## **SALT LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

## ON-CAMPUS PROCEDURES FOR DEPARTMENTS HIRING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ON AN F-1 VISA

An F-1 student is permitted to work part-time on the premises of the school that issued their currently valid I-20, while they are attending that school and are maintaining their F-1 status, 8 CFR 214.2 (f)(9)(i). On-campus employment includes work done as a teaching or research assistant as well as jobs in the library, cafeteria, and administrative offices. On-campus also includes employment with "... on-location commercial firms which provide services for students on campus such as the bookstore or cafeteria."

- 1. Student looks for employment on campus. The student completes SLCC on-line employment application: <a href="http://jobs.slcc.edu">http://jobs.slcc.edu</a>. International Student Services (ISS) requires students working on-campus to do so in accordance with USCIS regulations (20 hours per week while school is in session and more during vacation or break times). If working interferes with pursuing a full course of study, 12 credit hours per semester, or if the student's GPA falls below 2.0, the student must discontinue working.
- **2. Once the department offers the employment to the student**, the hiring department writes a job offer letter. The student will bring this letter to ISS.
- 3. **If the student does not have a Social Security Number,** International Student Services will write a letter to the Social Security Administration (SSA) verifying status as a full-time international student on an F-1 visa.
- **4. Student brings both letters** from ISS and the hiring department, their passport, visa, most recent I-94, and Continued Attendance I-20 to the Social Security Administration Office to apply for a social security number.
  - Student requests a receipt letter from the SSA demonstrating that the SSN is pending.
- 5. Hiring Department and Student complete hiring packet including the receipt letter from Social Security Administration and submits to Human Resources within 3 days of hire according to policy. Hiring Packet includes the following:
  - a. Official SLCC Application signed and date
  - **b.** I-9 completed correctly indicating F-1 status
  - c. W-4
  - d. Conditions of Employment
  - e. New Employee Checklist
  - f. Copy of Receipt from SSA
  - g. Direct Deposit (optional)
  - h. Copy of Letter from International Student Services

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i. Copy of Social Security Card (within 30 days)

**Caution:** Between December 1 - 15, students without social security numbers cannot be hired due to upcoming **W-2** deadlines.

- 6. Student can begin employment after step 5.
- 7. For the student to receive a regular payroll they must submit their social security cardto the Payroll Office in a timely manner. A copy must be received by Payroll within 4 weeks of the 1<sup>st</sup> day the student begins work. The student or the department will bring copy of social security card to Payroll. If a social security card is not received, Payroll will notify the hiring department that the student is suspended from work until the card is received

## SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION LOCATIONS:

Salt Lake Social Security Administration Office 175 East 400 South, Suite 500 Salt Lake City, Utah (866)690-1947 South Jordan SSA Office 10138 South Jordan GTWY South Jordan, Utah (866)690-1947

Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
These offices close at 12:00 pm on Wednesdays

**Reminder:** If this is the student's first time in the United States as an F1/J1/H1/TN visa holder, they must wait for 10-14 days after arrival in the U.S. before visiting a Social Security Administration Office to apply for a Social Security Number, to ensure that the Social Security Administration can access their immigration information.