

December 2018

**Friday, December 7th @
1PM to 4PM in CHHS 128**



Travel Signature Walk-In Event

PLAN AHEAD! Are you planning to travel outside the U.S. and need an updated (within the past 12 months) travel signature on your I-20 or DS-2019? Skip the 3-day wait time by attending one of these special 'travel signature days'! Drop-in anytime between 1pm-4pm and get your signature right away. If you can't make it you may still drop-off your I-20 or DS-2019 in the ISSO. Please note, due to volume, the ISSO requires 3 days to check your record and sign-off for travel purposes.

ISSO Scheduling



Closed for Winter Break and Spring 2019 Orientation Events

- The University will be closed from Dec 24th to Jan 1st for Winter Break.
- Any requests submitted after Dec 11th will be processed after the start of the Spring 2019 semester.
- The ISSO will be closed on Jan 7th for the Spring 2019 New International Student Orientation and Orientation related events.
- Walk-in advising for Jan 3rd through the 4th will be cancelled.
- OPT review for Jan 3rd and Jan 4th will be cancelled.
- We will resume our normal Walk-in advising hours on Thursday, Jan 10th, 2019.

Important Travel Reminders



Remember!

The holidays are approaching and if you are traveling outside the U.S. please remember the following tips to make sure everything is in order for your re-entry.:

- For travel outside the U.S. take your valid passport and visa, your I-20 with signature on Page 2 within the last 12 months or DS-2019, a copy of your transcript or course schedule, and a copy of your financial documents.
- If you are on Optional Practical Training, you must also have your EAD card and a letter of temporary employment.
- If you will be applying for a new re-entry visa, you should *also* have a letter of enrollment from the ISSO and a copy of your spring schedule.

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| <p>You Did It!!!!</p>  | <p>Congratulations to all of our Fall 2018 Graduates!</p> <p>The ISSO wants to send a HUGE Congratulations to all of our Fall 2018 Graduates!!! We wish you the best</p> |
| <p>Volunteers Needed!</p>  | <p>Spring 2019 Orientation Week</p> <p>New international students will soon be arriving and the ISSO will hold orientation programs on January 4th through January 8th. Your help is critical in providing new and important information to them plus it's a lot of fun! Slots are filling up quick so if you want to sign up, please click HERE</p> |
| <p>Welcome Party</p>  | <p>Lets Party!!!!</p> <p>Held at the beginning of each semester, the International Club and the International Student and Scholar Office invites all-new and returning students to kick off the new semester with music and dancing. Light refreshments and snacks will be served.</p> <p>The party will take place on Friday, January 18th from 7PM to 10PM in Popp-Martin Student Union, Room 340</p> |