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Attention: Any students returning to the U.S. from countries on the travel ban list (such as Iran, Yemen, Syria, etc.), should make sure to check their I-20 and visas carefully for accurate dates, spellings, categories, etc. Incorrect entries can prevent entry into the U.S., and can even lead to detention and deportation. For example, IABA has received report of a British-Iranian student who was detained in prison for three days in Boston, and deported back to England last week, because his university in California made an administrative date error on his I-20 and he did not catch it. The consequences of such an error can range from the distress of a traumatic experience to missing entire terms of school, while you are awaiting relief such as a waiver from the U.S. Government.