

Immigration and Refugee Law Primer

Citizenship and Immigration Law / Young Lawyers Division



In-Person



Webcast

Date: Tuesday, December 3, 2019 | 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

Location: OBA Conference Centre
20 Toronto Street, 2nd Floor, Toronto

Program Chairs: **Ziah Sumar**, Long Mangalji LLP
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Join your peers for an engaging review of common issues within the immigration and refugee bars, and leave equipped with the tools you need to approach these issues with confidence. Our expert faculty will help you get up to speed on business immigration, family class applications, and refugee claims, and will provide you with valuable insights in a unique “Things I Wish I Knew When...” session.

You will also gain a greater understanding of the processes regarding:

- Work permits and Labour Market Impact Assessments
- The interplay between temporary and permanent residency
- Spousal/Family sponsorship
- Refugee claim matters

Register now to gain valuable strategies to assist your clients!

8:30 am	Registration and Coffee	11:40 am	Top Things I Wish I Knew When... Michael Battista , Battista Smith Migration Law Group Aisling Bondy , Bondy Immigration Law Rafeena Rashid , Rashid Urosevic LLP <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Managing files and clients as a junior lawyer• Starting my own law practice• Navigating ethical issues in immigration law• Staying up-to-date on immigration law changes• Addressing IRCC, courts and tribunals
9:00 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks	12:25 pm	Questions and Concluding Remarks
9:05 am	Business Immigration Matters Victoria Cowling , Corporate Immigration Law Firm Stephen Kent , KPMG Law LLP <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overview of work permit applications• Labour Market Impact Assessments• Employer compliance issues• Temporary vs. permanent immigration programs• Transitioning temporary foreign workers to permanent residents	12:30 pm	Program Concludes
9:50 am	Refugee Claim Matters Subodh Bharati , SSB Law Chambers Anthony Navaneelan , Legal Aid Ontario <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Navigating the refugee claims process• Appeals to the Refugee Appeal Division		
10:35 am	Networking Break		
10:55 am	Family Class Applications Asiya Hirji , Neighbourhood Legal Services Joel Sandaluk , Mamann Sandaluk & Kingwell LLP Immigration Lawyers <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sponsorship of spouses, parents and grandparents• Appeals to the Immigration Appeal Division• Humanitarian and compassionate considerations		

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