

July 27, 2020

Dear Consular Officer, Customs and Border Protection Officer, or Airline Representative,

The University of Michigan-Ann Arbor will offer a mixture of in-person, remote and hybrid courses for the Fall 2020 Term. **The University of Michigan-Ann Arbor is not operating entirely online for Fall Term 2020.** Our instructional plan ensures that students will be able to take course loads for the Fall Term that are not entirely online. Full details about the University's Fall Term 2020 plans can be found at <https://campusblueprint.umich.edu>.

Our students will therefore be able to comply with the SEVP guidance posted on July 24, 2020 as *Clarifying Questions for Fall 2020 Based On March 9 Spring Guidance Broadcast* at <https://www.ice.gov/doclib/sevis/pdf/fall2020faq.pdf>. These *Clarifying Questions* also confirm that there is no longer a requirement for schools to issue new I-20 Forms with special remarks about the Fall 2020 term.

We request your help in issuing a visa for or allowing entry of our student into the U.S. so that they can participate in their academic program. We also request assistance from airline representatives in allowing our student to board flights to the United States.

Thank you for your understanding during these difficult times.

Sincerely,

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