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# I-192, Application for Advance Permission to Enter as a Nonimmigrant

**ALERT:** USCIS is working with U.S. Customs and Border Protection and the Department of State to more efficiently facilitate certain employment-based nonimmigrant visas for eligible aliens who have graduated from an accredited U.S. institution of higher education.

For more information on the process to obtain a 212(d)(3) waiver, please see the [DOS Foreign Affairs Manual, Volume 9](#) and the [DOS Easing the Nonimmigrant Visa Process for U.S. College Graduates](#) page.

Use this form if you want to apply for advance permission to temporarily enter the United States and you are an:

- Inadmissible nonimmigrant and already have the appropriate documents; or
- Applicant or petitioner for T or U nonimmigrant status.

If you are seeking admission under the Visa Waiver Program (VWP) under INA section 217, you cannot file this form. Instead, you must apply for a nonimmigrant visa at a U.S. Embassy or Consulate for authorization to travel. You should contact the appropriate U.S. Embassy or Consulate if you have any questions regarding your admissibility under the VWP.

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[Form I-192 \(PDF, 440.84 KB\)](#)

[Instructions for Form I-192 \(PDF, 452.51 KB\)](#)

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