Please read this statement carefully before you sign it!!!

Responsibilities during 12-Month OPT

Name:	Student ID:Date of Birth:
Address	<u> </u>
	rm that I have been informed by International Student Services (ISS) of my responsibilities during OPT. I must comply e following:
•	USCIS must receive my OPT application within 30 days after my OPT I-20 is issued
•	Check my name and OPT dates when I receive OPT receipt, approval notice and EAD card. If error occurs, contact IS immediately
•	I have the ability to monitor my OPT application case status at: https://egov.uscis.gov/cris/caseStatusSearchDisplay.do
•	I CANNOT work until I receive the EAD card and the start date is current
•	I must work a minimum of 20 hours per week
•	I must report my OPT employment and/or any changes to my employment within 10 days when it occurs through Forms Library under MyUB at www.bridgeport.edu
•	 ALL my jobs must be DIRECTLY related to my major. I can work for multiple employers. Examples for work: Work for hire Self-employed business owner Employment through an agency or consulting firm Paid or unpaid employment
•	Within 10 days, notify ISS the following changes: Name Telephone number Residential and mailing addresses I will also contact USCIS by calling the number of National Customer Service as listed on my OPT receip or by going to the USCIS website: https://egov.uscis.gov/crisgwi/go?action=coa if my OPT is pending
•	I CANNOT be without work for more than 90 days during my 12-month post-completion OPT
•	 I understand that the following reasons could lead to my OPT termination or cancellation: I did not complete degree requirements by my program end date due to poor academic performance I transfer to another school or begin study at another educational level I change my non-immigrant status to another category and the start date is in effect
•	I understand if my OPT has been approved and I depart before I get a job, my OPT ends and I cannot reenter the US.
•	Traveling outside the U.S. for 5 months or more will lead to violation of my F-1 status and cancellation of my OPT. I need the following to travel outside the U.S. during OPT: Travel signature endorsed by an International Student Advisor within the last six months Valid Employment Authorization Document (EAD card) Valid F-1 visa and passport Proof of employment (letter of permission for travel from employer)
Signati	ure: Date: