

Winthrop University Citizenship Status Verification

Student Name: _____ Campus ID number: _____

Pursuant to section 59-101-430 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, as amended in 2008, to attend a public university in the state a student must be a citizen or national of the United States or an alien lawfully present in the United States. Winthrop University is required to verify the status of all students prior to enrolling at the University.

Students must provide proof of citizenship or lawful presence in the United States to be eligible to enroll at Winthrop University.

If you are a citizen of the United States, please sign this form, attach one of the listed documents and mail the form and attachment to:

The Office of Records and Registration
Winthrop University
126 Tillman Hall
Rock Hill, SC 29733

Valid Documents:

- South Carolina Driver's License if you were first licensed after January 1, 2002. (Winthrop may verify the license with the South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles.)
- Current and valid driver's license from any US state **EXCEPT** California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Hawaii, Illinois, Maryland, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah, Vermont, and Washington.
- Certified Birth Certificate indicating you were born in the United States or a territory of the United States, with your given name and surname, date and place of birth, date birth record was filed and the seal or other certification of the official custodian of the record. This certificate will be retained as a part of your student record.

You may also verify your status using one of the following documents:

- Current US Passport
- Certificate of Naturalization (USCIS Form N-550 or N-570)
- US government issued Consular Report of Birth Abroad
- Certificate of Citizenship (N-560 or N-561)
- Unexpired US Active Duty/Retiree/Reservist Military ID card (DOD DD-2)
- Social Security Card

Copies are acceptable but Winthrop retains the right to ask for the original if needed.

By signing this form, I hereby attest and certify, under penalty of perjury, that I am a citizen of the United States.

Signature

Date