IMMIGRATION ESSENTIALS FOR LAWYERS

Ten CPD / CLE points

Australia's Migration Program is a complex web of ever-changing legislation, policy and eligibility criteria.

Taught by Accredited Specialists and experienced immigration lawyers, this is a comprehensive series of interactive workshops designed for legal practitioners seeking to practice in the field.

They will help you navigate the maze of regulations and understand the visa application process, exceptional circumstances, skills assessment requirements and state sponsorship needs to allow you to assess the best options for your clients.

WHAT IS IT?

Immigration Essentials for Lawyers is a two and a half day workshop running 22 - 24 February 2012 and covering essential topics for lawyers wishing to provide migration advice.

Taught by Specialists and experienced practitioners, this course is the most comprehensive overview of immigration law and policy for lawyers.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Lawyers aspiring to incorporate the provision of immigration advice into their practices will find this course a detailed overview of significant case law, government policy and procedure and the most common visa classes and subclasses.

Course participants must hold a current Legal Practising Certificate or be in the final stage of their law degree however no prior knowledge of immigration law is required.

WHAT TOPICS ARE COVERED?

The course covers the core areas of migration law and practice, including:

- Introduction to Migration Procedure and Visa Applications
- Unlawful Non Citizens and Exclusion Periods
- Character, Cancellation and Deportation
- Public Interest Criteria / Health Issues
- Partner Visas
- Temporary Business Sponsorship
- Employer Nomination Scheme
- Student Visas
- General Skilled Migration
- Merits Review and Judicial Review
- Office of the MARA and the Code of Conduct

WORKSHOP INFORMATION

Venue: MIA Training Room, Level 3, 83 York St, Sydney
Price: Students: $799 | Members: $999 | Non Members: $1199
Details: Wednesday 22 February 1:00pm – 5:30pm
Thursday 23 February 9:30am – 5:00pm
Friday 24 February 9:30am – 5:00pm

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PRESENTERS INCLUDE:

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LACHLAN RICHES MARN 9473887 is a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of NSW and the High Court of Australia, and a Partner at Taylor & Scott Lawyers. His vast experience extends to all areas of immigration law, and he is a regular presenter for the Migration Institute of Australia.

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LILLIAN AJURIA MARN 9791466 is an Accredited Specialist in Immigration Law and the Principal of Ajuria Lawyers (inc McCutchan & Associates). With over 15 years in the profession, her experience and knowledge covers all aspects of migration law and policy.

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ALEX KAUFMAN MARN 0601370 is a qualified Solicitor and Registered Migration Agent at Katie Malyon & Associates. His experience extends across business, investment and employment related migration and the provision of associated legal services.

ANDREA CHRISTIE-DAVID MARN 0849865 is the Principal Solicitor at the Immigration Advice and Rights Centre (IARC). A sought after presenter, she also lectures as part of Griffith University's Master of Immigration Law program.

Workshop registration includes ten CPD/CLE Points*, course materials and catered breaks.

**CLE Points in VIC/NSW/QLD only*

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