

## Checklist for F-1 Reinstatement

To apply for reinstatement to F-1 status, you must make an appointment with an UCF Global Immigration Advisor. You will need to submit the following documents:

Completed I-539, Application To Extend/Change Non-immigrant Status.  We strongly recommend typing your form to avoid typographical errors due to handwriting.  https://www.uscis.gov/i-539
Filing Fee. Refer to the USCIS website for the current fee. <a href="https://www.uscis.gov/i-539">https://www.uscis.gov/i-539</a>
Form I-20 Request Submit the Form I-20 Request online at https://my.intl.ucf.edu/. (Log in with your NID and Password)
A letter addressed to USCIS explaining the following:
» Circumstances beyond your control for being out of status
» Reason(s) that failure to receive reinstatement to lawful F-1 status would result in extreme hardship to you
» That you are currently pursuing, or intends to pursue, a full course of study
» That you have not engaged in unauthorized employment
Financial documents: Bank statements, affidavit of support, etc.
A copy of passport
A copy of visa
A copy of I-94
Copies of all previous I-20s
If you have been arrested, submit the police clearance letter from the jurisdiction where the arrest took place, a certified copy of the arresting officer report, and a certified copy of the court disposition
All applicable transcripts from U.S. institution
Letter from your Designated School Official(DSO) documenting the timeline and any applicable information

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