

**Broadcast Message: SEVIS NOTICE – SEVIS Release 6.35 Production Implementation**

**To:** All SEVIS Users

**Date:** July 20, 2017

**Re:** SEVIS NOTICE – SEVIS Release 6.35 Production Implementation

**Number:** 1707-02

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**General Information**

The Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) will upgrade the Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) to Release 6.35. Attached for reference is the SEVIS Release 6.35 Final System Changes, which outlines the system changes that this release will implement. This upgrade requires an outage of the Production and Alpha test environment. See below for the outage details:

- The SEVIS Production and Alpha test environment will NOT be available from Friday, July 21, 2017, at 8 p.m. EDT to Saturday, July 22, 2017 at 12 a.m. EDT

During the outage, users will not have access to the Production and Alpha test environment. SEVP will not send a follow-up email regarding system availability. Continue to monitor SEVP Broadcast Messages and the SEVIS message board for additional information regarding this outage.

If you have questions regarding any of the changes described in the attached notice, please contact the SEVP Response Center at 703-603-3400 or 800-892-4829, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET, except federal holidays.

**FOR BATCH USERS ONLY:**

SEVIS Batch file processing will be unavailable until the scheduled upgrade is complete. Please refrain from uploading files in the Production environment during the outage. Files uploaded during the outage will generate an error and users will have to reupload those files once the Production environment is available.

**Comments**

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