

Hartford International F-1/J-1 Student Timeline



Offer

Accept your offer of admission and pay your enrollment deposit, if applicable.

SEVIS I-901 Fee

The fee can be paid only after the I-20 or DS-2019 form has been issued. The fee must be paid prior to the visa interview. F-1 Visa applicants pay \$350. J-1 Visa applicants pay \$220.

Travel Arrangements & Housing

Federal regulations allow F-1 students and J-1 exchange visitors to enter the US no earlier than 30 days prior to the program start date on the I-20 or DS-2019.

Tuition

All students must pay their financial bills on time to avoid additional charges and/or holds on course registration, etc.

Orientation

Attend the F-1/J-1 orientation.

I-20/DS-2019

The I-20/DS-2019 will be issued after you complete and submit your initial I-20/DS-2019 Student Request, which can be accessed from the Document Library on the website.

Visa Interview

Since visa appointments are limited and visa processing times can be lengthy, make the appointment as early as possible. Consulates will generally accept appointments up to 120 days prior to the start of studies.

Health & Immunizations

All HIU students are required to provide proof of certain immunizations prior to enrolling in courses, so be sure to take care of this promptly.

SEVIS Check-in

This is time-sensitive and must be done promptly after your arrival in the U.S. More information on the check-in process will be available a few weeks before your start date.

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