SIU EXPORT CONTROLS MONTHLY

A RESOURCE FOR CURRENT EXPORT CONTROL ISSUES AND EVENTS THAT COULD AFFECT SIU AND ITS FACULTY

EXPORT CONTROL VIOLATION HOTLINE

If you suspect an export control violation, call: 618-650-2476



EXPORT CONTROL ARTICLES



PREVENTING RUSSIAN EXPORT CONTROL AND SANCTIONS EVASION: UPDATED GUIDANCE FOR INDUSTRY

The United States, Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the United Kingdom, and the European Union (the G7) published, for the first time ever, joint guidance for industry on preventing evasion of the export controls and sanctions imposed on Russia.

GEORGIA TECH CUTS TIES TO A BLACKLISTED CHINESE UNIVERSITY

Georgia Institute of Technology will sever ties with a blacklisted Chinese university, ending degree programs. It's the latest American college to retreat from an academic partnership in China.

The university will pull out of the Georgia Tech Shenzhen Institute, which it established in 2016 with Tianjin University and the municipal government of Shenzhen, a city in southern China.

IRAN FAQS

The Export Controls website includes a section with guidance on our interactions with Iran. While you can freely collaborate with Iranian SIU students and employees, there are restrictions on what collaborations can occur with Iranians that are located in Iran.

Additionally, while travel to Iran is not prohibited, you are not permitted to take any SIU equipment to Iran. You are also not permitted to attend a conference in Iran, even if it is virtually, without a license.

You may be permitted to co-author a paper with an Iranian colleague or student, but the Export Controls Office must first run restricted party screening to clear working with those individuals.

There are many nuances in interactions with Iran, along with several other countries. Therefore, the Export Controls Office continues to emphasize the importance of contacting us before ANY international activity.

"TALENT PROGRAM" FAQS

What is a foreign "TALENTS" program?

Any foreign state sponsored attempt to acquire U.S.-funded scientific research through recruitment programs that target scientists, engineers, academics, researchers, and entrepreneurs of all nationalities working or educated in the United States.

These recruitment programs are often part of broader whole-of-government strategies to reduce costs associated with basic research while focusing investment on military development or dominance in emerging technology sectors. The Department of Energy issued an order on 7 July 2019 with fairly clear explanations of Talents programs <u>DOE O 486.1</u>.

How does this affect SIU and me?

Association with a Talents Program can lead to ineligibility to receive Federal funding for your research. Currently there is no due process to challenge such a determination or limit to the time interval over which it is imposed. Past associations may also be concerning to the US Government.

CHINA DEFENSE UNIVERSITIES TRACKER

The Tracker is a tool created by ASPI's International Cyber Policy Centre to inform universities, governments and scholars as they engage with the entities from the People's Republic of China. It aims to build understanding of the expansion of military-civil fusion—the Chinese government's policy of integrating military and civilian efforts—into the education sector. The Tracker should be used to inform due diligence of Chinese institutions.

EQUIPMENT USED IN RESEARCH

If you use the following equipment/goods in your research or the below is your area of research, please call the Director of Export Controls at 618-650-2476.

Swine vesicular disease virus (Porcine enterovirus type 9) 1C351.a.52				
Switch fabric development/production technology5A991.c.10				
Switches, filtered and unfiltered mechanical3A611.y.21				
Switching devices, modules or assemblies3A228				
Switching equipment, stored program controlled5A991.c				
Synchronous Digital Hierarchy (SDH) technology 5E001.b.4				
Synchronous Digital Hierarchy (SDH) technology 5E991.a.2				
Synchronous Optical Network technology (SONET) 5E001.b.4				
Synchronous Optical Network technology (SONET) 5E991.a.2				
Synchytrium endobioticum1C354.b.9				
Synthetic Aperture Sonar (SAS) designed for seabed imaging				
Syntactic foam, underwater use8C001				
Synthetic crystalline laser host material6C005				

SIU CLEAN LAPTOP PROGRAM

All SIU travel to the below countries WILL REQUIRE that an Informational Technology Services clean laptop be used during SIU business travel to those countries. Your SIU issued laptop computer SHALL NOT be transported to any of the below countries.

Iran	Russia	Sudan	Belarus
Syria	China	Cuba	North Korea
Cambodia	Venezuela	Ukraine (Crimea Region)	

U.S. EXPORT CONTROL REGULATIONS

- EXPORT ADMINISTRATION
 REGULATIONS (EAR) by the U.S.
 Department of Commerce Bureau of
 Industry and Security (BIS)
- INTERNATIONAL TRAFFIC IN ARMS REGULATIONS (ITAR) by the U.S. Department of State Directorate of Defense Trade Controls (DDTC)
- FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL REGULATIONS (FACR) by the U.S. Department of Treasury Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC)

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SIU EXPORT CONTROL COMPLIANCE MANUAL

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NEWSLETTER CONTENT REQUESTS

If you find any articles, research, or other information relevant to export controls, or have a specific topic you think would be a great addition to this newsletter, please submit your ideas to bjmartin@siu.edu.