

I'm completing the IEC! What's next?

If you're enrolled on an F-1 visa, follow this decision tree to help you figure out your next step. As always, contact the IEC office, International Admissions, or the Center for International Studies to discuss your options.

Do you want to continue your studies in the United States?

Yes

No

Notify your DSO in Center for International Studies (CIS). There is a 60 day grace period after you complete your program to leave the country, change your visa status, or apply to a new program.

I want to start a degree program at SCSU

I want to transfer to a different school in the US

Are you conditionally admitted to your program?

Are you admitted to your new school?

Yes*

No

Yes**

No

Apply to your new school. Once admitted, go back to "Yes**" for the next step. You have 60 days after you complete the IEC to transfer to a new school or find another program to enroll in.

You will be contacted by International Admissions about a new I-20 for your degree program. If everything is up to date, you will get your new I-20 after the IEC Awards Ceremony. Contact International Admissions if you have questions.

You will be required to attend International Student Orientation. You may attend registration after the Awards Ceremony in 51-B B2.

Apply for your program as soon as possible!

Contact your DSO at the Center for International Studies (CIS) at SCSU.

For Undergrad Admission:

Go to the IEC Office or International Admissions to complete an IEC to Undergrad Conditional Admission form.

For Graduate Admission:

Meet with an advisor in the Graduate School Office. They will assist you with the specific documents you need. You must pass level 5 to start your program.

Bring the completed form, ORIGINAL transcripts & diploma, and updated financials to International Admissions.

If admitted, go back to "Yes*" for the next step.

Complete a transfer out form. Submit the form and your new school's admission letter to CIS to be reviewed. This can take up to 7 days. You will be notified of your transfer out application status by e-mail. Once your SEVIS record is transferred, your new school will create your new I-20.

Once you complete the IEC, you have 60 days to find a new program or to transfer.