

PhD Summer Research Status Form

A student in a degree program who is engaged during the summer in full-time research as an essential component of the graduate degree program is eligible to register for Summer Research Status and to be certified as a full-time student. This will establish the individual's official student status for purposes of loan eligibility and tax considerations. There is no charge to register for Summer Research status. Summer Research Status is available only for students continuing their studies in the fall; this status does not satisfy the mandatory registration for the final two semesters during which degree requirements are completed.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name:

First Name:

BU ID#:

BU Alert Number:

Program/Department:

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Semester/Year: **SUMMER II** YEAR: _____

Student engaged in full-time research, or teaching pertinent to the completion of degree requirements or to gaining competence in the field of study, may be certified as a full-time student. If you are eligible for certification, Please follow the instructions to complete the form and to upload for the online form submission.

You must indicate below the specific research you are doing, in support of your claim to full-time status.

Every student is responsible for knowing the general regulations of the Division of Graduate Medical Sciences as stated in the "Policies and Procedures" section of the *GMS Bulletin* and the more specific requirements stated in the individual section on each department, division, or program which may go beyond, or supplement, those of the Graduate School. At any time the administrative staff will be happy to interpret or clarify any rule or regulation. The *Bulletin* is available on-line at www.bumc.bu.edu/gms.