The City University of New York FERPA Release Form
Permission for Access to Educational Records

The following form should be submitted with photo ID to the Enrollment Services Center, located on the 1st Floor in the West Quad Building. You may contact the ESC at 718.758.8150 or esc@brooklyn.cuny.edu.

To contact the Registrar, you may call 718.951.5441 or email registrar@brooklyn.cuny.edu.
THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

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This form allows students to grant third parties, including parents, access to their educational records maintained by the student’s college. The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (Buckley Amendment) prohibits access to, or release of, educational records or personally identifiable information contained in such records (other than directory information) without the written consent of the student, with certain regulatory exceptions. A description of a student’s rights under FERPA is set forth in more detail in the college catalog.

Student Name (Please Print): ________________________________________

Social Security Number or University Identification Number ________________________________________

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize ____________________________ College of The City University of New York, to release the following educational records and information (identify records or types of records below):

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These records should be released to the following person/agency (identify name and address of person/agency to receive information):

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These records are being released for the purpose stated below:

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Student’s signature ____________________________ Date __________

Please note that “directory information” can be given out without the student’s written consent. The City University of New York defines directory information to include such information as a student’s name, attendance dates, home and e-mail address, telephone number, date and place of birth, photograph, status (e.g., full/part-time, undergraduate/graduate), degree program, credits completed, major, student activities and sports, previous school attended, and degrees, honors and awards received. This information may be released to anyone, unless restricted by written authorization of the student. Contact the Registrar’s Office at your campus if you wish to restrict this information.

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