

Transitions

New International Student Newsletter



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Immigration Presentation

ISSS will be presenting a required Immigration Presentation and Immigration Check-in from 1:00—3:00 p.m. on Friday, August 11th. This will be part of the Sturm College of Law Fall Orientation. The location will be room 370 in the Ricketson Law Building.

IMMIGRATION CHECK-IN

Immigration regulations require all F-1 and J-1 students to report to the Office of International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS) to complete an immigration check-in. Once you complete the Immigration Check-in, the ISSS registration hold will be removed.

Immigration Check-in for Law students will be part of the ISSS Immigration Presentation on Friday, August 11th. Please review our [Required Check-in page](#) carefully and be prepared to submit the required [documentation](#).

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION

Law students are also invited to attend the Graduate International Student Orientation, which will provide more resources about life at DU and in the U.S. The Graduate International Student Orientation will be Thursday, August 31st and Friday, September 1st. The location and details for these Orientation sessions will be announced soon on our [International Student Orientation website](#).

Denver Airport Transportation

ISSS does not provide airport transportation

Several transportation options are listed on the [Getting to DU from the Airport](#) page of ISSS' New Students website:

- Public transportation
- Uber and Lyft
- Airport Shuttle
- DU Student Organizations
- Hotel Shuttle
- Taxi

ARRIVING AT THE US PORT OF ENTRY

Carry the following documents with you (do not pack them in your checked baggage):

- Passport with at least 6 months validity
- DU I-20 or DS-2019
- Valid US visa (unless visa exempt)
- SEVIS I-901 fee receipt (Form I-797)
- Financial support documentation equivalent to the cost of attendance figure on your I-20/ DS-2019
- US currency

US Port of Entry Arrival: Form I-94 Automation

What is a Form I-94?

- The Form I-94 records your arrival in and departure from the US.

What is I-94 Automation?

- Instead of distributing a paper Form I-94 upon arrival at US air and sea ports, Customs and Border Protection (CBP) will scan a traveler's passport, generating an electronic arrival record.
- Travelers will also receive an admission stamp in their passport indicating their arrival date, non-immigrant status (F-1 or J-1), and admitted until date (D/S).

Where can I access my electronic I-94?

- The electronic I-94 can be printed from the following website: www.cbp.gov/I94.
- A printed electronic I-94 must be submitted as part of the ISSS immigration check-in and immigration and public benefit applications (e.g., social security number, driver's license, employment authorization).

What do I do when I exit the U.S.?

- Travelers issued a paper Form I-94, should surrender it to the commercial carrier or CBP upon departure in order for the departure to be recorded.
- If travelers did not receive a paper Form I-94 and the record was created electronically, CBP will record their departure using manifest information obtained from the air or sea carrier.