

## HR 8904

Perkins Access, Retention, and Completion (ARC) Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Dec 8, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Dec 8, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/8904>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** WI • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Dec 8, 2020
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Dec 8, 2020
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Dec 16, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 8, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Education

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Dec 8, 2020)

#### Perkins Access, Retention, and Completion (ARC) Act

This bill establishes the Federal Perkins Access, Retention, and Completion (ARC) Loan program. The program makes a new type of student loan, known as the Federal Perkins ARC Loan, available to undergraduate, graduate, and professional students. The program replaces the Federal Perkins Loan program, which expired in September 2017.

### Actions Timeline

- Dec 8, 2020:** Introduced in House
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