

FOREIGN STUDENT VISA SURVEY--VUS

Please complete this form and return it immediately if you are NOT a U.S. citizen or a U.S. permanent resident.

Non-U.S. citizens/permanent residents need a student visa to enter or remain in the U.S. to attend school. The Form I-20 allows students to apply for the F-1 Student Visa. In order to obtain your I-20 in sufficient time to obtain your visa, please return this form to us immediately. You may send the form by email attachment, fax or mail.

SECTION 1: TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL NON-U.S. CITIZENS WHO ARE NOT U.S. PERMANENT RESIDENTS

Family Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____

Passport No: _____ Passport Expiration Date: ____/____/____ Country: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____ I was born in (City): _____ (Country): _____
(month/day/year)

I am currently a citizen of (Country): _____ Country of legal permanent residence (if different): _____

If you have a passport from more than one country, you must choose one passport to use for your student visa application. You must use that passport for the duration of your Harvard College education when entering the U.S.

Term(s) for which you've been accepted at Harvard (Please circle one.): Fall Spring Full Year

If you are currently attending school outside the U.S., please skip Section 2.

SECTION 2: TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL NON-U.S. CITIZENS (who are not Permanent Residents) WHO ARE CURRENTLY ATTENDING A UNIVERSITY IN THE U.S.

Name of University: _____ International's Advisor Name: _____

Advisor's Phone: _____ Advisor's E-mail: _____

Current Visa Type (e.g., F-1, J-1, H-4): _____ Date when this visa was issued to you: _____ Visa Expiration Date: _____

If not F-1, do you wish to change to F-1 status: Yes / No (Please circle one.)

- If you are unsure of your visa type, please visit : <http://www.hio.harvard.edu/immigration/visatypes/> for more information.
- If you are currently in F-1 status, please complete the "F and J Student Transfer Into Harvard Form" available on the Harvard International Office website: <http://www.hio.harvard.edu/hioforms/FJStudentTransferForm.pdf> and return it, along with the Foreign Student Visa Survey form, to Harvard College Admissions. (See side 2 for instructions.)

Do you plan to depart the U.S. prior to your arrival at Harvard? Yes / No (Please circle one.)

Departure Date: _____ Return Date: _____ Destination: _____

Have you applied for U.S. Permanent Residency? Yes / No (Please circle one.)

SECTION 3: PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING:

- As part of the U.S. student visa application process, you must pay a \$200 SEVIS fee before attending the required interview at your local U.S. Embassy. We will provide you with information on how to make the SEVIS payment when we mail your I-20 form.
- Some students may also have to pay a visa processing fee at their local embassy. Please check the local embassy website to find out if this applies to you. To find the embassy nearest you, please visit: <http://www.usembassy.gov/> for a listing of embassies worldwide.

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SECTION 4: FINANCIAL AID/PROOF OF FUNDING

To obtain a student visa to study in the U.S., every student must provide documentation that the necessary funds are available, either through a sponsoring organization or with personal resources, for the college or university in which they plan to enroll. You must provide us with financial certification documentation before we can issue your I-20. Please complete the attached I-20 Certification of Finances for Harvard College form. If you need additional copies of the form, please contact the Visiting Undergraduate Student Admissions Office (see below).

SECTION 5: YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

All students must complete this section in order to receive their I-20 document via Federal Express. Please print clearly.

Please list your permanent home address (this must be an address outside the U.S.):

Number, Street and Apt./Suite No.: _____

City/Province (if applicable)/Country: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

Address to which your I-20 Form should be shipped (If different than above.):

Number, Street and Apt./Suite No.:** _____

City/Province (if applicable)/Country: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

**FedEx will not deliver to P.O. boxes except in a limited number of countries. Please e-mail us if you have a question about your mailing address.

Telephone at mailing address: _____ Cell No.: _____

E-mail address: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM IMMEDIATELY TO:

Trudy Regan

By Email: gregan@fas.harvard.edu

or

By Fax: 001-617-496-8407

or

By Mail: Office of VUS Admissions

Harvard College

86 Brattle Street

Cambridge, MA 02138

001-617-496-6775

Please note: To begin the process of issuing your I-20, you may return this form and other visa-related documents to us by one of the following methods: (a) mail, (b) fax or (c) PDF e-mail attachment.