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# Student and Exchange Visitor Program

## SEVIS Release 5.10 F/M School User Training

August 1, 2008



# Objectives

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This presentation is an overview of the changes in Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) Release 5.10 for F/M School Users, which include the following:

- **New Functionality:**
  - **F-1 Student Change of Status (COS) Requests to H-1B**
- **Updates to existing Real-Time Interactive (RTI) functionality:**
  - **Pending COS Requests**
  - **Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code Display for Majors and Minor**
- **Updates to both existing RTI and Batch-File Processing (BATCH) functionality:**
  - **Optional Practical Training (OPT) Employment Requests**
  - **Registration Next Session Start Date**
  - **Form I-20 Reprint Reasons**
  - **Country Lists/Tables**



# New Functionality in Release 5.10 for F/M School Users

The major functionality that will be added to SEVIS in Release 5.10 relates to F-1 student COS requests to H-1B.



The screenshot shows the SEVIS login interface. At the top left is the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement logo. To its right is the ICE logo with a photo of a woman. Further right is the text 'Student & Exchange Visitor Information System' and the SEVIS logo. Below the header, the OMB number '1115-0252' is displayed. The main heading is 'Student & Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS)'. A warning box contains the following text: 'WARNING: This system is for the use of authorized users only. Individuals using this computer system without authority, or in excess of their authority, are subject to having all of their activities on this system monitored and recorded by system personnel. In the course of monitoring individuals improperly using this system, or in the course of system maintenance, the activities of authorized users may also be monitored. Anyone using this system expressly consents to such monitoring and is advised that if such monitoring reveals possible evidence of criminal activity, system personnel may provide the evidence of such monitoring to law enforcement officials. DHS has designated the Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) to be a Privacy Act system of records and SEVIS information will be used and disclosed in accordance with 5 U.S.C. §552a, Privacy Act of 1974, as amended.' Below the warning is a login form with fields for 'User Name:' and 'Password:', and 'Login' and 'Reset' buttons. At the bottom of the form are links for 'Register for New Account' and 'Request Password Reset'. The footer shows the date '07/09/2008 (Wednesday)'.



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## F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

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When an Active status F-1 student record is updated by Computer Linked Application Information Management System (CLAIMS) with a Pending or Approved COS request to H-1B, the following will print on page 3 of the Form I-20:

- Visa Type (i.e., H-1B)
- Request Type (i.e., COS)
- Request Status (i.e., Pending or Approved)
- Receipt Number
- Benefit Start Date (*Note: Can be blank for Pending requests*)
- System Comment (*Note: Will also be added to two SEVIS pages*)

On the date the Pending or Approved COS request to H-1B is received from CLAIMS, one of two actions may occur. These actions are dependent on whether the student does or does not have an Approved current or future post-completion (i.e., Employment End Date greater than Program End Date) OPT request. Each scenario will be covered in the following slides.



## F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

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First, if the F-1 student does **NOT** have an Approved current or future post-completion OPT on the date the Pending or Approved COS request to H-1B is received from CLAIMS, the System Comment will be:

*F-1 status for this student has been automatically extended to September 30, [current year]. The student is authorized to remain in the United States. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site at [www.ice.gov/sevis](http://www.ice.gov/sevis).*



## F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

Slides 6 – 8 display cut outs from SEVIS pages and a Form I-20 for a student that does **NOT** have an Approved current or future post-completion OPT on the date the Pending or Approved COS request to H-1B is received from CLAIMS.

- Student Information Page

Student Requests:		
Request Type	Request Status	Receipt Number
Change of Status	PENDING	ABC0101201234

**Change Of Status Comment:**  
F-1 status for this student has been automatically extended to September 30, 2008. The student is authorized to remain in the United States. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site a [www.ice.gov/sevis](http://www.ice.gov/sevis).

**Note:** Slides 6 – 8 show a Pending COS request; if the COS request was Approved, only the Request Status field would be different.

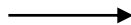


# F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

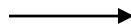
- Current Request/Authorization Details Page

Current Request/Authorization Details	
<b>Student Information</b>	
SEVIS ID:	N0000151025
Family Name:	Sevis
First Name:	Olivia
Country of Birth:	DENMARK
Date of Birth:	01/01/1980
Country of Citizenship:	DENMARK
Gender:	FEMALE
School Name:	Release 5.10 Training School
Program Start Date:	09/01/2004
Program End Date:	09/01/2008
Visa Type:	F-1
Status:	ACTIVE
<b>OPT Employment:</b>	No Current OPT Employment
<b>CPT Employment:</b>	No Current CPT Employment
<b>Off-Campus Employment:</b>	No Current Off-Campus Employment
<b>Authorized To Drop Below Full Course:</b>	No Current Authorization
<b>Transfer:</b>	No Current Transfer Request
<b>Disciplinary Action Recorded:</b>	No Record of Disciplinary Action
<b>Change of Status:</b>	
Request Status:	PENDING
Receipt Number:	ABC0101201234
Benefit Start Date:	10/01/2008
Comment:	F-1 status for this student has been automatically extended to September 30, 2008. The student is authorized to remain in the United States. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site a <a href="http://www.ice.gov/sevis">www.ice.gov/sevis</a> .

No OPT Employment.



COS Information.



# F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

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No OPT  
Employment  
Authorization.



FAMILYNAME: Sevis FIRST NAME: Olivia  
 Primary Major: 52.0899 Finance and Financial Management Servic  
 Student Employment Authorization:  
 Employment Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Duration of Employment - From (Date): \_\_\_\_\_ To (Date): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Employer Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Employer Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

COS  
Information.



Change of Status  
 Requested Visa Type: H1-B Request Status: Pending Receipt Number: ABC0101201234 Benefit Start Date: 10/01/2008

Comments:  
 F-1 status for this student has been automatically extended to September 30, 2008. The student is authorized to remain in the United States. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site at [www.ice.gov/sevis](http://www.ice.gov/sevis).

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Student's Copy  
 N0000151025





## F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

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Second, if the F-1 student has an Approved current or future post-completion OPT on the date the Pending or Approved COS request to H-1B is received from CLAIMS, the System Comment will be:

*F-1 status and employment authorization for this student have been automatically extended to September 30, [current year]. The student is authorized to remain in the United States and continue employment with an expired employment authorization document. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site at [www.ice.gov/sevis](http://www.ice.gov/sevis).*

Also, the Employment End Date of the Approved current or future post-completion OPT will be updated to September 30, [current year].



# F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

Slides 10 – 12 display cut outs from SEVIS pages and a Form I-20 for a student that has an Approved current or future post-completion OPT on the date the Pending or Approved COS request to H-1B is received from CLAIMS.

- Student Information Page

Student Requests:		
Request Type	Request Status	Receipt Number
Change of Status	APPROVED	ABC0011122222
OPT	APPROVED	ABC9988877777

**Change Of Status Comment:**  
F-1 status and employment authorization for this student have been automatically extended to September 30, 2008. The student is authorized to remain in the United States and continue employment with an expired employment authorization document. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site at [www.ice.gov/sevis](http://www.ice.gov/sevis).

*Note: Slides 10 – 12 show an Approved COS request; if the COS request was Pending, only the Request Status would be different.*



# F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

- Current Request/Authorization Details Page

**Current Request/Authorization Details**

Student Information	
SEVIS ID:	N0004644662
Family Name:	Sevis
First Name:	Carly
Country of Birth:	IRELAND
Date of Birth:	05/01/1987
Country of Citizenship:	IRELAND
Gender:	FEMALE
School Name:	Release 5.10 Training School
Program Start Date:	09/01/2003
Program End Date:	05/01/2007
Visa Type:	F-1
Status:	ACTIVE

OPT Employment:	
Employer name:	
Address:	
Start Date:	08/01/2007
End Date:	09/30/2008
Full Time/Part Time:	FULL TIME
Request Status:	APPROVED
Receipt Number:	ABC998887777
Remarks:	

CPT Employment:	
	No Current CPT Employment

Off-Campus Employment:	
	No Current Off-Campus Employment

Authorized To Drop Below Full Course:	
	No Current Authorization

Transfer:	
	No Current Transfer Request

Disciplinary Action Recorded:	
	No Record of Disciplinary Action

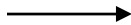
  

Change of Status:	
Request Status:	APPROVED
Receipt Number:	ABC001112222
Benefit Start Date:	10/01/2008
Comment:	F-1 status and employment authorization for this student have been automatically extended to September 30, 2008. The student is authorized to remain in the United States and continue employment with an expired employment authorization document. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site at <a href="http://www.ice.gov/sevis">www.ice.gov/sevis</a> .

Post-completion  
OPT  
Employment.



COS  
Information.



# F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

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Post-completion  
OPT  
Employment  
Authorization.



FAMILYNAME: <u>Sevis</u>		FIRST NAME: <u>Carly</u>	
Primary Major: <u>27.0502 Mathematical Statistics and Probability</u>			
Student Employment Authorization:			
Employment Status:	<b>FULL TIME</b>	Type:	<b>OPT</b>
Duration of Employment - From (Date):	<b>08/01/2007</b>	To (Date):	<b>09/30/2008</b>
Employer Name:			
Employer Location:			
The Student has met the 1 full academic year requirement.			
Comments: Student will be working in Statistical Analysis.			
Change of Status			
Requested Visa Type:	Request Status:	Receipt Number:	Benefit Start Date:
<b>H1-B</b>	<b>Approved</b>	<b>ABC0011122222</b>	<b>10/01/2008</b>
Comments:			
F-1 status and employment authorization for this student have been automatically extended to September 30, 2008. The student is authorized to remain in the United States and continue employment with an expired employment authorization document. This is pursuant to 8 CFR 214.2(f)(5)(iv) and 8 CFR 274a.12(b)(6)(iv), as updated April 8, 2008 in a rule published in the Federal Register (73 FR 18944). Additional information about the automatic extension can be found on the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site at <a href="http://www.ice.gov/sevis">www.ice.gov/sevis</a> .			

**SEVIS**

Student's Copy  
N0004644662

COS  
Information.



## F-1 Student COS Requests to H-1B

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Additional information regarding F-1 student COS requests to H-1B:

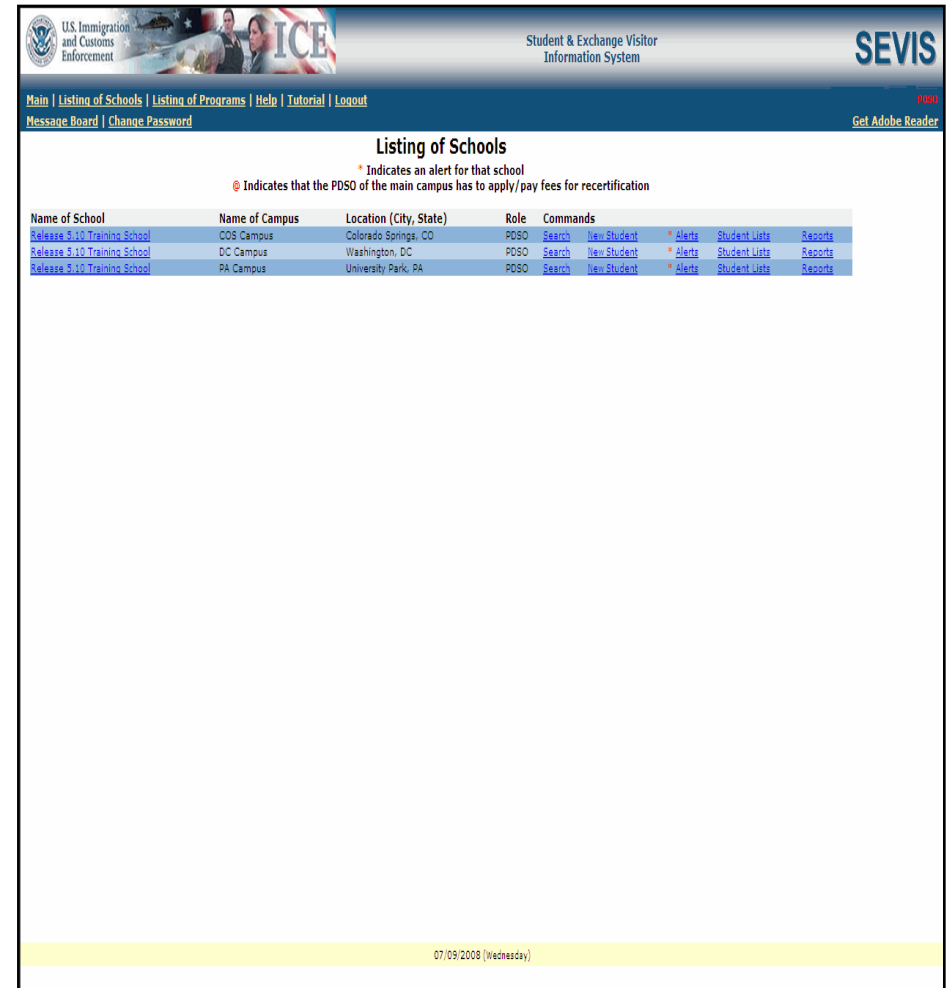
- If a Pending or Approved COS request to H-1B is set to either Denied or Withdrawn via either a CLAIMS or Department of Homeland Security (DHS) user update, the request will no longer appear on the Current Request/Authorization Details page nor print on the Form I-20. However, the System Comment will continue to display with the COS request under Student Requests on the Student Information page.
- When an F-1 student COS request to H-1B is set to Denied or Withdrawn via either a CLAIMS or DHS user update, the student record will be set to Completed status 60 days after the latest date of any of the following:
  - Program End Date
  - Approved OPT Employment End Date
  - Denied or Withdrawn COS Receipt Date
- Reminder that the System Comment on both the Student Information and Current Request/Authorization Details pages as well as the data that prints on page 3 of the Form I-20 is **ONLY** for F-1 student COS request to H-1B. For all other COS requests, this information will not display/print.



# RTI Updates in Release 5.10 for F/M School Users

The following existing SEVIS RTI functionality will be updated for F/M School Users with Release 5.10:

- Pending COS Requests
- CIP Code Display for Majors and Minor



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Message Board | Change Password

### Listing of Schools

\* Indicates an alert for that school  
Ⓜ Indicates that the PDSO of the main campus has to apply/pay fees for recertification

Name of School	Name of Campus	Location (City, State)	Role	Commands
<a href="#">Release 5.10 Training School</a>	COS Campus	Colorado Springs, CO	PDSO	<a href="#">Search</a> <a href="#">View Student</a> <a href="#">Alerts</a> <a href="#">Student Lists</a> <a href="#">Reports</a>
<a href="#">Release 5.10 Training School</a>	DC Campus	Washington, DC	PDSO	<a href="#">Search</a> <a href="#">View Student</a> <a href="#">Alerts</a> <a href="#">Student Lists</a> <a href="#">Reports</a>
<a href="#">Release 5.10 Training School</a>	PA Campus	University Park, PA	PDSO	<a href="#">Search</a> <a href="#">View Student</a> <a href="#">Alerts</a> <a href="#">Student Lists</a> <a href="#">Reports</a>

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## Pending COS Requests

When a student record is updated by CLAIMS with a Pending COS request to a non-SEVIS visa type (i.e., neither F-1 nor M-1), the Pending COS request will display to the PDSO/DSO in two places:

- Current Request/Authorization Details page

Change of Status:	
Request Status:	PENDING
Receipt Number:	ABC0101201234
Benefit Start Date:	08/01/2008

- Student Information page

Student Requests:		
Request Type	Request Status	Receipt Number
Change of Status	PENDING	ABC0101201234



# Pending COS Requests

The PDSO/DSO may also access student records with Pending COS requests to a non-SEVIS visa type via either of the following:

- Students With a Pending Change of Status Request Alert
- Students With a Pending Change of Status Request List

**Students With a Pending Change of Status Request**

[Return to Lists](#)

Family Name	First Name	SEVIS ID	Visa Type	New SEVIS ID	New Visa Type	Date of Request	Receipt Number	Program Start Date	Program End Date
<a href="#">Sevis</a>	Olivia	N0000151025	F-1		H1-B	07/08/2008	ABC0101201234	09/01/2004	09/01/2008
<a href="#">Sevis</a>	Quin		N-4	N0004644853	F-1	07/22/2008	ABC9988877777	09/01/2008	09/01/2012



On the Student List, the New Visa Type field will differentiate those students Pending a COS to a SEVIS visa type (i.e., F-1 or M-1) versus those requesting a non-SEVIS visa type.





# CIP Code Display for Majors and Minor

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The Student Information page will be modified to display the CIP code for the student Major, Secondary Major and Minor.

Campus Name: DC Campus
I-20 Issue Reason: CONTINUED ATTENDANCE
Education Level: BACHELOR'S
Major: 40.0501 - Chemistry, General
Secondary Major: 00.0000 - None
Minor: 51.2099 - Pharmacy, Pharmaceutical Sciences, and Administration, Other
Program Start Date: 09/01/2007
Program End Date: 09/01/2011
Normal Length of Study: 48



The majors and minor description will continue to display along with the addition of the CIP code.



# RTI and BATCH Updates in Release 5.10 for F/M School Users

The following existing SEVIS RTI and BATCH functionality will be updated for F/M School Users with Release 5.10:

- OPT Employment Requests
- Registration Next Session Start Date
- Form I-20 Reprint Reasons
- Country Lists/Tables

The screenshot shows the SEVIS Student Information page for a student named Sevis Wilson. The page is divided into several sections: Personal Information, Program Information, Financial Information, and Travel Information. The top navigation bar includes links for Main, Listing of Schools, Listing of Programs, Help, Tutorial, Logout, Message Board, and Change Password. The SEVIS logo is in the top right corner.

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Business Statistics</td></tr> <tr><td>Secondary Major: 11.0103 - Information Technology (NEW)</td></tr> <tr><td>Minor: 00.0000 - None</td></tr> <tr><td>Program Start Date: 08/01/2008</td></tr> <tr><td>Program End Date: 08/01/2012</td></tr> <tr><td>Normal Length of Study: 48</td></tr> <tr><td>Current Session End Date: 12/15/2008</td></tr> <tr><td>Next Session Start Date: 01/15/2009</td></tr> <tr><td>School Requires English Proficiency: Yes</td></tr> <tr><td>Student Has English Proficiency: Yes</td></tr> <tr><td>English Is Not Required Because:</td></tr> <tr><td>Remarks:</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Financial Information</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>Number of Months: 12</td></tr> <tr><td>Tuition Fees: \$15,000.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Living Expenses: \$15,000.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Dependent Expenses:</td></tr> <tr><td>Other Costs:</td></tr> <tr><td>Other Costs Comment:</td></tr> <tr><td>Total Expenses: \$30,000.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Student's Personal Funds: \$50,000.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Funds From This School:</td></tr> <tr><td>School Fund Type:</td></tr> <tr><td>Funds From Other Sources:</td></tr> <tr><td>Source Type:</td></tr> <tr><td>On-Campus Employment:</td></tr> <tr><td>Total Funding: \$50,000.00</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Travel Information</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>Passport Number: 123456789</td></tr> <tr><td>Visa Number: GER012345</td></tr> <tr><td>Visa Issue Date:</td></tr> <tr><td>Visa Issue Post: BERLIN ( BRL )</td></tr> <tr><td>Port of Entry: PHILADELPHIA, PA ( PHI )</td></tr> <tr><td>Date of Entry: 07/08/2008</td></tr> <tr><td>I-94/Admission Number: A0123456789</td></tr> <tr><td>Port of Departure:</td></tr> <tr><td>Date of Departure:</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>I-901 SEVIS Fee Payment Information</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>Transaction Type: Payment</td></tr> <tr><td>Transaction Date: 06/25/2008</td></tr> <tr><td>Transaction Amount: \$100.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Fee Payment/Cancellation Receipt Number: CCC0123456789</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Personal Information	SEVIS ID: N0004644655	Family Name: Sevis	First Name: Wilson	Country of Birth: GERMANY	Date of Birth: 06/01/1988	Country of Citizenship: GERMANY	Gender: MALE	Foreign Address: Address 1	City: GERMANY	U.S. Address: Address 1	City: DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	20001	SSN:	Driver's License Number:	Driver's License Issuing State:	Individual Taxpayer ID Number:	Program Information	Status: ACTIVE	Termination Reason:	Visa Type: F-1	School Name: Release 5.10 Training School	School Code: WAS214F12321000	Campus Name: DC Campus	I-20 Issue Reason: CONTINUED ATTENDANCE	Education Level: BACHELOR'S	Major: 52.1302 - 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Program Start Date: 08/01/2008																																																																					
Program End Date: 08/01/2012																																																																					
Normal Length of Study: 48																																																																					
Current Session End Date: 12/15/2008																																																																					
Next Session Start Date: 01/15/2009																																																																					
School Requires English Proficiency: Yes																																																																					
Student Has English Proficiency: Yes																																																																					
English Is Not Required Because:																																																																					
Remarks:																																																																					
Financial Information																																																																					
Number of Months: 12																																																																					
Tuition Fees: \$15,000.00																																																																					
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Other Costs:																																																																					
Other Costs Comment:																																																																					
Total Expenses: \$30,000.00																																																																					
Student's Personal Funds: \$50,000.00																																																																					
Funds From This School:																																																																					
School Fund Type:																																																																					
Funds From Other Sources:																																																																					
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On-Campus Employment:																																																																					
Total Funding: \$50,000.00																																																																					
Travel Information																																																																					
Passport Number: 123456789																																																																					
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Date of Entry: 07/08/2008																																																																					
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Transaction Date: 06/25/2008																																																																					
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# OPT Employment Requests

PDSOs/DSOs will have the ability to request OPT for an F-1 student up to and including 60 days beyond the Program End Date.

**Release 5.10 Training School**

**OPT Employment**

SEVIS ID:	N0004644658
Family Name:	Sevis
First Name:	Elisa
Date of Birth:	01/01/1985
Country of Birth:	AUSTRALIA
Country of Citizenship:	AUSTRALIA
Gender:	FEMALE
School Name:	Release 5.10 Tra
Program Start Date:	05/01/2006
Program End Date:	05/01/2008
Visa Type:	F-1
Status:	ACTIVE

No employment data found for stud:

Prior to recommending Optional Practical Training (OPT), you must ensure that the training complies with aware of his/her obligation to report changes in employment information (to include periods of unemplo maintain records on the student for the full period of OPT. The details of these rules can be found in the C The CFR has been amended and the sections relevant to OPT are available at [www.ice.gov/sevis](http://www.ice.gov/sevis) (the SE

Starting 61 days after the Program End Date, the New OPT Employment link will no longer display on the OPT Employment page.



# OPT Employment Requests

However, the Employment Start Date for an F-1 student OPT request may not be greater than 61 days beyond the Program End Date.

**Add OPT Employment**

**Validation Error(s)**  
You must correct the following error(s) before proceeding:

- OPT start date may not be greater than 61 days beyond the program end date.

Required fields are marked with an asteris

1. * Employment Start Date:	<input type="text" value="09/01/2008"/> (MM/DD/YYYY)
2. * Employment End Date:	<input type="text" value="09/01/2009"/> (MM/DD/YYYY)



New Validation Error; also the “OPT F-1 student More than 14 months beyond the students prog end date” Validation Error will be removed.



## OPT Employment Requests

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To accommodate these changes, there will be two Batch F/M Eligibility Processing Error Code and Description updates:

- Along with the ability to request OPT up to and including 60 days beyond the Program End Date, one current Error Code will have its Description modified

Error Code	Description
S1038	OPT request must be made no later than 60 days after the program end date

- With the requirement that the OPT Employment Start Date not be greater than 61 days after the Program End Date, one new Error Code and Description will be created

Error Code	Description
S1121	OPT start date may not be greater than 61 days beyond the program end date



# Registration Next Session Start Date

School users will be able to enter a Next Session Start Date that is greater than the Program End Date.

The Next Session Start Date may be any future date so long as it is on or after the Current Session End Date.



School Name: Release 5.10 F/M

Program Start Date: 09/01/2004

Program End Date: 09/01/2008

Visa Type: F-1

Status: ACTIVE

1. \* Current Session End Date:  (MM/DD/YYYY)

2. \* Next Session Start Date:  (MM/DD/YYYY)

The student is in the last session of his/her program. If checked, do not enter Next Session Start Date.



## Registration Next Session Start Date

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Based on the Next Session Start Date validation change, the following BATCH F/M Eligibility Processing Error Code and Description will be removed

Error Code	Description
S1117	Next session start date must be on or before the program end date



# Form I-20 Reprint Reasons

A new Reprint Reason of “Updated” will be available for F/M student Reprint I-20 events. The new Reprint Reason is to be used after a COS from F-1 to H-1B is received from CLAIMS so that the student will have an updated copy of the Form I-20.

The four existing Reprint Reasons will remain.



**Reprint I-20**

Required fields are marked with an \*

SEVIS ID: N000464465  
Family Name: Sevis  
First Name: Wilson  
Date of Birth: 06/01/1988  
Country of Birth: GERMANY  
Country of Citizenship: GERMANY  
Gender: MALE  
School Name: Release 5.10  
Program Start Date: 08/15/2008  
Program End Date: 08/15/2012  
Visa Type: F-1  
Status: INITIAL

\*Reprint Reason:   
Remarks:

DAMAGED  
LOST  
STOLEN  
TRAVEL  
UPDATED

Next Reset Values C





# Form I-20 Reprint Reasons

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Along with the new Request Reprint Reason of “Updated,” one BATCH Reprint Code will be added to the Student Reprint Codes lookup table.

Reprint Code	Request Reprint Reason
50	Updated



# Form I-20 Reprint Reason

On the printed Form I-20, the “Updated” Reprint Reason will display in field 3 of page 1.

School code (including 3-digit suffix, if any) and approval date:  
WAS214F12321000 approved on 0

3. This certificate is issued to the student named above for:  
Initial attendance at this school.  
Reprint reason: UPDATED

4. Level of education the student is pursuing or will pursue in:  
BACHELOR'S

→ Initial status student.

School code (including 3-digit suffix, if any) and approval date:  
WAS214F12321000 approved on

3. This certificate is issued to the student named above for:  
Continued attendance at this school.  
Reprint reason: UPDATED

4. Level of education the student is pursuing or will pursue in:  
BACHELOR'S

→ Active status student.



## Country Lists/Tables

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Per a National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) 10-4 Change Notice, the Country of Birth, Country of Citizenship, and Passport Issuing Country drop-down lists will be updated as follows:

- New countries “Saint Martin” and “Saint Barthelemy” will be added
- Current country “East Timor” will be renamed “Timor-Leste”

Family Name: Sevis
First Name: Elisa
Country of Birth: EAST TIMOR
Date of Birth: 01/01/1985
Country of Citizenship: EAST TIMOR
Gender: FEMALE

— The change to “Timor-Leste”  
will automatically occur for  
existing student records. —>

Family Name: Sevis
First Name: Elisa
Country of Birth: TIMOR-LESTE
Date of Birth: 01/01/1985
Country of Citizenship: TIMOR-LESTE
Gender: FEMALE



## Country Lists/Tables

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The BATCH Birth Country Codes, Citizenship/Residence Country Codes, and Passport Issuing Country Code lookup tables will also be modified per the NGA FIPS 10-4 Change Notice:

- The new countries will be added

Country Code	Country Description
RN	Saint Martin
TB	Saint Barthelemy

- The current country will have its description updated

Country Code	Country Description
TT	Timor-Leste



# Questions?

## SEVIS Help Desk

1-800-892-4829

[sevishelpdesk@eds.com](mailto:sevishelpdesk@eds.com)

Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM EST

## SEVIS Toolbox

[toolbox.sevis@dhs.gov](mailto:toolbox.sevis@dhs.gov)

## User Manuals and Online Help

The user manuals and online help will be updated to reflect the changes addressed in this slide presentation. The user manuals will be posted to the Student and Exchange Visitor Program Web site at [www.ice.gov/sevis](http://www.ice.gov/sevis) on August 8, 2008.



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