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Tax Workshops Continue

The ISS will continue to have the following workshops to show you how to use special free tax software for international students and how to complete Oklahoma Tax Forms.

Bring any tax forms you have such as W-2 or 1042-S or 1099. (Not everyone has all these forms. Some people only have a W-2.) You also must know your passport number. Bring a copy of last year’s tax return, if you have one.

Tax Workshop Schedule

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NOTE: Due date is April 17. Must be in the mail by April 17, not received.
Glow in the Dark Capture the Flag

It’s still a little chilly, but we’re ready to get outdoors! Meet the Student Union Activities Board on Classroom Building Lawn at 7:00pm on March 6th for a competitive game of Glow in the Dark Capture the Flag. We’ll break everybody into teams and explain the rules, then it’s up to you to guard your flag until victory is earned!

[Event Details]
When: Tuesday, March 6
What: Glow in the Dark Capture the Flag
Time: 7:00 pm
Where: Classroom Building Lawn
Harry Potter Night

Join the Student Union Activities Board for a magical night filled with trivia, games, crafts, and food! Grab your fellow witches and wizards and come get sorted into an evening of fun. We’ll be making our own magic wands on the Starlight Terrace at 7:00pm on Thursday, March 8th.

[Event Details]
When: Thursday, March 8
What: Harry Potter Night
Time: 7:00 pm
Where: Starlight Terrace
The Student Union Activities Board invites all dog lovers and owners to an evening of tail-wagging fun. Participate in our walk for a cause to gather donations for the Stillwater Humane Society! We are seeking donations of paper towels and disinfectant wipes, or any item listed as a need: http://www.hspets.org/page/home/donate/current-needs-list. The event will begin Thursday, March 15th at 5:30 p.m. on the Student Union Plaza. Get up and moving with SUAB and your pup!

**[Event Details]**
**When:** Thursday, March 15  
**What:** Strutt Your Mutt  
**Time:** 5:30 pm  
**Where:** Plaza
OPT Sessions – Spring 2018 (OSU- Stillwater)

If you are planning on filing for OPT this semester, you are must first attend one of the ISS-OPT sessions (listed below) and then complete the subsequent ISS-OPT survey. These ISS-OPT sessions will go over the rules and regulations about the OPT process. During these sessions you will also need to complete the paperwork necessary to file for the OPT.

OPT Sessions

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NOTE: If you are graduating in Spring 2018 or Summer 2018, please attend one of these OPT sessions prior to applying for OPT. Without ISS-OPT session attendance, your application submission will not be considered as valid.

***Before you can make an appointment with the ISS office to file for OPT, you must complete one of the ISS-OPT sessions and subsequently the OPT survey. Your completed survey will then be sent to the ISS office. Only after ISS receives your completed survey will you be able to meet with an ISS-Designated School Official to submit your OPT application.

Final Semester Students Should Start a Graduation Application Soon!!

If you are in your final semester and planning to graduate in May 2018 you should start the “Graduation Application Process” soon. There are numerous steps involved in graduating from college that require advanced planning. Graduating students have a tendency to get busy filing for OPT or applying for graduate programs or inviting family members to attend their commencement. However the first step in this process should be applying to graduate. Here is that link: https://commencement.okstate.edu/node/47

Also, don’t forget that if you are under enrolled in your final semester you will need to submit a graduation application to avoid jeopardizing your immigration status.