



## 40-Hour Immigration Law Training

Virtual Training

Spring 2025

**All sessions will be held via Zoom. The link will be distributed the week prior to the start of the course.**

**Please note that every session begins at 9am but has different end times depending on content!**

### WEEK 1

**Monday, March 10 • 9:00am – 12:30pm**

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**Welcome and Introductions (15min)**

**Unit 1: Overview of Immigration and the Law (1hr 30min)**

- break (10min)

**Unit 2: Roles of Advocate and Client and Interviewing Skills (2hr)**

**Friday, March 14 • 9:00am – 12:30pm**

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**Unit 3A: Grounds of Inadmissibility and Deportability (2hr)**

- break (10min)

**Unit 10: The Removal Process: Arrests, Bonds, and Bond Redetermination Hearings (1hr 20min)**

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## WEEK 2

**Monday, March 17 • 9:00am – 1:00pm**

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**Unit 3B: Criminal Grounds of Inadmissibility and Deportability (2hr 15min)**

*Jen Klein, Committee for Public Counsel Services*

- break (15min)

**Unit 15: U Visas and T Visas (1hr 30min)**

*Emily Leung, Southeast Justice Center*

**Thursday, March 20 • 9:00am – 12:45pm**

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**Unit 4: Family Visas - Session 1 (1hr 35 min)**

- break (15min)

**Unit 5: Family Visas – Session 2: Submitting the Petition; Marriage Issues (1hr 50min)**

## WEEK 3

**Tuesday, March 25 • 9:00am – 1:00pm**

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**Unit 6: Family Visas – Session 3: Consular Processing; Waivers of Inadmissibility (2hr)**

- break (15min)

**Unit 7: Family Visas – Session 4: Adjustment of Status and Conditional Residency for Spouses (1hr 45min)**

**Friday, March 28 • 9:00am – 1:00pm**

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**Unit 21 (Part Two): Introduction to Employment-Based Immigration (2hr)**

*Leslie Ditrani, Pathway for Immigrant Workers*

- break (10min)

**Unit 11: Introduction to Cancellation of Removal for Nonpermanent Residents (2hr)**

**WEEK 4**

**Monday, March 31 • 9:00am – 11:30am**

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**Unit 11: continued (1hr)**

**Unit 12: Applying for Cancellation of Removal for Lawful Permanent Residents (20min)**

- break (10min)

**Unit 16: TPS, LRIF, DACA, Registry, Legalization, Family Unity and Other Discretionary Options (50min)**

**Thursday, April 3 • 9:00am – 1:00pm**

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**Unit 8: Session 1- Legal Research, Writing and Appeals for Immigration Practice (2hr)**

- break (10min)

**Unit 9: Session 2 - Legal Research, Writing and Appeals for Immigration Practice (1hr 50min)**

**WEEK 5**

**Tuesday, April 8 • 9:00am – 1:00pm**

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**Unit 14: Asylum and Related Relief (2hr)**

*Cristina Dacchille Freeman, MIRA Coalition*

- break (10min)

**Unit 14: continued (1hr 50min)**

**Friday, April 11 • 9:00am – 12:00pm**

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**Unit 18: Identifying Immigration Remedies and Use of Case Management Systems (1hr 45min)**

- break (10 min)

**Unit 13: Authorized Practice of Law and Ethical Duties of Advocates (1hr)**

## **WEEK 6**

**Monday, April 14 • 9:00am – 12:00pm**

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**Unit 17: Naturalization and Citizenship (1hr 45min)**

- break (15min)

**Open Q&A:** as we near the end of the course, this is a time to review some material and have time for questions and answers. We will also address questions about the exam during this time period. (1hr)

**Thursday, April 17 • 9:00am – 12:30pm**

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**Unit 19: Constitutional and Statutory Rights of Immigrants (1hr 20min)**

- break (10min)

**Unit 20: Negotiation Skills and Building Community Support (2hr)**

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*Congratulations!*

## EXAM INFORMATION

The exam will be distributed by email following the last class. The exam document will be a Word document. **Exams will be due by 11:59pm on Sunday, May 4.** Please follow all these instructions:

### Submission:

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- Save the document as **YOUR FULL NAME\_Exam**
- Place your NAME in the header or at the top right corner of the first page of the exam

The exam will be submitted by email to me at [jchicco@miracoalition.org](mailto:jchicco@miracoalition.org). It should be a word document or PDF document attachment (please do not share a google document with me - if you do, I will download it into a PDF).

The exam is take-home and open book: you may consult the textbook, the slides, the class recordings, your notes, and conduct independent research. You must work independently and not receive feedback from anyone else regarding the exam. **You may not use any type of AI to generate any part of your responses to the exam questions.**

### Grading:

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- Each question is worth two points.
  - Partial credit can be earned.
  - Note that each subpart of questions 1, 14, and 51 are worth two points (e.g. question one is worth a total of 14 points).
  - *Total points possible: 134*
  - *Passing score: 94 points*
  - **There will be no retakes permitted. You must achieve a passing score on the final exam in order to receive a Certificate of Completion.**
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