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Optional Practical Training (OPT) I-20 Request Form

This form is for Kernel University use only and should not be submitted to USCIS with your OPT application

SECTION A: F-1 Student Information

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Requested OPT Dates: _____ to _____

Kernel Student ID Number: _____ SEVIS ID: _____

Degree Level: ☐ B. Th. ☐ M.Div. ☐ D.Min. ☐ BSBA ☐ MBA

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Have you previously applied for any EAD (including OPT, STEM OPT, H-4 EAD)?

☐ No ☐ Yes *If yes, please bring copies of all prior EAD cards to your OPT appointment.*

Have you previously held any immigration status other than F-1?

☐ No ☐ Yes *If yes, please bring copies of all prior immigration documents to your OPT appointment.*

- My expected graduation term is _____ (e.g. Spring 2027)
- I have completed all degree requirements, or I am currently enrolled in the remaining degree requi
- I understand that USCIS processing times may vary.
- 0 days, as required by SEVP regulation. **SEVP Portal** (<https://sevp.ice.gov/opt>)

☐ I acknowledge and understand the above requirements.

SECTION B: Employer Information(if applicable)

Company Name: _____ EIN Number: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

I confirm that the above information is correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



SECTION C: Academic Verification

This section must be completed by the student's academic advisor or other authorized university official.

- Role(select one)
☐ Academic Advisor ☐ Admissions Officer ☐ Other
- Has the student submitted a timely petition to graduate? ☐ No ☐ Yes
- Has the student completed all degree requirements or is the student currently enrolled in the remaining degree requirement? ☐ No ☐ Yes

I confirm that the above information is correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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