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Description		
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Date	Version	Requested Description	Requested by	Changes made
2/9/2023		Yellow alert for c8 categories in Getting Started, Basis of Eligibility	Formulators	Added missing yellow alert for c8 categories to Getting Started, Basis of Eligibility
4/28/2023	I-765 Production Copy Deck v5.0.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated Review and Submit numbering conventions • Minor cleanups to formatting • Added Concurrent filing content to File a Form, Overview, Getting Started, Review and Submit, and Alerts sheets. • Corrected typos • Updated the "please review your form" instructional text on the Review your application page to the new global copy. • Added revisions from the I-94 EU Expansion Copy Deck v4.1.2. 	Intakers/Formik Factory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated Review and Submit numbering conventions • Minor cleanups to formatting • Added Concurrent filing content to File a Form, Overview, Getting Started, Review and Submit, and Alerts sheets. • Corrected typos • Updated the "please review your form" instructional text on the Review your application page to the new global copy. • Added revisions from the I-94 EU Expansion Copy Deck v4.1.2.
1/23/2024	I-765 Production Copy Deck v5.0.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated print formatting to meet PRA standards. 	Koalas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated print formatting to meet PRA standards.
2/7/2024	I-765 Production Copy Deck v5.0.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated the Overview sections to include the (c)(9) eligibility category and its related accordion. • Updated Getting Started/Eligibility section to include conditional alerts • Updated About You section to include (c)(9) category and conditional alerts • Updated Evidence section to include (c)(9) conditional evidence uploader 	Audit to prepare for PRA - 036 revisions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview: Added (c)(9) eligibility category to the list of categories eligible for online filing, added the associated information in an accordion • Getting Started - Basis of Eligibility - added in conditional alerts that appear underneath question "What is your eligibility category?" • Revised conditions within Getting Started - Reason for Applying • Added I-485 EU for (c)(9) eligibility category

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Select the form you want to file online.			Dropdown	Select the form you want to file online. For some forms you will have the option to either fill out your form online or upload a completed form. Once you start, we will automatically save your information for 30 days, or from the last time you worked on the form.	https://www.uscis.gov/feewaiv		
What is your eligibility category?	If your eligibility category is not listed in the drop down menu, you can submit a paper form by mail.		Dropdown	<p>Fee waiver: Fee waivers can be requested online only when submitting certain benefit requests using the PDF filing option. If your desired benefit request is not eligible for PDF filing, you must file a paper version of both the Form I-912, Request for Fee Waiver and the form for the specific benefit you are requesting. You can review the fee waiver guidance at www.uscis.gov/feewaiver.</p> <p>I-765, Application for Employment Authorization</p> <p>(a)(12) Temporary Protected Status Granted (c)(3)(A) Student Pre-Completion OPT (c)(3)(B) Student Post-Completion OPT (c)(3)(C) STEM Extension (c)(8) Pending Asylum and Withholding of Removal Applicants and Applicants for Asylum under the ABC Settlement Agreement (c)(9) Adjustment Applicant under Section 245 (c)(11) Parole (c)(11) Afghan Parole (c)(11) Ukraine Parole (c)(19) Temporary Protected Status Pending <u>(c)(33) Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals</u></p>			
		Only show body text if user selects the following categories: (c)(3)(A) Student Pre-Completion OPT (c)(3)(B) Student Post-Completion OPT (c)(3)(C) STEM Extension (c)(33) Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals		Use this form to request employment authorization and an Employment Authorization Document (EAD) if your immigration status allows you to work in the United States.	https://www.uscis.gov/i-765		
		Only show body text if user selects the following categories: (c)(3)(A) Student Pre-Completion OPT (c)(3)(B) Student Post-Completion OPT (c)(3)(C) STEM Extension (c)(33) Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals		<p>Note: You may apply online if your eligibility category is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (a)(12) - Temporary Protected Status (You are submitting an initial Form I-821 or you have an approved Form I-821); • (c)(3)(A) - F-1 student, pre-completion OPT; • (c)(3)(B) - F-1 student, post-completion OPT; • (c)(3)(C) - F-1 student, 24-month extension for STEM students (students holding a degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics); • (c)(8) –Applicants for Asylum under the ABC Settlement Agreement; • (c)(8) – Application for Employment Authorization Based on Pending Form I-589, Application for Asylum or for Withholding of Removal; • (c)(11) - Parole; • (c)(19) - Temporary Protected Status (You have a pending Form I-821); or • (c)(33) - Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) (You must have a pending or approved Form I-821D in order to file Form I-765). <p>All other applicants must submit a paper Form I-765.</p> <p>Concurrent filing available You can file Form I-907, Request for Premium Processing Service, if you are filing under one of the eligible categories.</p> <p>If you request premium processing, we will present Form I-907 for you to complete after you sign Form I-765. This will allow you to pay for and submit both forms at the same time.</p>		Start form	

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Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization	Select between the following filing options.	Use this form to request employment authorization and an Employment Authorization Document if your immigration status allows you to work in the United States.	<p>Only show this Filing Options page if user selects the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a)(12) Temporary Protected Status Granted (c)(8) Pending Asylum and Withholding of Removal Applicants and Applicants for Asylum under the ABC Settlement Agreement (c)(9) Adjustment Applicant under Section 245 (c)(11) Parole (c)(11) Afghan Parole (c)(11) Ukraine Parole (c)(19) Temporary Protected Status Pending 	<p>Button 1</p> <p>Button 2</p>	<p>Fill Out Form Fields Online</p> <p>Upload a Filled Out PDF Form</p>	<p>Select this option if you want to fill out the fields of the I-765 form online directly. This option currently does not support fee waiver.</p> <p>Select this option if you want to upload and submit a filled out version of the I-765 form as a pdf document. You may apply for a fee waiver with this option by uploading a fee waiver request to verify qualifications.</p>	<p>https://www.uscis.gov/i-765</p>	<p>You can also mail a paper form by following the instructions on this page</p> <p>Go back</p>

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I-765, Application for Employment Authorization			<p>Certain foreign nationals who are in the United States may file Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization, to request employment authorization and an Employment Authorization Document (EAD). Other foreign nationals whose immigration status authorizes them to work in the United States without restrictions may also use Form I-765 to apply to U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) for an EAD that shows such authorization.</p> <p>Foreign nationals may also apply for a Social Security number and card on Form I-765.</p> <p>If you are a lawful permanent resident, a conditional permanent resident, or a nonimmigrant only authorized for employment with a specific employer under 8 CFR 274a.12(b), do not use Form I-765.</p> <p>Learn more about employment authorization.</p>			https://www.uscis.gov
Before You Start Your Application	Eligibility		<p>You may apply online if your eligibility category is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (a)(12) - Temporary Protected Status (You are submitting an initial Form I-821 or you have an approved Form I-821); • (c)(3)(A) - F-1 student, pre-completion OPT; • (c)(3)(B) - F-1 student, post-completion OPT; • (c)(3)(C) - F-1 student, 24-month extension for STEM students (students holding a degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics); • (c)(8) - Applicants for Asylum under the ABC Settlement Agreement; • (c)(8) – Application for Employment Authorization Based on Pending Form I-589, Application for Asylum or for Withholding of Removal; • (c)(11) - Parole; • (c)(19) - Temporary Protected Status (You have a pending Form I-821); or • (c)(33) - Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA). <p>All other applicants must submit a paper Form I-765.</p> <p>Note: You can file Form I-907, Request for Premium Processing Service, if you are filing under one of the eligible categories. If you request premium processing, we will present Form I-907 for you to complete after you sign Form I-765. This will allow you to pay for and submit both forms at the same time.</p>			<p>link to: https://www.uscis.gov/protected-status www.uscis.gov/i-765</p>
		[accordion]	<p>Please review the specific filing instructions if you are filing Form I-765 under one of the following eligibility categories:</p> <p>F1 Students Seeking Optional Practical Training (OPT)</p> <p>(c)(3)(A) eligibility category: Submit Form I-765 up to 90 days before being enrolled as an F-1 foreign student for one full academic year at an educational institution approved by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP). Your period of employment will not start before you have completed one full academic year. If you completed the one-year requirement while in another valid nonimmigrant status and you are now in valid F-1 status, you are still eligible to apply for OPT.</p> <p>(c)(3)(B) eligibility category: Submit Form I-765 up to 90 days before, but no later than 60 days after your program end date. You must submit your application within 30 days of the date that your designated school official (DSO) enters the recommendation for OPT into your Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) record. If you fail to do so, we will deny your OPT request.</p> <p>(c)(3)(C) eligibility category: Submit Form I-765 application up to 90 days before your current OPT expires, but you must submit within 60 days of the DSO's approval of STEM OPT.</p> <p>Note: If you are an F-1 student filing for initial or extension of OPT, your OPT and your employment authorization will be automatically terminated if you change educational program levels or transfer to another school. Working in the United States without authorization may result in your removal from the United States or denial of re-entry. Consult your DSO for additional details.</p>			
		[accordion]	<p>Temporary Protected Status (TPS)</p> <p>(a)(12) and (c)(19) eligibility categories: Submit Form I-765 with your Form I-821 application or with evidence that we accepted or approved your initial Form I-821. You must also follow the instructions for filing your application as described in the most recent TPS Federal Register notice regarding a TPS designation, re-designation, or extension for your country. For more information, review our instructions for TPS applicants.</p>			www.uscis.gov/tps
		[accordion]	<p>Pending Asylum and Withholding of Removal Applicants and Applicants for Asylum under the ABC Settlement Agreement</p> <p>(c)(8) eligibility category: File Form I-765 if you have a pending Form I-589, Application for Asylum and Withholding of Removal. Please review the Special Filing Instructions for those with Pending Asylum Applications before submitting Form I-765.</p> <p>Pending Asylum Applications</p> <p>(c)(8) eligibility category: You are subject to a 150-day waiting period before you can apply for an EAD, and an additional 30-day period before we can issue you an EAD, for a total of 180 days. The number of days a completed asylum application is considered pending does not include any delays requested or caused by you while your application is pending with the USCIS asylum office or with an EOIR IJ. (See 8 CFR 208.7.) This time period during which your asylum application is pending before we may grant you an EAD is called the “180-day asylum EAD clock.” We may reject your Form I-765 if you file it before the 150-day waiting period has elapsed. Some examples of delays that may be caused by you while your application is pending with the USCIS Asylum Office include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Failure to appear at your interview or fingerprint appointment; • Failure to receive and acknowledge your asylum decision in person (if required); • A request to reschedule your interview for a later date; • A request to transfer your case to a new asylum office or interview location, including when the transfer is based on a new address; • A request to provide additional evidence after your interview; and • Failure to provide a competent interpreter at your interview. <p>Additionally, if you fail to appear for your interview with a USCIS asylum office or for a hearing before an EOIR IJ, you may be ineligible for an EAD.</p> <p>If you have received a Recommended Approval notice from the USCIS asylum office recommending a grant of asylum, you do not need to wait 150 days and may apply for an EAD immediately upon receipt of this notice. Provide a copy of your notice as evidence of your recommended approval with your Form I-765.</p> <p>Asylum application under the ABC Settlement Agreement</p> <p>(c)(8) eligibility category: If you are a Salvadoran or Guatemalan national eligible for benefits under the ABC settlement agreement, American Baptist Churches v. Thornburgh, 760 F. Supp. 976 (N.D. Cal. 1991), you are entitled to an EAD under the ABC</p>			https://www.uscis.gov/ent/forms/i-765instr.p

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			<p>settlement agreement. Follow the instructions contained in this section when filing your Form I-765.</p> <p>If you are requesting an initial EAD under this category, you do not need to pay the filing fee. If you are requesting a renewal or replacement EAD, you must pay the filing fee. Mark your application as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Type "ABC" in the top right corner of your EAD application. You must identify yourself as an ABC class member if you are applying for an EAD under the ABC settlement agreement. 2. Type "(c)(8)" in the Eligibility Category of the application. 3. Select the "Salvadoran or Guatemalan national eligible for benefits under the ABC settlement agreement" box of this application. <p>You are entitled to an EAD without regard to the merits of your asylum claim.</p> <p>Your Form I-765 will be decided within 60 days if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You pay the filing fee; • You have a complete pending asylum application on file; and • You correctly mark your application as described above. You must pay the filing fee for an initial EAD request. If you cannot pay the filing fee for an EAD, you may apply for a fee waiver under 8 CFR. 			
		[accordion]	<p>Parole</p> <p>(c)(11) eligibility category: File Form I-765 with a copy of your Form I-94, passport, or other travel document showing you were paroled into the United States for urgent humanitarian reasons or reasons of significant public benefit pursuant to INA 212(d)(5) (such as Cuban Family and Haitian Family Reunification Parole programs).</p> <p>Note: For individuals paroled into the United States after a positive credible fear determination — On Feb. 7, 2022, in <i>Asylumworks et al. v. Mayorkas et al.</i>, the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia vacated several rules that affected applications for employment authorization filed by individuals who received positive credible fear determinations and were subsequently paroled into the United States. Credible fear parolees may file an EAD application at any time after being paroled into the United States, and may seek employment authorization under the (c)(11) category at the time of filing.</p>			
		[accordion]	<p>Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals</p> <p>(c)(33) eligibility category: You must submit Form I-765 with Form I-821D or with proof that you previously filed Form I-821D.</p>			
	Fee		<p>We will automatically calculate the cost for you before you submit your application. For specific information about fees applicable to this form, see Form G-1055. There is an additional fee for Premium Processing Service.</p> <p>Fee waiver: If you are requesting a fee waiver, you cannot file online. You must file a paper version of both the Form I-912, Request for Fee Waiver and Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization. You can review the fee waiver guidance at www.uscis.gov/feewaiver.</p> <p>Refund Policy: USCIS does not refund fees, regardless of any action we take on your application, petition or request, or how long USCIS takes to reach a decision. By continuing this transaction, you acknowledge that you must submit fees in the exact amount and that you are paying the fees for a government service.</p>			https://www.uscis.gov/fees/additional-information
	Documents you may need		<p>Please refer to the instructions for the form(s) you are filing for additional information or you may call the USCIS Contact Center at 800-375-5283. For TTY (deaf or hard of hearing) 800-767-1833.</p> <p>Most applicants must upload:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy of your Form I-94, Nonimmigrant Arrival-Departure Record (front and back), a printout of your electronic Form I-94 from www.cbp.gov/94, passport, or other travel document. • A copy of your last EAD (front and back). If you were not previously issued an EAD, you must submit a copy of a government-issued identity document (such as a passport) showing your picture, name, and date of birth; a birth certificate with photo ID; a visa issued by a foreign consulate; or a national ID document with photo and/or fingerprint. The identity document photocopy must clearly show your facial features and contain your biographical information. • A color passport-style photograph of yourself taken recently. <p>We will automatically inform you which documents and additional evidence you may need to provide as you fill out your application. These recommendations for additional information will be based on the information you provide in the application, such as your personal history and circumstances.</p>			
	Biometric services appointment		<p>Any document containing foreign language submitted to USCIS must be accompanied by a full English language translation that the translator has certified as complete and accurate, and by the translator's certification that he or she is competent to translate from the foreign language into English.</p> <p>USCIS may require that you appear for an interview or provide biometrics (fingerprints, photograph, and/or signature) at any time to verify your identity, obtain additional information, and conduct background and security checks, including a check of criminal history records maintained by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), before making a decision on your application, petition, or request. After USCIS receives your application and ensures it is complete, we will inform you in writing if you need to attend a biometric services appointment. If an appointment is necessary, the notice will provide you the location of your local or designated USCIS Application Support Center (ASC) and the date and time of your appointment.</p> <p>If you are required to provide biometrics, at your appointment you must sign an oath reaffirming that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. You provided or authorized all information in the application; 2. You reviewed and understood all of the information contained in, and submitted with, your application; and 3. All of the declared information was complete, true, and correct at the time of filing. 			
After You Submit Your Application	Track your case online		<p>If you fail to attend your biometric services appointment, USCIS may deny your application.</p> <p>After you submit your form, you can track its status through your USCIS account. Sign into your account often to check your case status and read any important messages from USCIS.</p>			
	Respond to requests for information		<p>If we need more information from you, we will send you a Request for Evidence (RFE) or Request for Information (RFI). You can respond to our request and upload your documents through your USCIS account.</p>			
	Receive your decision		<p>The decision on Form I-765 involves a determination of whether you have established eligibility for the immigration benefit you are seeking. USCIS will notify you of the decision in writing. If your application is approved, we will either mail your EAD to you or we may require you to visit your local USCIS office to pick it up. If USCIS cannot approve your application, you will receive a written notice explaining the basis of your denial.</p>			
Completing Your Form Online	Filing online		<p>Submitting your form online is the same as mailing in a completed paper form. They both gather the same information.</p>			
	Complete the Getting Started section first		<p>You should answer all questions in the Getting Started section first so we can best customize the rest of your online form experience.</p>			
	Provide as many responses as you can		<p>You should provide as many responses as you can. Incomplete fields or sections and missing information can slow down processing of your case after you submit your form.</p>			
	We will automatically save your responses		<p>We will automatically save your information when you select next to go to a new page or navigate to another section of the form. We will save your information for 30 days from today, or from the last time you worked on the form.</p>			
	How to continue filling out your form		<p>After you start your form, you can sign in to your account to continue where you left off.</p>			
	DHS Privacy Notice		<p>AUTHORITIES: The information requested on this application, and the associated evidence, is collected under the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. section 1324a, and 8 CFR 274a.13.</p>			
			<p>PURPOSE: The primary purpose for providing the requested information on this application is to determine eligibility for certain aliens who are temporarily in the United States requesting an Employment Authorization Document. DHS uses the information you provide to grant or deny the benefit you are seeking.</p>			

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	Security Reminder		If you do not work on your application for more than 30 days, we will delete your data in order to prevent storing personal information indefinitely.			

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Getting Started	Basis of eligibility						You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.					
		[alert - always displays]							[h] You can file your request online only for certain eligibility categories		https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/forms/i-765instr.pdf	Always displays
			2.27	What is your eligibility category?	(a)(12) Temporary Protected Status Granted (c)(3)(A) Student Pre-Completion OPT (c)(3)(B) Student Post-Completion OPT (c)(3)(C) STEM Extension (c)(8) Pending Asylum and Withholding of Removal Applicants and Applicants for Asylum under the ABC Settlement Agreement (c)(11) Parole (c)(11) Afghan Parole (c)(11) Ukraine Parole (c)(19) Temporary Protected Status Pending (c)(33) Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals	Dropdown			[b] If your eligibility category does not appear on the drop-down list, you must file a paper Form I-765. If you submit online and are not eligible for one of the listed categories, your application may be denied.	Yes		
		[yellow alert] (if 2.27 = a12)							[yellow alert] [h] You must file Form I-821			
		OR (if 2.27 = c19)							[b] Based on the eligibility category you selected and your A-number, you may be a TPS applicant or recipient and must file Form I-821 before you file Form I-765. If you are not a TPS recipient, amend your eligibility category before proceeding.			
		[yellow alert] (if 2.27 = c3a)							If you are a TPS applicant or recipient, upload evidence that we accepted or approved your Form I-821, otherwise, we will reject your application and you will not receive a refund.			
		[yellow alert] (if 2.27 = c8)							[yellow alert] [h] Important information regarding your Form I-20			
		[blue alert] (if 2.27 = c11)							[b] Do NOT submit this form until you receive a Form I-20 recommendation from your DSO. We will deny your application if you do not include your Form I-20 recommendation when you submit Form I-765. If you need to provide Form I-765 to your DSO, print or download this draft before you submit.		https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/forms/i-765instr.pdf	
		[yellow alert] (if 2.27 = c33)							[h] Special filing instructions for pending asylum applications			
									[b] You are subject to a 150-day waiting period after the filing of your asylum application, before you can apply for an EAD, and an additional 30-day period before we can issue you an EAD, for a total of 180 days. Learn more about special filing instructions for asylum applications.			
									[blue alert]			
									[h] You can now file an EAD application after being paroled into the United States			
									[b] Pursuant to the Feb. 7, 2022 ruling in Asylumworks et al. v. Mayorkas et al., credible fear parolees may file an EAD application at any time after being paroled into the United States, and may seek employment authorization under the (c)(11) category at the time of filing.			
									[yellow alert]			
									[h] You must file Form I-821D or currently have DACA			
									[b] Based on the EAD eligibility category you selected and your A-number, you cannot submit a Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization until you have filed an initial or renewal Form I-821D, Consideration for Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA), or your request for DACA (initial or renewal) has been approved.			
									If you have not yet filed Form I-821D, return to the "File a Form" page and select "Form I-821D, Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals." from the drop-down menu to file your request for DACA first. After you complete and pay for your Form I-821D, you will then be able to file Form I-765 online. If you already have a Form I-821D pending or were recently approved for DACA, please upload your receipt notice for your pending Form I-821D or the decision notice USCIS issued approving your request for DACA.			
									If you continue to file the Form I-765 and fail to provide evidence of a pending or approved Form I-821D, we will reject your application and you will not receive a refund of the filing fee.			
		(if 2.27 = c3c)	2.28.a	What is your degree?		Text						
		(if 2.27 = c3c)	2.28.b	What is your employer's name as listed in E-Verify?		Text						
		(if 2.27 = c3c)	2.28.c	What is your employer's E-Verify company identification number or a valid E-Verify client company identification number?		Text		Provide a 4 to 7-digit employer identification number.				
		[if 2.27 = (c)(8)]	3.6	Are you a Salvadoran or Guatemalan national eligible for benefits under the ABC settlement agreement?	Yes/No	Radio						
		(if 2.27 = c3a, c3b, or c3c)		Would you like to request Premium Processing Service?	Yes/No	Radio	Premium Processing Service guarantees that USCIS will take one of several possible actions (issue an approval notice, a denial notice, a notice of intent to deny, or a request for evidence or open an investigation for fraud or misrepresentation) on your Form I-765 within 30 days.					
							If you request premium processing, you will be asked to complete the Form I-907 after you sign your Form I-765. You will then be able to pay for and submit both forms at the same time.					
		[blue alert] (if 2.27 = c3a, c3b, or c3c)							[blue alert] Form I-765 and Form I-907 will be submitted together. After you sign the Form I-765, the form will be locked. You will not be able to make any changes to the form once it is locked. You will immediately be directed to the Form I-907 and will be able to pay for and submit both forms after you provide your signatures.			
		AND (if yes to premium processing)										
Reason for applying		(if 2.27 = a12/c3a/c3b/c3c/c8/c11)	1.1.a	What is your reason for applying?	Initial permission to accept employment	Radio	You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.					Yes

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		(if 2.27 = a12/c3a/c3b/c3c/c8/c11/c19/c33)	1.1.b		Replacement of lost, stolen, or damaged employment authorization document or correction of my employment authorization document NOT DUE to US Citizenship and Immigration Services error	Radio						
		(if 2.27 = a12/c3a/c3b/c3c/c8/c11/c19)	1.1.c		Renewal of permission to accept employment	Radio						
			2.12	Have you previously filed Form I-765?	Yes/No	Radio						
	Preparer and interpreter information			Is someone assisting you with completing this application?	Yes/No	Radio						You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.
	(IF YES)			Is a preparer assisting you with completing this application?	Yes/No	Radio						A preparer is anyone who completes or helps you complete all or part of your application using information and answers that you provide.
	(IF YES)			Is an interpreter assisting you with completing this application?	Yes/No	Radio						An interpreter is anyone who translates or helps you translate all or part of your application using information and answers that you provide.
	Preparer information	(IF YES TO PREPARER QUESTION)										You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.
			5.1.b	What is your preparer's full name?	Given name (first name)	Text						
			5.1.a		Family name (last name)	Text						
			5.2	What is your preparer's business or organization name?		Text						
					My preparer is not part of a business or organization.	Checkbox						
			5.3.a-5.3.h	What is your preparer's mailing address?	Country	Dropdown/Text						
					Address line 1	Text	Street number and name					
					Address line 2	Text	Apartment, suite, unit, or floor					
					City or town	Text						
					State/Province	Dropdown/Text						
		(If non-USA use Province and text field) (If non-USA use Postal code and remove help text)			ZIP code/Postal code	Text	Provide a 5 or 9-digit ZIP code.					
			5.4	What is your preparer's contact information?	Daytime phone number	Text	Provide a 10-digit phone number.					
			5.5		Mobile telephone number	Text	Provide a 10-digit phone number.					
					My preparer does not have a mobile telephone number	Checkbox						
					Email address	Text	Example: user@domain.com					
			5.6		My preparer does not have an email address.	Checkbox						
	Interpreter information	(IF YES TO INTERPRETER)										You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.
			4.1.b	What is your interpreter's full name?	Given name (first name)	Text						
			4.1.a		Family name (last name)	Text						
			4.2	What is your interpreter's business or organization name?		Text						
					My interpreter is not part of a business or organization.	Checkbox						
			4.3	What is your interpreter's mailing address?	Country	Dropdown/Text						
					Address line 1	Text	Street number and name					
					Address line 2	Text	Apartment, suite, unit, or floor					
					City or town	Text						
					State/Province	Dropdown/Text						
		(If non-USA use Province and text field) (If non-USA use Postal code and remove help text)			ZIP code/Postal code	Text	Provide a 5 or 9-digit ZIP code.					
			4.4	What is your interpreter's contact information?	Daytime telephone number	Text	Provide a 10-digit phone number.					
			4.5		Mobile telephone number	Text	Provide a 10-digit phone number.					
					My interpreter does not have a mobile telephone number	Checkbox						
					Email address	Text	Example: user@domain.com					
			4.6		My interpreter does not have an email address.	Checkbox						
				What language is your interpreter using to interpret this application for you?		Text						

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About You													
Your name													
				2.1.b	What is your current legal name?	Given name (first name)		You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.	Your current legal name is the name on your birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by a legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide any nicknames here.				
				2.1.c		Middle name							
				2.1a		Family name (last name)						Yes	
					Have you used any other names since birth?	Yes/No			Other names used may include nicknames, aliases, and maiden names. Provide the other names you have used.				CTA = +Add another name
			(if yes)	2.2b		Given name (first name)							
				2.2c		Middle name							
				2.2a		Family name (last name)							
Your contact information													
				3.3	How may we contact you?	Daytime telephone number	Text	You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.	Provide a 10-digit phone number.				
				3.4		Mobile telephone number (if any)	Text		Provide a 10-digit phone number.				
						This is the same as my daytime telephone number.	Checkbox						
				3.5		Email address	Text		Example: user@domain.com				
				2.5.a	What is your current U.S. mailing address?	In care of name (if any)	Text		We will use your current mailing address to contact you throughout the application process. We may not be able to contact you if you do not provide a complete and valid address. Please provide a U.S. address only.				
				2.5.b		Address line 1	Text		Street number and name			Yes	
				2.5.c		Address line 2	Text		Apartment, suite, unit, or floor				
				2.5.d		City or town	Text					Yes	
				2.5.e		State	Dropdown/Text					Yes	
				2.5.f		ZIP code	Text		Provide a 5 or 9-digit ZIP code.			Yes	
				2.6	Is your current mailing address the same as your physical address? Where in the United States do you live?	Yes/No	Radio						
			(if 2.6 = no)	2.7.a		Address line 1	Text		Street number and name				
				2.7.b		Address line 2	Text		Apartment, suite, unit, or floor				
				2.7.c		City or town	Text						
				2.7.d		State	Dropdown/Text						
				2.7.e		ZIP code	Text		Provide a 5 or 9-digit ZIP code.				
Describe yourself													
				2.10	What is your gender?	Male	Radio	You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.					
				2.12	What is your marital status?	Female Single Married Divorced Widowed	Radio						
When and where you were born													
				2.19a	What is your city, town, or village of birth?		Text	You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.					
				2.19b	What is your state or province of birth?		Text						
				2.19c	What is your country of birth?		Dropdown/Text						
				2.20	What is your date of birth?	MM/DD/YYYY	Date					Yes	Required field
Your immigration information													
				2.18	What is your country of citizenship or nationality?		Dropdown	You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form. List all countries where you are currently a citizen or national.					User will be able to input multiple countries (at least two based on paper form). It will be a table or list. CTA = "+ Add country"
				2.21.a	What is your Form I-94 Arrival-Departure Record Number (if any)? When did you last arrive in the United States?		Text		Provide an 11 character I-94 Number.				
				2.22		Date of arrival (on or about)	Date		List your arrival date, place of arrival, and status at arrival.				
				2.23		Place of arrival	Dropdown/Text						
				2.24		Status at last arrival	Dropdown/Text						
				2.21.b	What is the passport number of your most recently issued passport?		Text						
				2.21.c	What is your travel document number (if any)?		Text						
				2.21.e	What is the expiration date of your passport or travel document?	MM/DD/YYYY	Date						
				2.21.d	What country issued your passport or travel document?	Country	Dropdown/Text						
				2.25	What is your current immigration status or category?		Dropdown/Text						
				2.26	What is your Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) Number (if any)?	N-	Text	Use the "Additional Information" section to include all previously used SEVIS numbers.	Provide a 10, 11, or 12-digit SEVIS number.				
Other information													
			(if c11 this question is required)	2.8	What is your A-Number?	A-	Text	You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.	Provide a 7, 8, or 9-digit number. If the A-Number is fewer than 9 digits, the system will automatically add zero(s) after the "A" and before the first digit so there is a total of 9 digits, for example: A-001234567.			Conditionally required for c11	
			(if c11 hide this checkbox) [yellow alert] (if 2.27 = a12)			I do not have or know my A-Number.	Checkbox			[yellow alert] [h] You must file Form I-821			
			OR							[b] Based on the eligibility category you selected and your A-number, you may be a TPS applicant or recipient and must file Form I-821 before you file Form I-765. If you are not a TPS recipient, amend your eligibility category before proceeding.			
			(if 2.27 = c19)							If you are a TPS applicant or recipient, upload evidence that we accepted or approved your Form I-821, otherwise, we will reject your application and you will not receive a refund.			

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					2.9	What is your USCIS Online Account Number?	Text	Providing your unique USCIS Online Account Number (OAN) helps us manage your account. You may already have an OAN if you previously filed <u>certain paper forms</u> and received an Account Access Notice in the mail. You can find the OAN at the top of the notice; it is not the same as an A-Number.	Provide a 12-digit Online Account Number.		Certain paper forms: I-90, I-130, I-485, I-821, I-821D, N-336, N-400, N-565, N-600, N-600K		
						I do not have or know my USCIS Online Account Number.F55	Checkbox						
					2.13a	Has the Social Security Administration (SSA) ever officially issued a Social Security card to you?	Radio						
			(If yes to 2.13a)		2.13b	What is your Social Security number (if known)?	Text		Provide a 9-digit Social Security number.				
			[yellow alert] (if 2.14 = yes)		2.14	Do you want the SSA to issue you a Social Security card?	Radio						
			(If yes to 2.14)		2.15	Consent for Disclosure: I authorize disclosure of information from this application to the SSA as required for the purpose of assigning me an SSN and issuing me a Social Security card.	Radio			[Yellow alert] [h] You must agree to the Consent for Disclosure [b] If you answer "Yes", you must also answer "Yes" to the Consent for Disclosure.			
			[yellow alert] (if 2.15 = no)							[yellow alert] [h] You must agree to the Consent for Disclosure [b] To receive a Social Security card, you must select "Yes" to the Consent for Disclosure.			
			(If yes to 2.15)		2.16b	What is your father's birth name?	Text	Given name (first name)					
					2.16a		Text	Family name (last name)					
			(If yes to 2.15)		2.17b	What is your mother's birth name?	Text	Given name (first name)					
					2.17a		Text	Family name (last name)					
			[if 2.27 = (c)(8)]		2.3	Have you EVER been arrested for and/or convicted of any crime?	Radio		USCIS will make the determination as to whether your convictions meet the definition of aggravated felony. <u>Learn more about arrests and convictions for Application for Employment Authorization.</u>				https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/forms/I-765instr.pdf

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Evidence	2 x 2 photo of you	(if all)	Form I-765 instructions, "Required Documentation" - pages 25-26	2 x 2 Photo Of You	Upload	<p>You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.</p> <p>Upload a recent color photograph of yourself that measures 2 inches by 2 inches, with your face measuring 1 inch to 1 3/8 inch from your chin to the top of your head. Your eyes should be between 1 1/8 inch and 1 3/8 inch from the bottom of the photo.</p> <p>Make sure your whole face is visible, you are facing the camera directly, and the background is white or off-white. Your head must be bare, unless contrary to your religious beliefs.</p> <p>If you need help understanding the photo requirements or want to resize, rotate, or crop your photo, you can use the Department of State's photo composition tools. Please note that we cannot approve your application without your photo.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, or PNG • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than one document at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/visa-information-resources/photos.html
	Form I-94 or passport	(if all)	Form I-765 instructions, "Required Documentation" - page 25	Form I-94, Arrival And Departure Record Or Passport	Upload	<p>Upload a copy of one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your Form I-94, Arrival-Departure Record (front and back); • A printout of your electronic Form I-94; or • Your passport or other travel document. <p>If you were admitted to the United States by CBP at an airport or seaport after April 30, 2013, CBP may have issued you an electronic Form I-94 instead of a paper Form I-94. You may visit the CBP website to obtain a paper version of an electronic Form I-94. CBP does not charge a fee for this service. Some travelers admitted to the United States at a land border, airport, or seaport, after April 30, 2013, with a passport or travel document, who were issued a paper Form I-94 by CBP, may also be able to obtain a replacement Form I-94 from the CBP website without charge.</p> <p>If your Form I-94 cannot be obtained from the CBP website, it may be obtained by filing Form I-102, Application for Replacement/Initial Nonimmigrant Arrival-Departure Record, with USCIS. USCIS does charge a fee for this service. For specific information about fees applicable to this form, see Form G-1055.</p> <p>If you do not have and cannot get a required document, you must demonstrate this and provide secondary evidence. If secondary evidence does not exist or is unavailable, you must demonstrate both the unavailability of the required document and the relevant secondary evidence and submit two or more sworn affidavits by people not named on this application who have direct knowledge of the event and circumstances.</p> <p>Learn more about Primary and Secondary evidences.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			https://www.cbp.gov/travel/internationalvisitors/i-94 https://www.uscis.gov/i-102 https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/forms/i-765instr.pdf
	Employment Authorization Document	(if all)	Form I-765 instructions, "Required Documentation" - page 25	Employment Authorization Document Or Government ID	Upload	<p>Upload a copy of your last Employment Authorization document (EAD) (front and back). If you were not previously issued an EAD, you must upload a copy of a government-issued identity document (such as a passport) showing your picture, name, and date of birth; a birth certificate with photo ID; a visa issued by a foreign consulate; or a national ID document with photo and/or fingerprint. The identity document photocopy must clearly show your facial features and contain your biographical information.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	Proof of enrollment	(if c3a)	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - page 7	Proof Of Enrollment	Upload	<p>Upload evidence of having been lawfully enrolled on a full-time basis for one full academic year at a college, university, conservatory, or seminary approved by the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) for attendance by F-1 foreign students.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	Previously authorized CPT or OPT	(if c3a or c3b)	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - pages 7-8	Previously Authorized CPT Or OPT	Upload	<p>Upload evidence of any previously authorized CPT or OPT and the academic level at which it was authorized.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	Form I-20	(if c3a, c3b, c3c) (if c3a, c3b, c3c show alert)	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - pages 7-8	I-20, Certificate Of Eligibility For Nonimmigrant Student Status	Upload	<p>Upload a copy of the Form I-20, Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant Student Status endorsed by the Designated School Official (DSO). For the (c)(3)(B) eligibility category, your DSO must have entered the recommendation for OPT into your SEVIS record within 30 days of you submitting Form I-765. If you fail to do so, we will deny your OPT request. For the (c)(3)(C) eligibility category, the Form I-20 must have been endorsed by the DSO within 60 days of submitting Form I-765.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 	[yellow alert] [Header:] Important information regarding your Form I-20 [Body:] Do NOT submit this form until you receive a Form I-20 recommendation from your DSO. We will deny your application if you do not include your Form I-20 recommendation when you submit Form I-765. If you need to provide Form I-765 to your DSO, print or download this draft before you submit.		
	College degree	(if c3c)	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - page 8	College Degree	Upload	<p>Upload evidence that the degree that is the basis for the STEM OPT extension is in one of the degree programs currently listed on the STEM Designated Degree Program List or a copy of your prior STEM degree.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			https://studyinthestates.dhs.gov/stem-opt-hub/en@he-cip:codes-for-the-stem-opt-extension
	Institution accreditation	(if c3c)	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - page 8	Institution Accreditation	Upload	<p>Upload evidence that the institution that granted your STEM degree is currently accredited by the U.S. Department of Education and certified by the Student Exchange and Visitor Program (SEVP), if this STEM OPT extension is based on a previously earned STEM degree.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	Proof of identity and nationality	(if a12(c19))	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - page 6	Proof Of Identity And Nationality	Upload	<p>Upload proof of your identity and nationality. Examples of documents you may submit include copies of your:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Passport (cover to cover); • Birth certificate accompanied by photo identification; or • Any national identity document from your country of origin that includes your photo and/ or fingerprint. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	EOIR or BIA order	(if a12(c19))	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - page 6	Proof of Temporary Protected Status Granted By EOIR Immigration Judge Or Board Of Immigration Appeals	Upload	<p>If you are submitting a first-time re-registration with USCIS following an Immigration Judge or Board of Immigration Appeals decision granting your TPS application, upload a copy of the TPS decision order.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	Form I-821	(if a12(c19))	Form I-765 instructions, "Who May File Form I-765" - page 6	Application For Temporary Protect Status	Upload	<p>If you previously filed Form I-821, upload evidence that we accepted or approved your initial Form I-821.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			

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Primary Nav	Secondary Nav	Conditional Logic	Paper Form	Evidence Title	Field Type	Instructional Text	Document type	File Requirements	Alerts	Required?	Links
	Form I-821D	(if c33)		I-821D, Consideration Of Deferred Action For Childhood Arrivals (DACA)	Upload	If you previously filed Form I-821D, upload evidence that you have a pending or approved Form I-821D.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	Form I-765WS	(if c33)		I-765WS, Worksheet		Download, complete, and upload Form I-765WS so that we can determine whether you have an economic need for work.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/forms/i-765ws.pdf
	Form I-589	(if c8)	Form I-765 instructions, "Additional Evidence requirement for category	I-589, Application For Asylum And Withholding Of Removal	Upload	USCIS uses the evidence you submit with your application to determine your eligibility for employment authorization. You are not required to submit this evidence, but it will help us process your request more efficiently.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF 			
	Proof of appeal	(if c8) and (if renewal)	Form I-765 instructions, "Additional Evidence requirement for category (c)(8) applicants" page 4	Proof Of Appeal	Upload	<p>If an EOIR IJ has denied your asylum and withholding of removal relief, but you met the requisite 180-day waiting period prior to the EOIR IJ's decision in your case, evidence that you:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timely appealed the EOIR IJ's decision on your Form I-589 to the BIA and the appeal remains pending; and • If applicable, evidence that you timely appealed the BIA decision on your Form I-589 to a U.S. Court of Appeals and that decision remains pending. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	BIA remand order	(if c8)	Form I-765 instructions, "Additional Evidence requirement for category (c)(8) applicants" page 4	Board Of Immigration Appeals Remand Order	Upload	<p>If your Form I-589 has been remanded to an EOIR IJ for further adjudication of your underlying asylum claim, upload:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy of the BIA decision and order remanding your case to the EOIR IJ; and • Evidence that your asylum claim remains under review by the EOIR IJ. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			
	Criminal history	(if c8) and (if yes to convicted of crime)	Form I-765 instructions, "Additional Evidence requirement for category (c)(8) applicants" page 4-5	Criminal History	Upload	<p>For initial and renewal applications, you are required to submit evidence of any arrests and/or convictions. If you have been convicted of an aggravated felony, you cannot be granted employment authorization under this eligibility category. USCIS will make the determination as to whether your convictions meet the definition of aggravated felony. You must, however, provide information and any supporting documentation on all crimes which you were convicted of so USCIS can make an appropriate decision. Provide a certified copy of all arrest reports, court dispositions, sentencing documents, and any other relevant documents.</p> <p>NOTE: USCIS may, in its discretion, deny your application if you have been arrested and/or convicted of any crime.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear and readable • Accepted file formats: JPG, JPEG, PDF, TIF or TIFF • No encrypted or password-protected files • If your documents are in a foreign language, upload a full English translation and the translator's certification with each original document. • Upload no more than five documents at a time • Accepted file name characters: English letters, numbers, spaces, periods, hyphens, underscores, and parentheses • Maximum size: 12MB per file 			

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: I-765

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Paper Form Question: The number in the paper form associated with the question.

Question: Based on content from the paper form. Often re-written from a statement into a question.

Sub-Question: Based on content from the paper form, the next level of information from the previous question. Often re-written from a statement into a question.

Primary Nav	Secondary Nav	Question	Sub-Question	Field Type	Instructional Text	Alert	Required?	Notes
Additional Information	Additional information				You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.			
		You may provide additional information for your application.	Add additional information	Large table	If you need to provide any additional information for any of your answers to the questions in this form, enter it into the space below. You should include the questions that you are referencing. If you do not need to provide any additional information, you may leave this section blank.		No	Large Table Pattern Ghost Sub Nav

REVIEW AND SUBMIT: I-765

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Conditional Logic: A column used to indicate whether the question or subquestion only applies if you meet certain criteria.

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Primary Nav	Secondary Nav	Conditional Logic	Paper form question	Question	Sub-Question	Field Type	Instructional Text	Help Text	Alert	Required?	CTA	Notes	
Review and Submit	Review your application			Check your application before you submit			<p>Please review your \$(formType) and check it for accuracy and completeness before you submit it.</p> <p>We encourage you to provide as many responses as you can throughout the \$(formType). Missing or incomplete information may slow down the review process after you submit your \$(formType).</p> <p>You can return to this page to review your \$(formType) as many times as you want before you submit it.</p>		<p>[Yellow alert]</p> <p>[!] Important information regarding your Form I-20</p> <p>[b] Do NOT submit this form until you receive a Form I-20 recommendation from your DSO. We will deny your application if you do not include your Form I-20 recommendation when you submit Form I-765. If you need to provide Form I-765 to your DSO, print or download this draft before you submit.</p>				
		[Yellow alert] (if c3a, c3b, c3c)		Your fee			Your form filing fee is: [XXXX]					Exact fee will be pulled from ELIS	
				Alerts and warnings			<p>You have one or more alerts and warnings based on the information you provided in your application.</p> <p>A red alert means you have incomplete responses or inconsistent data. You cannot submit your application with any alerts.</p> <p>A yellow warning means you may be missing information or may need to follow-up with us about your responses. You can still submit your application, but some warnings may slow down the review process after you submit your application.</p> <p>A green alert means you have completed all required fields and responses. Here is a summary of all the information you provided in your application.</p>				Next		
	Your application summary			Review the I-765 form information			<p>Make sure you have provided responses for everything that applies to you before you submit your application. You can edit your responses by going to each application section using the site navigation.</p> <p>We also prepared a draft case snapshot with your responses, which you can download below.</p>				Next		
	Preparer statement (IF PREPARER)		5.7a	Preparer's statement	I am not an attorney or accredited representative but have prepared this application on behalf of the applicant and with the applicant's consent.	Radio	<p>You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.</p> <p>Your preparer must read the statements below and select the statement that applies to him or her.</p> <p>If your preparer is an attorney or accredited representative whose representation extends beyond preparation of this application, he or she may be obliged to submit a completed Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Accredited Representative (G-28) with your application.</p>						
			5.7b		I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the applicant in this case does not extend beyond the preparation of this application.	Radio							
			5.7b		I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the applicant in this case extends beyond the preparation of this application.	Radio							
			5.8a	Preparer's certification and signature	By my signature, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I prepared this application at the request of the applicant. The applicant then reviewed this completed application and informed me that he or she understands all of the information contained in, and submitted with, his or her application, including the Applicant's Declaration and Certification , and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct. I completed this application based only on information that the applicant provided to me or authorized me to obtain or use.		Your preparer must read and agree to the certification below.						
					As the applicant's preparer, you must sign on paper and provide your signature page to the applicant. Follow these steps:								
					<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Download the Preparer Signature page 2. Print the Preparer Signature page 3. Read and sign the Preparer Signature page 4. Give the signed Preparer Signature page to the applicant <p>The applicant will need to scan and upload your completed signature page on the next screen.</p>								
	Preparer Signature (IF PREPARER)			Preparer's signature upload		Upload	<p>You must complete all fields with an asterisk (*) to submit this form.</p> <p>Scan and upload your preparer's completed signature page below.</p>						
	Interpreter certification (IF INTERPRETER)		4.7a	Interpreter's certification and signature	I certify, under penalty of perjury, that: I am fluent in English and the language provided in the Getting Started section of this application, and I have read to this applicant in the identified language every question and instruction on this application and his or her answer to every question. The applicant informed me that he or she understands every instruction, question, and answer on the application, including the Applicant's Declaration and Certification , and has verified the accuracy of every answer.		Your interpreter must read and agree to the certification below.						
					As the applicant's interpreter, you must sign on paper and provide your signature page to the applicant. Follow these steps:								
					<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Download the Interpreter Signature page 2. Print the Interpreter Signature page 3. Read and sign the Interpreter Signature page 4. Give the signed Interpreter Signature page to the applicant <p>The applicant will need to scan and upload your completed signature page on the next screen.</p>								
	Interpreter signature (IF INTERPRETER)			Interpreter's signature upload		Upload	Scan and upload your interpreter's completed signature page below.						
	Your statement (IF NO INTERPRETER)		3.1a	Applicant's statement	I can read and understand English, and have read and understand every question and instruction on this application, as well as my answer to every question.	Checkbox	You must read and agree to the statement below.						
			3.2	Applicant's statement regarding the preparer	At my request, the preparer named in the Getting Started section of this application prepared this application for me based only upon the information I provided or authorized.	Checkbox	You must read and agree to the statement below.						
			3.1b	Applicant's statement regarding the interpreter	The interpreter named in the Getting Started section of this application read to me every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question in the language I specified in the Getting Started section, a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.	Checkbox	You must read and agree to the statement below.						
	Your signature (If "Your statement" is complete)		Form I-765, "Applicant's Declaration and Certification" - pages 4-5	Applicant's Declaration and Certification	<p>Copies of any documents I have submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered, original documents, and I understand that USCIS may require that I submit original documents to USCIS at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any and all of my records that USCIS may need to determine my eligibility for the immigration benefit that I seek.</p> <p>I furthermore authorize release of information contained in this application, in supporting documents, and in my USCIS records, to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration law.</p> <p>I understand that USCIS may require me to appear for an appointment to take my biometrics (fingerprints, photograph, and/or signature) and, at that time, if I am required to provide biometrics, I will be required to sign an oath reaffirming that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I reviewed and understood all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application; and 2. All of this information was complete, true, and correct at the time of filing. <p>I certify, under penalty of perjury, that all of the information in my application and any document submitted with it were provided or authorized by me, that I reviewed and understand all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct.</p>		<p>You must read and agree to the certification below. If you knowingly and willfully falsify or conceal a material fact or submit a false document with your application, we can deny your application and may deny any other immigration benefit. You may also face criminal prosecution and penalties provided by the law.</p>						
			3.7a	Your signature	I have read and agree to the applicant's statement	Checkbox	You must provide your digital signature below by typing your full legal name. If you do not completely fill out this application, or if you do not submit the required documents listed in the Instructions, we may deny your application. We will record the date of your signature with your application.			Yes	Required field	Review & Submit	
	Pay and submit (If "Your Statement" and "Your signature" pages are complete)			Pay for and submit your application			<p>The final step to submit your Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization is to pay the required fee.</p> <p>Your application fee is: [XXXX]</p>					Exact fee will be pulled from ELIS	