

I-901 SEVIS Fee Information for New F-1 Students

Regulations by the United States Department of Homeland Security require all prospective students and exchange visitors to pay a one-time fee to cover the operational costs of the Student & Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS). SEVIS is the database used by the Department of Homeland Security to maintain information on international students and exchange visitors during their stay in the United States.

The I-901 SEVIS fee is **separate** from your visa fee. You will need to pay the I-901 SEVIS fee first and then present proof of payment at your visa interview. Upon your arrival to the United States, you will also need to present proof of this payment along with your passport, visa, and signed I-20.

TO PAY THE I-901 SEVIS FEE, FOLLOW THESE STEPS:

1. Visit <https://studyinthestates.dhs.gov/students/prepare/i-901-sevis-fee-payment-video> to view a step-by-step tutorial for paying the I-901 SEVIS fee.
2. Access the Form I-901 application website at <https://fmjfee.com>.
3. Enter your information **exactly** as it appears on your I-20 and in your passport.
4. Pay the fee electronically or by mail according to the instructions on the website.
5. Print your payment confirmation receipt. **You must bring the receipt with you when you apply for a visa.**

If you have any questions about the payment process, you can e-mail fmjfee.sevis@ice.dhs.gov. Include your name and SEVIS ID number. For further assistance call the Department of Homeland Security at 1-703-603-3400.

Additionally, you can contact these Roberts Wesleyan College Designated School Officials: Lesa Kohr, Registrar, PDSO at KohrL@roberts.edu or (585) 594-6220 or Angela Hoover, Interim Director of International Engagement, DSO at hoover_angela@roberts.edu or (585) 594-6382.