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## TRAVELING TO CANADA

If you are in F-1 or J-1 status and planning a trip to Canada, there are several things you should do before you leave the United States. For example:

have the back of your Form I-20, for F-1 visa holders, or DS-2019 (previously IAP-66), for J-1 in hand and bring it for re-entry to the U.S. by an ISSO advisor.

determine whether you need a Canadian entry visa

United States. Please read it carefully. If you have any questions, please ask an ISSO advisor.

### How can I obtain a signature on my I-20 or DS-2019 for travel and re-

All F-1 and J-1 -20 or DS-2019s signed by an ISSO advisor in order to re-enter the U.S. We generally recommend that you have your I-20 or DS-2019 signed by an ISSO advisor within 90 days of your departure to Canada. The Canadian government requires that your signature for travel must be less than three months old and the signature must be obtained prior to your Canadian visa application.

Please bring your I-20 to the ISSO **at least two working days before your departure date**. This is necessary because the

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