



Applicant Background Check | **SELF-DISCLOSURE FORM**

General Information and Instructions

San Francisco Theological Seminary values our life together as a community. In order to honor our relationships with one another, as well as with the churches and ministries with whom we serve, SFTS requires applicants to the Master of Divinity and Master of Arts in Theological Studies programs to complete a criminal background check. Applicants who are citizens of the United States or who are currently living in the United States must complete a criminal background check through CertifiedBackground.com. The Admissions Committee has the discretion to request an international background check for those living outside the United States. In addition, all M.Div. and MATS applicants, regardless of residency, must submit a true and correct Self-Disclosure Form in which they shall note and reflect upon any prior criminal convictions. The Self-Disclosure Form and criminal background check must be completed at the time of applying for admission. Prior conviction(s) will not necessarily preclude admission to an SFTS degree program.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name

Last

First

Middle

Degree for which you are applying:

- Master of Divinity
 Master of Arts in Theological Studies

Term you intend to enter Seminary:

- Fall 20 ____
 Spring 20 ____

Please answer the following question, sign and mail this form to the Director of Enrollment. Applicants who are citizens of the United States or otherwise living in the United States must also request a background check from CertifiedBackground.com.

Have you ever been convicted of, pleaded guilty to, or received deferred adjudication for any felony or misdemeanor, other than minor traffic violations? Yes No

If yes, please explain in detail and with full accuracy (if you need more space, please attach a separate sheet):

Signature: _____ Date: _____