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Form **8843**

Statement for Exempt Individuals and Individuals With a Medical Condition
For use by alien individuals only.

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2015

Attachment Sequence No. **102**

Information about Form 8843 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form8843.

For the year January 1—December 31, 2015, or other tax year beginning _____, 2015, and ending _____, 20_____.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Your first name and initial YOUR FIRST NAME	Last name YOUR LAST NAME	Your U.S. taxpayer identification number, if any SSN or ITIN or BLANK if none
Fill in your addresses only if you are filing this form by itself and not with your tax return Address in country of residence Home Country Address	Address in the United States U.S. Address (where you live now)	

Part I General Information

- 1a Type of U.S. visa (for example, F, J, M, Q, etc.) and date you entered the United States ▶ **F-1 or J-1**
- b Current nonimmigrant status and date of change (see instructions) ▶ **Same as 1a**
- 2 Of what country were you a citizen during the tax year? **Country of citizenship**
- 3a What country issued you a passport? **Your passport country**
- b Enter your passport number ▶ **Passport #**
- 4a Enter the actual number of days you were present in the United States during: **(# days physically present in US)**
2015 **#** 2014 **#** 2013 **#**
- b Enter the number of days in 2015 you claim you can exclude for purposes of the substantial presence test ▶ **same as 4a**

Part II Teachers and Trainees

- 5 For teachers, enter the name, address, and telephone number of the academic institution where you taught in 2015 ▶
- 6 For trainees, enter the name, address, and telephone number of the director of the academic or other specialized program you participated in during 2015 ▶
- 7 Enter the type of U.S. visa (J or Q) you held during: ▶ 2009 _____ 2010 _____
2011 _____ 2012 _____ 2013 _____ 2014 _____. If the type of visa you held during any of these years changed, attach a statement showing the new visa type and the date it was acquired.
- 8 Were you present in the United States as a teacher, trainee, or student for any part of 2 of the 6 prior calendar years (2009 through 2014)? Yes No
If you checked the "Yes" box on line 8, you cannot exclude days of presence as a teacher or trainee unless you meet the *Exception* explained in the instructions.

Part III Students

- 9 Enter the name, address, and telephone number of the academic institution you attended during 2015 ▶
**Western New England University
Springfield MA 01119**
- 10 Enter the name, address, and telephone number of the director of the academic or other specialized program you participated in during 2015 ▶ **Ketic Ahlman, 1215 Wilbraham Rd., Springfield, MA
01119, 413.796.2389**
- 11 Enter the type of U.S. visa (F, J, M, or Q) you held during: ▶ 2009 _____ 2010 _____
2011 _____ 2012 _____ 2013 _____ 2014 _____. If the type of visa you held during any of these years changed, attach a statement showing the new visa type and the date it was acquired. **For J visa**
- 12 Were you present in the United States as a teacher, trainee, or student for any part of more than 5 calendar years? Yes No
If you checked the "Yes" box on line 12, you must provide sufficient facts on an attached statement to establish that you do not intend to reside permanently in the United States.
- 13 During 2015, did you apply for, or take other affirmative steps to apply for, lawful permanent resident status in the United States or have an application pending to change your status to that of a lawful permanent resident of the United States? Yes No
- 14 If you checked the "Yes" box on line 13, explain ▶

Only mark 'Yes' if you actually submitted a permanent resident application.

Part IV Professional Athletes

15 Enter the name of the charitable sports event(s) in the United States in which you competed during 2015 and the dates of competition ▶ _____

16 Enter the name(s) and employer identification number(s) of the charitable organization(s) that benefited from the sports event(s) ▶ _____

Note: You must attach a statement to verify that all of the net proceeds of the sports event(s) were contributed to the charitable organization(s) listed on line 16.

Part V Individuals With a Medical Condition or Medical Problem

17a Describe the medical condition or medical problem that prevented you from leaving the United States ▶ _____

b Enter the date you intended to leave the United States prior to the onset of the medical condition or medical problem described on line 17a ▶ _____

c Enter the date you actually left the United States ▶ _____

18 Physician's Statement:

I certify that _____
Name of taxpayer

was unable to leave the United States on the date shown on line 17b because of the medical condition or medical problem described on line 17a and there was no indication that his or her condition or problem was preexisting.

Name of physician or other medical official

Physician's or other medical official's address and telephone number

Physician's or other medical official's signature Date

Sign here only if you are filing this form by yourself and not with your tax return

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form and the accompanying attachments, and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete.

▶ *sign* _____
Your signature

▶ *date* _____
Date

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IRS Center
Austin, TX 75301-0215

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