Students on OPT: Remember to Submit Updates

If you are a student on OPT, remember to submit updates about your employment.

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Question: When Do You Need to Submit an OPT Update?
Answer: Within 10 days of any of the following:
- Start of employment (ideally you should report as soon as possible once your OPT is approved to prevent SEVIS counting days of unemployment)
- End of employment
- Change of employers
- Current employer changes name and/or address
- Change of Visa Status (e.g. to H-1B)
- Change in residential address
- Update to biographical information (e.g. name, surname, etc.)
- Leaving the U.S. and not intending to use OPT anymore