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Selected Issues in Family-Based Immigration Law

El Paso, Texas

November 13-14, 2024

Wednesday, Nov. 13

8:00 – 8:30 a.m. Registration, Continental Breakfast

8:30 – 8:45 a.m. Welcome, Review of Agenda and Materials

8:45 – 9:30 a.m. The Life of a Family-Based Case: Step 1 – Effective Screening

9:30 – 9:45 a.m. Break

F = Fundamentals Workshop

SE = Selected Issues Workshop

9:45 – 11:00 a.m. **F:** Filing a Family-Based Petition: Who, When, and How
SE: Immigrating Through Marriage

11:00 – 11:15 a.m. Break

11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

F: Filing a Fiancé(e) Petition and Adjustment: Who, When, and How
SE: Child Status Protection Act

12:15 – 1:30 p.m. Lunch

1:30 – 2:45 p.m. National Visa Center (NVC) Presentation and Q & A (Virtual)

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. Break

3:00 – 4:15 p.m. **F:** Public Charge and Filing the Affidavit of Support: Who, When, and How
SE: Petition Conversion, Revocation, Termination, and Reinstatement

4:15 – 4:30 p.m. Break

4:30 – 5:30 p.m. **F:** Filing for Adjustment of Status: Who, When, and How
SE: Selected Issues in Adjustment of Status

5:30 – 6:15 p.m. *Optional Listening Session: Changes Under New Administration*

Thursday, Nov. 14

- 8:00 – 8:30 a.m. Sign In, Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 – 9:30 a.m. El Paso Borderland Realities
Panel Discussion on Efforts and Challenges on the U.S.-Mexico Border
- 9:30 – 9:45 a.m. Break
- 9:45 – 11:00 a.m. All About Consular Processing
- 11:00 – 11:15 a.m. Break
- 11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Health-Based Inadmissibility and Waivers
- 12:15 – 1:30 p.m. Lunch
- 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. Presentation and Question & Answer Session with Representatives
from the Department of State Immigrant Visa Section, Ciudad Juárez
(CDJ)
- 3:00 – 3:15 p.m. Break
- 3:15 – 4:15 p.m. Prior Removal Orders, Unlawful Presence, and the Permanent Bar
- 4:15 – 4:30 p.m. Wrap-up