PUC does not renew the Yellow Ribbon agreement with the VA for the following academic year.
- I understand that if I have any outstanding VA overpayments with previously attended institutions of higher learning, I may be ineligible to receive Yellow Ribbon funding.
- I understand that upon confirmation of Yellow Ribbon eligibility, institutional need-based awards from the college may be adjusted.
- The information submitted on this request is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Student's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____