



OPTIONAL PRACTICAL TRAINING (OPT) ELIGIBILITY-STEM EXTENSION

www.International.MissouriState.edu/Services/

Student Name

Student ID (M#)

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Your STEM application must be received by USCIS within 60 days of the date your OPT I-20 was created.

For STEM OPT I-20

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Form I-983 TRAINING PLAN FOR STEM OPT STUDENTS

To mail to USCIS

Photocopy of your STEM OPT I-20 issued and signed by International Services

I-765 Form. Do not sign it until you receive your STEM I-20

G-1145 E-Notification Form (Optional). if you want to receive email or text notifications of your application status from USCIS

Photocopy of your diploma or official transcript

Check or Money Order for \$410 made to the order of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. Cash is not acceptable.

2 passport photographs. Photos should be recent and not the same photographs in your passport. Write full name and I-94 number lightly in pencil on the back.

Photocopies of your I-94 (front and back if apply), passport (picture identification, expiration date, date of last entry stamp) visa, and any EAD cards previously issued to you

***You must make your own copies to mail to USCIS; IS cannot do this.**

1. Please indicate your current OPT end date:

Your STEM OPT Start Date will be the day **immediately** after your 12 Month OPT Ends. So if your OPT ends on May 5th, your STEM Start Date will be May 6th. Your STEM OPT End Date will be exactly two years minus one day. **Example:** STEM Start Date June 18th, 2015 - STEM End Date June 17th, 2017.

STEM OPT Start Date:

End Date: