Broadcast Message: SEVP Portal Release 5.3

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General Information

The Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) will deploy SEVP Portal Release 5.3 on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 2023.

This release will allow students on post-completion optional practical training to see and edit supervisor information, including:

- Last name,
- First name,
- Telephone number and extension, and
- Email address.

For more information on SEVP Portal Release 5.3, see the [SEVP Portal Release 5.3 Planning Guide](#) on the [SEVIS Help Hub](#), [SEVP Portal Enhancements](#) page.

SEVP anticipates a three-hour SEVP Portal outage, from Tuesday, Jan. 24, 2023, at 9 p.m. EST to Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023, at 12 a.m. EST.

During this time:

- The Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) will store newly entered information, and send it to the portal once it is back online.
- Students will not be able to log into the SEVP Portal during the outage.

If you have questions regarding the changes described in this 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. EST, except federal holidays.

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