



General Information about Optional Practical Training

Purpose of the Application:

Certain nonimmigrants may file a Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization for Euz non-the be authorized to work in the United States. The USCIS adjudicates authorization by determining whether an applicant (1) is eligible required information and documentation. Application is a1 (a)p



Center, which could significantly delay your OPT authorization. Therefore, before you submit your application you should be very certain that you have the dates you want.

Required Documentation and Fee:

Review the OPT Application Submission Process Checklist from International Student Services (ISS) to review the documents and fees necessary for your application. The ISS resource page for Optional Practical Training is located at on the ISS Canvasclass website under "Work Authorization Options" <https://lawrence.instructure.com/courses/2538>

Where to file and mail the application

Filing can be done online (recommended to avoid mail delays), by mailing which is based on physical address and applicant type verify this online at <https://www.uscis.gov/765-addresses>



Filing Timeline:

Your application must be filed d dar-s.o tdcaegtandt taegtatd y(a)4 (ppl)-2 (i)-2 (c)4 (a)4 (t)-2 (i)-2 (o



Decision on Your Application:

If your application is approved, your EAD will be mailed to the mailing address on the application. If you have listed ISS as the mailing address, the advisor will notify you by email that it has arrived. In the very unlikely event that your application cannot be granted, you will receive an explanation for the denial.

If you do not receive your EAD within 90 days of the date your Notice of Action gives as the "Received Date," contact the ISS advisor.

Travel outside the USA:

Students assume minor risk of issues with entry, anytime 2 (y)-10 (oi48 -1.ooi48 -1.o1gtsur)8 (AtB)5 -2