

## February 2025 Update

USF will host the Florida Association of International Educators [Annual State Conference](#) on February 21, 2025. This conference features two days of professional development for international educators. The OIS staff will attend sessions on Friday, February 21. We expect to share best practices, keep up on immigration developments, and engage with professionals from across Florida. To allow our team to be a part of this important professional development, we will cancel walk-ins and virtual drop-in on February 21.

## Immigration

In the US, it is common for a new presidential administration to enact new policies, sign executive orders, and propose new laws to congress. Our office is following several professional reliable resources. If there are any changes to immigration policies or laws that directly impact student status, we will notify you directly.

It is your responsibility to maintain your immigration status while in the US. We encourage you to review the rules connected to your status at <https://www.usf.edu/world/international-services/immigration/maintaining-your-status/index.aspx>. If you have

questions, please contact Student Advisors during virtual drop-in (10:00 AM - 5:00 PM). If you do not receive the email, you can go to our website. If you were employed, each employer provides you with W-2. If you are not employed by USF, you will receive a 1099. USF Payroll will make this available in

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## Workshops and Presentations

CPT Q&A Session– February 11 at 10am

For students interested in completing an internship during their studies this summer or a future semester. Join the **Practicing** Advisors for a Q&A via Microsoft Teams. Students should have already reviewed the [CPT information](#)