REGULATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

SCOPE
All International Students.

PURPOSE
To outline enrollment regulations for International students.

POLICY/PROCEDURE
The Office of International Student and Scholars administers academic regulations for nonimmigrant alien students. In addition to complying with the general academic regulations of the University, students from foreign countries who are enrolled on F-1 student visas are required by law to maintain a minimum full-time status (12 credit hours) during every regular semester and to be progressing toward a degree from the University. Such students must obtain the permission from this office before dropping a course, changing majors or programs, or withdrawing from the University. For this reason the enrollment status of all international students is monitored every month. To remain in compliance with the terms of their visa, F-1 students may not work without authorization, nor may they leave the country without obtaining a travel endorsement from the International Student Advisor. A student who fails to comply with the terms of the F-1 visa status will lose the right to enroll in the University until such time as the visa is reinstated by the Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services.

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