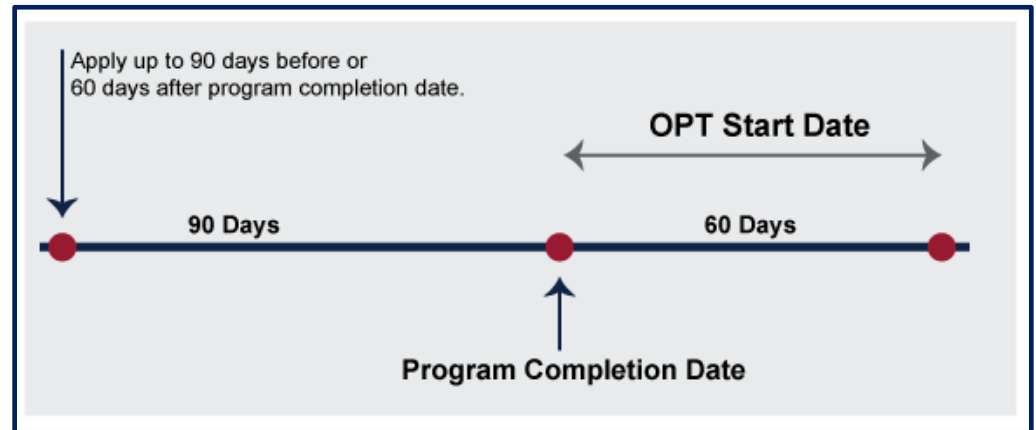




Optional Practical Training (OPT) Application Timeline

USCIS must receive your application:

- No more than 90 days BEFORE program completion date
- No more than 60 days AFTER program completion date
- Within 30 days of the issue date of the OPT recommendation I-20 issued by Lasell's Office of International Services



OPT guide for students with Program Completion dates in the 2022-2023 Academic Year:

Program End Date	Winter (Grad) 12/14/2022	Winter (UG) 12/19/2022	Spring (Grad and UG) 05/13/2023	Summer (Grad and UG) 08/25/2023
Application:				
First date to apply to USCIS	09/15/2022	09/20/2022	02/12/2023	05/27/2023
Last date USCIS can <u>receive</u> application	02/12/2023	02/17/2023	07/12/2023	10/24/2023
Employment:				
Earliest employment start date	12/15/2022	12/20/2022	05/14/2023	08/26/2023
Latest employment start date	02/12/2023	02/17/2023	07/12/2023	10/24/2023

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