



St. Tikhon's Orthodox Theological Seminary

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F-1 Optional Practical Training Request Form

Part I (To Be Completed By Student)

Name: _____ Expected Date of
Completion of Study: _____

I am requesting the following dates for OPT and understand that these dates cannot be changed once the OPT application has been submitted to USCIS.

OPT Start Date: _____ OPT End Date: _____

(Note: OPT Start Date must be within 60 days after completion of study at St. Tikhon's Seminary.)

Please describe the type of employment you will be seeking:

Please list any previously authorized periods of OPT:

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Part II (To Be Completed by Registrar's Office)

Immigration regulations require that students use Optional Practical Training for employment related to the student's field of study. Please return the completed form to the student. Thank you for your assistance.

Has student been in full-time residence for at least one academic year? _____

Degree Expected: _____

When will this student complete studies at St. Tikhon's Seminary? ____ / ____ / ____ (mm/dd/yyyy)

This date represents (please check one):

- Graduation/ Conferral of Degree
- Submission of M.Div. thesis
- Other (please explain):

Note: An international student must be registered as a full time student every semester to maintain legal F-1 status. To the best of your knowledge, is the proposed employment noted above related to the student's field of study and appropriate to the student's educational level?

Yes _____ No _____

Registrar's Signature

Date