

What You Should Know about OPT: Application Process and Reporting Requirements

Post-Completion OPT [Eligibility Category (c) (3) (B)]

OPT f gc e f ec e f d a f e g a d a 1 c de ed
c e OPT S ce ca e g b 1 e d a g a d a de
a g f Reed a f e g a d a 1 ee OPT a a
OPT a a a b e f a c 1 a e a f e e d c a a e e T e ed 1
f c e OPT d e t s f a a a b e f c OPT d B
p y O S 7 B M P Y B C H G A P Z A M B E P a g P Z K J OPT ed U E W 1 2

SIEMOPT Extension [Eligibility Category (c)(3)(O)]

A e e f l l a a a b e c e a STEM deg ee ec e C f a e
e g b e CIP c de f e a c a d e DHS STEM De g a ed Deg ee
P g a L a c e CIP c de ed
S de b e d e e e d l d e OPT a e g l e e e
a d e a a g a a g
S de a f e e e e da d e OPT e d da

T f a c de e a e d d a e f e e c a c f a
f e e e a d a a e e f d e c e a e d a
A e e e l 1 1 1
S de c e l a d STEM OPT d e l e f a d a e a e SEVP
P a I f e e d a d a e d I e a c c e g SEVP P a a e d g a e
e f e c a a d a e e a d a e a e a e e a c e e d e d

Failure to Report Consequences

AUS g e e f f e a a e a f a e e c a g e OPT f a e e g
d a l b e a f a d e F a T d e a d a d e a f f e
a c a f OPT c a g e g a a a l e e b a a l e
a e US
S de a e d f l c e OPS E a l O a c t O S t a c P a e l f e a
d e f e e c e f e e e d S de STEM OPT a e e d
d a f e e T e b e f e e d c a c e d f e b e g g f @ A D A r y n
E D B H C A M P U E I T r e d a e e e f a e e d SEVP S b
I S a N e SEVP P a SEVP B A A c
T e SEVP P a a c c e a e e l a d a e d e e c a l
e e a g d a e d I f e d a e a

What happens at the end of your post-completion OPT?

Once your OPT expires, you must either return to your home country, apply for a new visa, or apply for a new OPT. If you are currently on OPT and your OPT expires, you must apply for a new OPT or a new visa within 60 days of the expiration date of your OPT.

Plan for your F-1 SEVIS record to another school. If you are currently on OPT and your OPT expires, you must apply for a new OPT or a new visa within 60 days of the expiration date of your OPT.

If applicable, you can apply for a 24-month STEM OPT extension. If you are currently on OPT and your OPT expires, you must apply for a new OPT or a new visa within 60 days of the expiration date of your OPT.

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