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As a program sponsor who uses the Training/Internship Placement Plan extensively with many stakeholders, we have a couple recommendations for streamlining and clarifying the form.

1. To help assure information is concise and pertinent, we would suggest combining the following questions: "Description of Trainee/Intern's role for this program or phase" and "Specific goals and objectives for this program or phase". Suggested alternative: "Description of Trainee/Intern's role for this program or phase, including specific goals and objectives"
2. Specifically regarding the PDF version of the Training/Internship Placement plan, the formatting could be adjusted as follows to reduce the size of the document and redundancy of information.
 - Remove the following fields from Section 4 as they already appear in Section 1: Program Sponsor, Program Number, The Exchange Visitor Is: (Intern/Trainee).
 - Relocate from Section 4 to Section 2: Main Program Supervisor/POC at Host Organization (and associated fields). This information is only contained on page 1 (Host Organization section) of the DS-7002 generated in SEVIS, which also seems appropriate for the PDF version.