

SHOULD I TRAVEL INTERNATIONALLY?



IMMIGRATION DOCUMENTS

Will you re-enter the U.S. before your F-1 or J-1 visa expires?

YES

NO

Do you have enough time (a minimum of 30 days) to renew your visa before the next term?

YES

NO

PENDING APPLICATIONS

Do you have any applications pending with USCIS?

YES

NO

NATIONALITY

Is your country of citizenship on the list of countries for the possible [travel ban](#)?

YES

NO

STATUS VIOLATIONS

Do you have gaps or [violations](#) in your U.S. immigration record?

YES

NO

ARREST RECORD

Have you ever been arrested in the U.S. (even for a minor infraction)?

YES

NO

SOCIAL MEDIA STUDENT ACTIVISM

Do you have anything in your online or public presence that could concern federal authorities?

YES

NO

PROCEED WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT ALL TRAVEL IN THE MIDDLE OF YOUR PROGRAM ASSUMES SOME RISK



CONSIDER POSTPONING YOUR TRAVEL PLANS



Ensure that you have an I-20 or DS-2019 with a [valid travel signature](#) if you are in F or J status.



For more information, please review the [Current Travel Advisory](#) on the ISSO website.



Check with your [ISSO Advisor](#) if you have any questions.

PREPAREDNESS:

Do you have a plan for if you are unable to successfully re-enter the United States?