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*International Clearance
for Reimbursements and
Honorary Payments*

Slutzker Center for International Services (SCIS) Authorization to Pay for Personal Services of International Lecturers and Independent Contractors/ Consultants

Syracuse University encourages the free exchange of ideas and knowledge through the hosting of visiting lecturers and performers. When hosting an international guest lecturer or contractor who will perform services within the United States, Syracuse University is limited by very specific regulations from the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Labor regarding payment and honoraria.

Payment for services must be processed through SU's Comptroller's Office; please see their web-pages for [payments to independent contractors](#) and [payments to non-resident aliens as independent contractors/consultants](#). SCIS approval must be submitted with payment request.

Below is a chart of the most common visa types held by guest speakers and consultants visiting Syracuse University. Please refer to this chart to determine both the individual's eligibility for reimbursement and/or honorarium and the required documents to prove visa status.

VISA TYPE	REQUIRED DOCUMENT	REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES	HONORARIUM
Canadian Citizen (if coming for invited engagement only - not working in the US)	Valid Passport	Yes	Yes
B-1 Visa or WB Visa Waiver	B-1 Visa Holder - I-94 Card marked for B-1 status and B-1/B-2 visa stamp WB Visa Waiver –passport id page and stamp in passport from US Port of Entry marked “WB”	Yes (9 FAM 41.31 N11.1)	Yes, if service is less than 9 days and has not received payment from more than 5 institutions in 6 months. (INA § 212(q))
B-2 Visa or WT Visa Waiver	B-2 Visa Holder - I-94 Card marked for B-2 status and B-1/B-2 visa stamp WT Visa Waiver – passport id page and stamp in passport from US Port of Entry marked “WT”	Yes, if service is less than 9 days and has not received payment from more than 5 institutions in 6 months. (INA § 212(q))	Yes, if service is less than 9 days and has not received payment from more than 5 institutions in 6 months. (INA § 212(q))
J-1 Scholar/ Professor (not on SU's sponsorship)	DS-2019 and authorization letter for work at Syracuse University from J-1 Scholar Advisor.	Yes, with authorization letter from J-1 Advisor.	Yes, with authorization letter from J-1 Advisor.
J-1 Student (non-SU student)	DS-2019 with Academic Training notation for work at Syracuse University and authorization letter from J-1 Student Advisor.	Yes, if authorized for Academic Training.	Yes, if authorized for Academic Training.
F-1 Student on OPT	Employment Authorization Card (Form I-766)	Yes	Yes
F-1 Student on CPT	I-20 with CPT authorization on 3 rd page for Syracuse University	Yes	Yes
TN (Canadians and Mexicans on NAFTA)	I-797 Approval Notice for TN or I-94 card stamped for TN Status	Yes	No
H-1B	I-797 Approval Notice for H-1B or I-94 card stamped for H-1B Status	Yes	No
E-3 (Australians on AUSFTA)	I-797 Approval Notice for E-3 or I-94 card stamped for E-3 Status	Yes	No
O-1	I-797 Approval Notice for O-1 or I-94 card stamped for O-1 Status	Yes	No
Advanced Parolees	Employment Authorization Card (Form I-766)	Yes	Yes
Asylees	Employment Authorization Card, an I-94 card indicating Asylee status, a notation in the passport, or UN or US travel document	Yes	Yes
Refugees	Employment Authorization Card, an I-94 card indicating refugee status, a notation in the passport, or UN or US travel document	Yes	Yes

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TO BE COMPLETED BY INTERNATIONAL LECTURER OR INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR/ CONSULTANT

NAME AND CONTACT INFORMATION:

Full Name (as it appears in your passport): _____
Family Name (Surname) Given Name (First) Middle Name (if any)
E-mail Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

NATURE OF SERVICE TO BE PERFORMED FOR SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY:

Purpose of Work: _____
Syracuse University Department Which Will Host You: _____
Department Contact's Name: _____ Contact's Email Address: _____
Dates of Intended Service for Syracuse University: (Month/ Day/ Year) _____ until: (Month/ Day/ Year) _____

VISA STATUS – PLEASE INDICATE YOUR STATUS BY CHECKING THE APPROPRIATE BOX:

- Canadian Citizen** ▶ If not working in the US and coming for only the invited engagement, please attach copy/scan of passport id page
 B-1/B-2 Visitor ▶ Please attach copy/scan of I-94 Card marked for B-1/B-2 status **and** B-1/B-2 Visa Stamp.
(if not yet in the US, please attach just the copy of the B-1/B-2 Visa Stamp which you will use to enter the US)
 WB/WT Visa-Waiver ▶ Please attach copy/scan of passport page id **and** stamp in passport marked WB/WT from US Port of Entry
(if not yet in the US, please attach the ESTA Application Confirmation – <https://esta.cbp.dhs.gov/esta/>)

If one of the three categories above, please answer the following: Have you received honoraria/reimbursement for lectures or consultations from more than 5 US institutions in past 6 months? **Yes** OR **No**

- F-1 Student on Optional Practical Training (OPT)** ▶ Please attach copy/scan of Employment Authorization Card **and** I-20 for OPT.
 F-1 Student on Curricular Practical Training (CPT) ▶ Please attach copy/scan of I-20 for CPT.
 J-1 Research Scholar or Professor ▶ Please attach copy/scan of DS-2019 **and** J-1 Advisor's Authorization Letter for Incidental Employment.
 J-1 Student on Academic Training ▶ Please attach copy/scan of DS-2019 for Academic Training **and** J-1 Advisor's Authorization Letter.
 TN, H-1B, E-3, or O-1 ▶ Please attach copy/scan of I-797 approval notice **or** I-94 Card which is stamped for H-1B, TN, E-3, or O-1 status.
 Advanced Parolee (Pending Permanent Resident) with EAD Card ▶ Please attach copy/scan of I-766 Employment Authorization Card.
 Refugee or Asylee ▶ Please attach copy/scan of **one** of the following: I-766 Employment Authorization Card, I-94 card indicating status, notation of status in passport, UN travel document **or** US travel document.
 Other Visa-type or Employment Eligibility. Please list Visa-type and attach documentation: _____

Signature of International Lecturer/Consultant/Contractor: _____ Date: _____

Send this form to the Slutzker Center for International Services, lescis@syrr.edu, fax 315 443-3091.

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SU may pay for the following: reimbursement of expenses , honorarium

Approved by: _____ Date: _____