

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name

### Academic Advisor's Curricular Practical Training Recommendation Form

This F-1 student has proposed off-campus employment in the field of study in compliance with F-1 curricular practical training immigration regulations. As defined in the federal guidelines governing F-1 student visas, the curricular practical training must be an integral part of an established curriculum. Students authorized for full-time CPT through the Cooperative Education Program are classified as full-time students by NMSU. CPT which is 20 hours or less per week is part-time and the student must also register full-time during the CPT period.

Please review the following CPT options and complete the following if this student is eligible for CPT.

#### Program Completion

1. The student will graduate: \_\_\_ Spring 09 \_\_\_ Summer 09 \_\_\_ Other ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
semester/year
2. All courses required for the academic degree (excluding thesis/dissertation credits) have been completed  
\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No
3. Expected date of thesis/dissertation defense (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_
4. Employment is authorized by the academic department based on the following:
  - Off-campus employment is degree requirement for this student.
  - Coop employment through the NMSU Cooperative Education Program is recommended by the academic department. I have seen the co-op job description offered to this student and verify that the work is directly related to this student's major course of study.
  - (a) Student will register for the following course and credits based on this employment  
Course number \_\_\_\_\_ Number of credits \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) Which semester will student register for this class? \_\_\_\_\_

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Academic Advisor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Academic Department

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Date received \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Meets F-1 eligibility \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

Copy to NMSU Cooperative Education Program (date) \_\_\_\_\_