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I think that all student loans should be forgiven and start over. In many other countries in the world higher education is free or bartered(MD for an amount of years in the military). We supposedly have this but there are too many horror stories. I am currently unemployed yet come October of 09 I am supposed to come up with \$477. The government makes it very convenient to be indebted to them possibly for a lifetime. Given the current economic situation it is very doubtful that at my age(55), I will be able to find employment and then even if I do I would use it to survive not to pay a bogus education loan. The last school I attended illegally keep giving me financial aid subsidized by the government. I think if we are going to connect educational financing to the government then everybody should follow the rules not just the borrower. Sincerely,