

RAPID RESPONSE TEAM training series



Wednesday, April 6, 2022 : 1 - 2pm EST

Best Practices for Completing an Employment Authorization Application (Work Permit)

An Employment Authorization Document (EAD) enables asylum seekers to be able to support themselves and their families—as well as obtain a social security number for a variety of critical needs. Join PAIR's Sarah Allar as she goes over the importance of an EAD, eligibility, and best practices for preparing and filing.

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Wednesday, April 13, 2022 : 1 - 2pm EST

Best Practices for Completing a "Skeletal" Asylum Application

Filing a "skeletal" asylum application is an important first step in both affirmative and defensive asylum cases. PAIR's Violeta Haralampieva will facilitate a training on the technical aspects of preparing and filing Form I-589 (Application for Asylum). She will share best practices for completing the biographical sections and substantive questions on the form, as well as tips for filing with both USCIS in affirmative cases and EOIR in defensive cases.

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Wednesday, April 20, 2022 : 1 - 2pm EST

Representing Clients at Bond Hearings in Immigration Court

PAIR's Irene Freidel will be giving a training on how to represent detained "recent arrival" clients at bond hearings in Immigration Court. A number of asylum seekers continue to be detained at the Wyatt Detention Center, on the MA/RI border. PAIR frequently has a number of pro bono bond cases. The timeframe on a bond case is about 2 weeks after case placement/acceptance, and pro bono attorneys can make an enormous impact on releasing those in detention.

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