

ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II Process  
for  
Emergency Financial Grants to Students  
March 1, 2021

The Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA) Act designates funds under the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) model, established under the CARES Act, to distribute direct grant assistance to eligible students on April 13, 2021. HEERF II funds can be applied to charges or expenses incurred for December 27, 2020.

Initial Distribution

Pell Grant recipients have been identified as a population with known exceptional need and difficulty responding to emergency expenses and Illinois Tech will distribute a portion of grant funds to Pell Grant recipients outright. Each grant recipient will receive \$1,100. This popu

### Application Process

Students will apply through the Office of Financial Aid's [Student Assistance Form](#), where a HEERF option will be designated. This application will ~~pr~~

### Reporting

Details on award usage will likely be reported to the U.S. Department of Education similar to the CARES Act reporting. As further guidance is offered, the Office of Financial Aid will make all reports and/ or work closely with appropriate campus offices to do so.