



## Student Visa and U.S. Higher Education

A U.S. Consulate General, Hyderabad Face book Chat, held on  
May 3rd, 2013 from 03:00pm – 04:00pm

### Facebook Chat Transcript

**Student:** Does US Embassy have something for someone who came back and plan to go back? Any other visa for them to work in the US for 12-24 months and come back to INDIA? Because i came back during recession. Thank you very much for your time.

**U.S. Vice Consul:** To learn more about work visas for the U.S., please visit <http://hyderabad.usconsulate.gov/temporary-employment-help.html>. To learn more about working in the U.S. in general, you can visit the USCIS website (<http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis>) and click "Working in the U.S."

**Student:** Hello Sir, Valid non-immigrant Student Visa has been cancelled and voluntary departure has been ordered, Application has been withdrawn, I-275 executed at Port of Entry under 212 (a)(7)(A)(i)(I). What are chances of getting student visa in future?

**U.S. Vice Consul:** Viswanandh, such a person may or may not be eligible to receive a new visa, but they may apply for an F1 student visa anytime they like. All they need to apply is a valid I-20 form and a valid passport. However, it is important to be truthful about anything that happened in relation to their past stays in the U.S.

**Student:** How many backlogs does visa officer allows before granting the visa

**U.S. Vice Consul:** Aamir, consular officers evaluate the totality of a student's academic credibility. Students should expect to be asked questions about all aspects of their academic history, including marks, backlogs, test scores, gaps in their studies, and future plans. They should also be able to explain their plan for funding their education.

**Student:** Hello U.S. Consulate General Hyderabad,  
I'm Karthik, I got my F-1 Visa on January 7th 2013 for Spring semester. But due to very shortage of time I couldn't make my trip the very next day to USA as my university starts on January 9th 2013. I requested my university people to grant me some extension, but they deferred my admission to AUGUST 2013 (Fall 2013).  
So now they issued me Same Admission I20 On same SEVIS Number as on my visa. So now can I enter USA without any problem as I'm having valid I20 with same sevis number and valid visa upto January 3rd 2018. Thankyou.

**U.S. Vice Consul:** Karthik, you will need to get a new visa as your new start date is more than five months after the original date listed on the visa

Hello Sir , I attended Visa in the month of January for an F-1 Visa and was given 221g, due to administrative processing i got my visa after I missed my date of attendance at my university. My professor from the university advised me to attend the classes from the fall Sem, and they sent me a new I-20. So will i be having a problem at the port entry since i haven't come to U.S on time..? Any advice will be greatly appreciated....Thank You

**Student** : Could you kindly let us know the strike rate of F1 visas granted at Hyderabad Consulate this season and could you also suggest students which University to approach in USA as here in India consultancies/agents recommend universities where they get good kickbacks. Thank you.

**U.S. Vice Consul:** Eshwar, thanks for your question. There are a number of great resources to learn about studying the U.S. Visit [www.usief.org.in](http://www.usief.org.in) to learn all about colleges, programs, and more

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