



Immigration Law Fundamentals Training

Thanks to the great response last year, MIRC and Michigan United are teaming up again to present an

Immigration Law Fundamentals Training

using materials from the Immigrant Legal Resource Center. The goal of this

training is to prepare students for accreditation by the Board of Immigration Appeals (BIA) which requires this kind of fundamentals training.



The Training

Location & Trainers

This year we are responding to student feedback and advocacy community need by making some format changes. The Training will be offered on six Thursday mornings, in both Detroit (at Wayne State University Law School) and Grand Rapids (location TBA). Presenters will alternate between locations, which will be video-linked together. Diego Bonesatti, Ruby Robinson, and Susan Reed will be the main trainers with some special guests.

Requirements for Completion

Attendance at all six sessions, as well as significant "homework" is required. We estimate that the homework and assigned reading will take students 3-6 hours per week to complete and we discourage registration by those who will

not have time to complete it. Students must pass a final exam to obtain a certificate of completion.

Schedule

The sessions will be held on the following dates from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.:

May 28, June 4, June 11, June 18, June 25, and July 9.
(Please note that there is no session on July 2.)

Registration

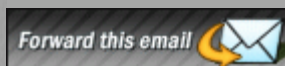
Because our goal is to increase nonprofit immigration legal services capacity by increasing BIA recognition and accreditation, priority will be given to staff and volunteers of nonprofit organizations. However, attorney staff of nonprofit organizations and attorneys in private practice and law students may also register and will be placed in the course if space is available.

[Click Here To Register](#)

Costs for Training & Materials

When your registration is confirmed, you will receive an email with information about paying the course registration fee of \$220 and how to purchase required course materials. Course materials are sold by the **Immigrant Legal Resource Center** at a cost of \$215 for hard copy only or PDF only, or \$240 for the hard copy/PDF combo. (So, the total cost to you of the training will be either \$435 or \$460 in two separate payments -- one to us and one to ILRC.)

We hope you or your staff or a friend can join us!



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