



**OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDIES
SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY AND A&M COLLEGE
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA**

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

On a separate sheet, write a concise statement (limited to one single-spaced page) indicating your purpose and objective in pursuing a graduate degree at Southern University as well as any relevant employment and academic experiences in your chosen field of study. If you are presently in a graduate program at another university, explain why you plan to transfer to Southern University.

Applicant: In order for your application to be processed, you must also provide the information requested below. Please attach this form to your statement of purpose.

(Please TYPE)

Name: Mr. () Mrs. () Ms. () _____
Last First Middle

Social Security No: _____ Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

Degree you wish to seek: _____ Major you wish to pursue: _____

Semester you wish to enter:
 Fall Spring Maymester Summer Year: _____

By affixing my signature below, I certify that I have read, understood and truthfully provided the information and personally completed this statement requested above.

Signature

Date