

The University of West Florida

Department _____

Certification of Academic Activity

The American Competitiveness Workforce Act of 1998 allows payment of honoraria and associated incidental expenses to B-1, B-2, WB, and WT visa holders for “usual academic activity,” if paid by a United States institution of higher education, a nonprofit organization affiliated with an institution of higher education, or a nonprofit or a governmental research organization. Under the Act, an academic activity may not exceed nine days at a single institution. In addition, such visa holders cannot accept honoraria and/or incidental expenses from more than five such institutions or organizations in the previous six month period.

Visitor Information

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

The dates of my activity at the University of West Florida will be from _____ to _____

Please note: Academic activity at the University of West Florida cannot exceed nine days.

Acknowledgement

I have accepted an invitation by the University of West Florida for the purpose of engaging in an academic activity. I will receive an honorarium payment and/or reimbursement for incidental expenses for my academic activity.

I have not accepted honoraria and/or incidental expense reimbursements within the prior six month period from more than four institutions of higher education, a nonprofit organization affiliated with an institution of higher education, or a nonprofit or a governmental research organization.

Please note: The University of West Florida cannot make an honorarium and/or incidental expense payment to you if you have received such payments from more than four of these organizations within the past six months.

Certification

I certify that the information contained on this form is to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and complete.

Signature of Nonresident Alien: _____ Date: _____