

Summer Work Travel (SWT) 2021

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1. Eligibility

- **Eligible** for participation:
 - Full-time university students (including second degree students)
- **Not eligible** for participation:
 - Vocational school students
 - Correspondence or online university students

2. Scheduling visa interviews

Applicants must schedule an SWT visa appointment online at <http://www.ustraveldocs.com/ua> or through the call center at (044)383-80-66. The first SWT interview date this year is Wednesday, April 21; the last interview date is Thursday, May 27. Applicants must schedule their appointment at least 2 weeks in advance of their desired interview date. Applicants can schedule appointments starting Wednesday, April 7. All appointment scheduling information can be found on the U.S. Embassy website at: <http://ukraine.usembassy.gov/niv-apply.html>.

Steps to schedule an appointment

1. **Receive DS-2019.** U.S. sponsors must ship all DS-2019s forms directly to the [local agency](#) or the applicant.
2. **Complete the [DS-160 form](#) according to the instructions below and print out the confirmation page.** Please submit only one DS-160 form. Confirm that all information on the DS-160 is correct before submitting the form. Once the form is submitted no corrections can be made. **NOTE:** If you do not properly complete your online application form, your appointment will be cancelled, your application will be temporarily refused 221(g), and you will have to schedule a new appointment.
3. **Visit <http://www.ustraveldocs.com/ua>,** select your visa type (J-1), and print out the deposit slip for the visa application fee amount.
4. **Pay the application (MRV) fee** at a Raiffeisen Bank branch in Ukraine.
5. **Create your profile at <http://www.ustraveldocs.com/ua>.** Schedule a visa interview appointment online or through the call center using your visa fee payment receipt and DS-160 confirmation number.
6. **Pay the SEVIS Fee.** You must pay the SEVIS fee prior to the visa interview. This fee is non-refundable and nontransferable.
http://ukraine.usembassy.gov/sevis_fee.html

3. Application package

Documents required for all SWT visa applicants on the day of interview:

- Original international passport
 - Original student grade book or transcript
 - Original university student identity card or Original letter from the university (Оригінал довідки з університету) issued not earlier than one month before the visa interview
 - Confirmation page of form DS-160 (Please print out only the first page with the barcode number that is clear and not corrupted)
 - Original DS-2019
- **NOTE: ONLY DS-160 and DS-2019 should be stapled together.**

Please also bring the following documents to your interview:

- Proof of payment
- Proof of medical insurance
- Copy of the job offer

IMPORTANT NOTE: Information concerning your employer name and location must match on every document submitted. The DS-2019 and DS-160 must contain the same employer information. If this information does not match exactly, your appointment will be automatically cancelled and you will receive email notification to make the necessary changes and reschedule an appointment. Avoid delays and refusals by checking to see that the employer information matches on the DS-2019 and DS-160.



4. Complete form DS-160

You can complete the application form DS-160 at <https://ceac.state.gov/geniv>. Please note the required fields below.

Q: Is your Mailing Address the same as your Home Address?

A: Yes No

Phone

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number
 Does Not Apply

Work Phone Number
 Does Not Apply

Email Address

Email Address
 Does Not Apply
(e.g., emailaddress@example.com)

You must provide a primary phone number. The primary phone number should be the phone number at which you are most likely to be reached; this could be a land line or a cellular/mobile number. If you have an additional land line or a cellular/mobile number please list that as your secondary phone number.

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U.S. Point of Contact Information

- ✓ Getting Started
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- U.S. Contact**
- Family
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Contact Person or Organization: **Supervisor's name**

Contact Person

Surnames

Given Names

Organization Name
 Do Not Know

Employer (company) name

Relationship to You ⓘ

Help: Contact
 Your U.S. Point of Contact can be any individual in the U.S. who knows you and can verify, if necessary, your identity. If you do not personally know anyone in the U.S., you may enter the name of the store, company, or organization you plan to visit during your trip.

Address and Phone Number of Point of Contact

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U.S. Street Address (Line 1)
WAITER; \$7.5; 40

U.S. Street Address (Line 2) *Optional
5850 KYIV PLACE

City
WASHINGTON

State
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Zip Code (if known)
20000
(Format: 99999 or 99999-99999)

Phone Number
(202)501-4444
(e.g., (555)555-5555)

Email Address
john@johnsons.com Does Not Apply
(e.g., emailaddress@example.com)

The first line of the U.S. address must indicate:

- Position title
- Wage per hour
- Work hours per week

Data must be separated by semicolons. Wage should be in \$0.00 format as shown in the example.

Site of actual work performed DO NOT give a corporate headquarters address. This is the actual location of student employment.

Telephone number of the U.S. point of contact

Email address of the U.S. point of contact

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Family Information: Relatives

NOTE: Please provide the following information for all relatives. If any relatives are adopted, please provide the following information.

Please indicate all information about your parents and relatives. DO NOT put "don't know" or "N/A" as a response.

Father's Full Name and Date of Birth

Surnames
IVANOV
(e.g., Hernandez Garcia) Do Not Know

Given Names
IVAN
(e.g., Juan Miguel) Do Not Know

Date of Birth
01 JAN 1967 Do Not Know
(Format: DD-MMM-YYYY)

Q: Is your father in the U.S.?
A: Yes No

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If you have any relatives in the U.S., you must answer these questions affirmatively and indicate who lives in the U.S. as well as their immigration status.

Mother's Full Name and Date of Birth

Surnames
IVANOVA
(e.g., Hernandez Garcia) Do Not Know

Given Names
NATALIA
(e.g., Juanita Miguel) Do Not Know

Date of Birth ⓘ
04 APR 1967 Do Not Know
(Format: DD-MMM-YYYY)

Q: Is your mother in the U.S.?
A: Yes No

Q: Do you have any immediate relatives, not including parents, in the United States?
A: Yes No

Q: Do you have any other relatives in the United States?
A: Yes No

Help: Immediate Relatives
Means fiancé/fiancée, spouse (husband/wife), child (son/daughter), or sibling (brother/sister).

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Include the following information:

- Year of study
- Date of attendance
- Date of graduation

Data must be recorded in the same format as shown in the example.

Select STUDENT from drop-down list

Name of the university

Address and telephone number of the university

Primary Occupation ⓘ
STUDENT

Present Employer or School Name
TARAS SHEVCHENKO NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Present employer or school address:

Street Address (Line 1)
64-13 VOLODYMYRSKA ST.

Street Address (Line 2) *Optional

City
KYIV

State/Province Does Not Apply

Postal Zone/ZIP Code
01601 Does Not Apply

Phone Number
0442393333

Country/Region
UKRAINE

Monthly Income in Local Currency (if employed) Does Not Apply

Briefly describe your duties:
YEAR OF STUDY: 3
DATE OF ATTENDANCE: 01-SEP-2011
DATE OF GRADUATION: 20-JUN-2015

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Security and Background: Part 2

NOTE: Provide the following security and background information. Provide complete and accurate answers to all questions that require an explanation. A visa may not be issued to persons who are within specific categories defined by law as inadmissible to the United States (except when a waiver is obtained in advance). Are any of the following applicable to you? While a YES answer does not automatically signify ineligibility for a visa, if you answer YES you may be required to personally appear before a consular officer.

Q: Have you ever been arrested or convicted for any offense or crime, even though subject of a pardon, amnesty, or other similar action?

A: Yes No

Q: Have you ever violated, or engaged in a conspiracy to violate, any law relating to controlled substances?

A: Yes No

Q: Are you coming to the United States to engage in prostitution or unlawful commerce, or have you been engaged in prostitution or unlawful commerce within the past 10 years?

You are required to indicate on your DS-160 if you have ever been arrested by the police. Prior arrest information is available to consular officers at the time of the visa interviews. Complete the application honestly. False statements on a U.S. visa application are a serious matter and may result in a visa denial.

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Upload Photo

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Confirm Photo

Click on the Upload Your Photo button below to access our photo submission system. Once there you will be given instructions on how to supply an approved photo for your Visa application. After you have selected the photo to upload and the system verifies the photo is acceptable, you will return to "Confirm Photo" to continue the application process.

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Make sure the photo meets all quality standards listed on the U.S. Embassy webpage at <http://ukraine.usembassy.gov/niv-photo.html>

If the applicant fills in the form with the help of an agency representative, he or she must indicate the name of the agency on the application.

Preparer of Application

Q: Did anyone assist you in filling out this application?


A: Yes No

E-Signature

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Enter your Passport/Travel Document Number:


Enter the code as shown:



Click the button below to electronically sign your application:

Sign and Submit Application

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5. Interview Day Instructions

- Arrive 15 minutes prior to the appointment time at the U.S. Embassy.
- Make sure all documents are in order and stapled.
- Know your rights in the U.S. by reading the Wilberforce pamphlet available at <http://www.travel.state.gov/pdf/Pamphlet-Printer.pdf>.
- Submit to a standard security check at the U.S. Embassy entrance.
- Receive a numbered ticket.
- Present your completed application package to the consular staff member indicated by your numbered ticket. Scan 10 fingerprints.
- Wait for the visa interview with the consular officer.
- Interview with a consular officer. Be prepared to answer questions about your academic studies and expected work in the U.S.
- The consular officer will confirm whether your visa is issued or refused. Refused applicants will receive a written explanation of the reason for refusal.
- Issued visas will be returned to the delivery location selected by the applicant at the time of appointment scheduling. Delivery time may vary. Please plan accordingly.

Please be aware that bags, purses, cosmetics, mobile phones, iPods, memory sticks and other electronic devices cannot be taken into the Consular Section.

Health and safety

You must wear a face mask when visiting the Embassy. If you are feeling ill or have reason to believe you have been exposed to COVID-19, please do not enter the Embassy and reschedule your appointment for a later date.

6. Program Dates

- Program dates for Ukraine: **May 4 – August 31, 2021.**
- Students cannot work in the U.S. after August 31, 2021.
- Summer Work Travel participants must return to Ukraine by the beginning of classes at their university.
- Summer Work Travel participants may remain in the U.S. for up to 30 days (grace period) after completion of their exchange program but must comply with the regulations above. For example, if you want to travel within the U.S. for 2 weeks before your university classes begin in Ukraine, you must stop work no later than August 17 to allow you the time to travel and return to Ukraine in time for the start of classes. If you choose to work through August 31, you may be ineligible for a grace period depending on the start date of your university classes. The grace period can only be used for domestic travel within the U.S. and/or to prepare for and depart from the U.S. SWT participants cannot re-enter the U.S. after the program end date indicated on the DS-2019.

7. Visitor Safety

- JVISAS@STATE.GOV: This email address should be used to report problems or abuse to the Department of State.
- All J-1 exchange visitors are required to read the **William Wilberforce Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act** or simply “**Wilberforce**” Pamphlet prior to the visa interview. The pamphlet is available at <http://travel.state.gov/content/dam/visas/LegalRightsandProtections/English%20Double%20Sided%205-20-2013.pdf>
- No individual may withhold your passport, force you to work against your will, or refuse payment for hours worked.
- The student must abide by all U.S. laws.