

# Request for Authorization to Petition for O-1 or LPR Status

In order for a KUMC petition to be submitted to the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service (USCIS—formerly INS), approval must be obtained by the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs. Please submit this form to the Vice Chancellor at 5015 Wescoe, Mail Stop 1040, as soon as the candidate has been selected. After review, a copy of this form will be returned to you with the action noted. If you proceed with filing an O-1 or LPR petition, please send a copy of this form to the Office of International Programs, Mail Stop 3033. Note, however, that International Programs is unable to file the actual petition; the individual or the department is responsible for retaining an attorney to assist with this.

**PLEASE TYPE OR BLOCK PRINT ALL ITEMS**

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| Sponsoring Dept. _____                      | Job Title _____             |
| Duration of Employment: From _____ To _____ | Salary Offered \$ _____     |
| Name of Supervisor _____                    | Phone _____ Mail Stop _____ |
| Brief Description of Key Duties _____       |                             |
| _____                                       |                             |
| _____                                       |                             |

Who, specifically, initiated this action? Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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| Candidate's Name _____   | Citizenship _____                     |
| Is the candidate currently in the U.S.? _____                      | If yes, list current visa type _____  |
| Requested status: _____ O-1 (Alien of Extraordinary Ability)       | _____ LPR (Lawful Permanent Resident) |
| List degrees, including fields of study and awarding institutions: |                                       |
| _____  |                                       |
| _____  |                                       |
| _____  |                                       |
| Relevant training beyond terminal degree: _____                    |                                       |
| _____  |                                       |

How was the candidate recruited? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What establishes the candidate as outstanding or extraordinary? \_\_\_\_\_  
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List any additional information or extenuating circumstances relevant to this request. \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Department Head:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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| Action: _____ Approved _____ Not Approved _____ Deferred _____ |   |
| Date: _____  | Allen Rawitch, Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs |