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## OISSS Reminder: Travel signature on OPT - only valid for 6 months!

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Dear F-1 OPTer,

With the holiday season upon us, this is a friendly reminder to check the validity of the travel signature on your latest I-20. Please note that **travel signatures are only valid for 6 months on OPT**.

If you will be traveling and need an updated signature, please stop by OISSS during business hours with your I-20 or request a new I-20 here: [brown.edu/go/reprint](http://brown.edu/go/reprint)

When traveling on OPT, we recommend that you have with you:

- Valid passport
- Valid F-1 visa (unless you are a Canadian citizen)
- Valid EAD card
- I-20 with travel signature signed by OISSS within 6 months of your return date
- Evidence of your employment (i.e. offer letter, pay stubs, letter from your supervisor)

Also make sure that your employment info is up-to-date in the [SEVP Portal](#). Please let me know if you have any questions!

Best regards,  
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