Central Baptist Theological Seminary - Financial Aid Code of Conduct

Central's Financial Aid Staff understands their primary goal is to help students achieve their educational potential by providing appropriate financial resources.

To accomplish this goal, the financial aid staff shall:

- Be committed to removing financial barriers for those who wish to pursue postsecondary learning.
- Make every effort to assist students with financial need.
- Respect the dignity and protect the privacy of students, and ensure the confidentiality of student records and personal circumstances.
- Provide services that do not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, religion, disability, age, or economic status.
- Refrain from soliciting or accepting any gift from a lender or servicer of education loans. The law does provide for some exceptions related to specific types of activities or literature. This includes: brochures or training material related to default aversion or financial literacy, and/or food, training or information materials as part of training as long as that training contributes to the professional development of those individuals attending the training.
- Not accept any fee, payment, or other financial benefit (including the opportunity to purchase stock) from a lender as compensation for any type of consulting arrangement or other contract to provide services to a lender relating to education loans except as provided in the HEOA.
- Not accept staffing assistance from any lender in its financial aid operation except as provided in the HEOA.
- Not receive anything of value from a lender or servicer as compensation to serve on their advisory boards, commissions, or groups except for reasonable expenses incurred as provided by the HEOA.