To: All SEVIS users  
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Re: SEVIS Pre-Release 6.25 and Batch Updates Webinar  
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General Information

Join the Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) and the U.S. Department of State’s Exchange Visitor Program for a two-part webinar discussing the Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) enhancements scheduled for deployment in SEVIS Release 6.25 on Friday, March 25, 2016.

DATE: Friday, March 4, 2016

TIME: 1 – 1:45 p.m. (EST) – SEVIS Pre-Release 6.25 (applicable to F/M SEVIS only)

2 – 3 p.m. (EST) – Batch Updates (applicable to F, M and J schools and sponsors that use batch processing)

The pre-release portion of the webinar will focus on the following SEVIS changes in the March 25 release:

• Downloadable report titled “Students and Dependents without a Record of an Updated Form I-20, ‘Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant Student Status’”

• Improvements to Cap-Gap extensions

• Minor improvement when searching for schools in the transfer-out process

The batch updates portion of the webinar will focus on:

• SEVP communications with batch software developers

• Summary of batch-related functionality in the previous June release

• Schedule for release of batch schema and deployments to the Alpha SEVIS test environment in support of the June 2016 release

Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions during both parts of the webinar.

Registration for the webinar is now open on Study in the States.

The webinar room will open 15 minutes prior to the webinar start time. Since the session allows for a limited number of participants, SEVP encourages individuals from the same organization to participate in the webinar from one location.
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