

## SEVIS FEE (I-901) PAYMENT INFORMATION

The U.S. government requires that international students and scholars pay a \$100 SEVIS fee when applying for an F-1 or J-1 nonimmigrant visa. The fee must be paid **prior** to the visa interview at the U.S. consulate. This fee is in addition to the visa application fee. Canadian students and scholars should pay the SEVIS fee and present the receipt at the port of entry.

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### How do I pay the SEVIS fee?

1. Go to the Student and Exchange Visitor Information System: SEVIS I-901 Fee main internet page at <https://www.fmjfee.com/index.jhtml>. Read and follow the instructions carefully. Make sure to complete the Form I-901 and pay the fee at least three business days before applying for your visa interview to allow time for processing.
2. Obtain the SEVIS ID number from your I-20 or DS-2019 form in order to complete the Form I-901. This number can be found above the bar code on the top right-hand side of your form. If you are applying for an F-1 visa, you will also need the OSU School Code (POO214F00002000). If you are applying for a J-1 visa, you will also need the Exchange Visitor Program Number (P-1-00480 or P-1-05512). This number can be found on the DS-2019 in block number 2.
3. Pay the \$100 fee with either a credit or debit card. If you do not have a credit card or debit card, please visit the website at <http://www.fmjfee.com> for further options.
4. Print your receipt.
5. Bring your receipt to your visa interview at the embassy or consulate. ***You must have your receipt for your visa interview.***
6. Bring your I-901 receipt with your I-20 or DS-2019 on the airplane. You may be asked to show it at the Port of Entry.

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Please note that continuing students and scholars transferring from another U.S. institution and dependents applying for an F-2 or J-2 visa do not need to pay the SEVIS fee. If you need more information, visit this website to view frequently asked questions about the Form I-901 and the SEVIS fee - <http://www.ice.gov/sevis/i901/index.htm>.

If you have any questions about this process or any other visa related matters, please email International Student and Faculty Services at [intl.advisor@oregonstate.edu](mailto:intl.advisor@oregonstate.edu).