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Welcome!

Li Immigration Law is a boutique law firm with expertise in employment-based and family-based U.S. immigration law.

We provide experienced and dedicated legal representation to individuals, small businesses, and large corporations on non-immigrant work visas, immigrant visas, lawful permanent residence, and naturalization.

Mission

Diligent analysis and strategic planning are an integral part of our legal services. The practice of immigration law involves more than just obtaining a visa as quickly as possible. We carefully evaluate each case for its unique circumstances to determine the best course of action to achieve our clients' long-term immigration goals.

Recent News

Li Immigration Law opened on July 1, 2012. It is comprised of the immigration practice from Mikkelborg Broz Wells & Fryer PLLC. Vickie Li leads the practice with Robert Wells serving as Of Counsel and Laurie Bernbaum as Senior Associate. Li Immigration Law continues to be supported by its experienced paralegals, Miriam Adams and Rathchovy Ran, and office administrator, Anne Holm.

Our Practice

Li Immigration Law assists individuals in obtaining employment-based non-immigrant work visas under a number of visa categories such as those for an L-1A/L-1B intra-company transferee, H-1B professional worker, H-1B1 professional from Chile or Singapore, E-3 professional from Australia, and TN (NAFTA) Canadian or Mexican professional, among others.

Our firm also assists individuals through the employment-based permanent resident (adjustment of status) process. We prepare PERM (labor certification) applications and immigrant visa petitions for outstanding researchers, persons of extraordinary ability, and multi-national managers/executives.

We work with individuals in a diverse range of fields including engineering, computer science, information technology, architecture, geology, horticulture, and the culinary arts.

Our practice in family-based immigration law includes the preparation of petitions by U.S. relatives, criminal or misrepresentation waiver applications, fiancée petitions, applications to remove conditional status, and naturalization applications.

About Us

Vickie Li, Attorney/Principal

Vickie Li began her legal career in 1996 as an Assistant District Counsel for the Immigration and Naturalization Service in San Francisco, California. In 2000, she joined Mikkelborg Broz Wells & Fryer PLLC as an immigration attorney specializing in employment-based and family-based immigration law, and became a partner in 2008. In 2012, Vickie opened Li Immigration Law PLLC.

Vickie graduated from U.C. Berkeley and received her law degree from the University of Washington School of Law. She is a member of the Washington State Bar Association, the State Bar of California and the American Immigration Lawyers Association. Vickie is actively involved in the community as a tutor with the Youth Tutoring Program in Seattle, an educational enrichment program for at-risk students living in public housing communities in Seattle, and as a Big Sister in the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Puget Sound mentoring program.

Robert Wells, Of Counsel

Robert Wells has specialized in the practice of immigration law for more than 35 years, during which time he has represented many immigration clients before federal district courts and the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. Bob graduated from George Washington Law School and was awarded Order of the Coif. He joined Mikkelborg Broz Wells & Fryer PLLC in 1963 as one of its founding members. In addition to his admission to the federal courts and his membership in the Washington State Bar Association, he is a long-time member of the American Immigration Lawvers Association.

Our depth of experience will guide you through the complexities of U.S. immigration law.

Laurie Bernbaum, Senior Associate

Laurie Bernbaum has practiced employment-based and family-based U.S. immigration law since 1997. She joined Mikkelborg Broz Wells & Fryer PLLC in 2005. Laurie graduated from U.C. Santa Barbara and received her law degree from Seattle University. Laurie is a member of the Washington State Bar Association and American Immigration Lawyers Association.

Client Resources

Client Login Clients of Li Immigration Law may access the firm's questionnaires by logging on here:

User Name Password

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Citizenship & Immigration Services (CIS)

CIS interviews, biometrics, and INFOPASS appointments are conducted at the local Seattle Field Office at:

12500 Tukwila International Boulevard Seattle, WA 98168

Visit Website

Frequently Asked Questions

Check Case Status?

You may check on the status of a pending petition or application at the CIS website with your case number. Check Status

Need an Appointment with CIS?

You may schedule an INFOPASS appointment to make an inquiry with a CIS officer at the Seattle District Office.
Schedule Appointment with CIS

Check Immigrant Visa Number Availability?

Each month, the Department of State issues a new Visa Bulletin advising which priority dates are current.

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Parking

Parking is available on the street or in nearby lots.

The Butler Garage is located on 114 James Street between 1st and 2nd Avenues.

The US Bank Building Garage is located on 721 1st Avenue between Columbia and Cherry Streets.

Moved/Changed Addresses?

You must advise the CIS of address changes by completing Form AR-11 within 10 days of a move.

Advise CIS

Need an Appointment to Obtain a U.S. Visa?

Each U.S. consulate has its own procedures for scheduling visa appointments.

Find an Embassy

Need a U.S. Passport?

U.S. citizens may find information on how to apply for a passport on the Department of State website.

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