EB-1A Approvals in December 2009

This report includes ten (10) EB-1A cases filed by Liu & Associates and approved by the USCIS in December 2009. We list the basic credentials of each case and hope our readers find the information helpful. For confidentiality purpose, a numeric number is assigned to replace the petitioner/beneficiary's name in each case. It is our firm's policy to hold client's information strictly confidential.

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Case # 1

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Inorganic Chemistry
Current Position:	Research scientist at a technology company
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a U.S. university
	Published 10 journal papers
	Invited to review the works of others 30+ times
	Cited approximately 60+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters:	6 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date:	December 1, 2009
Approval Date:	December 11, 2009

Case # 2

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Computational Biology
Current Position:	Research graduate assistant at a state university
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a foreign university
	Published 20+ journal papers
	Invited to review the works of others 30+ times
	Cited approximately 270+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters:	6 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date:	October 16, 2009
Approval Date:	December 17, 2009

Case # 3

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Genetic Epidemiology
Current Position:	Applied biostatistician at a state university
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a foreign university
	Published 20+ journal papers
	Co-authored a book chapter
	Received 3 nationally recognized awards
	Cited approximately 340+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters:	6 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date:	November 4, 2009
Approval Date:	December 8, 2009

Case #4

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Biomedical Imaging
Current Position:	Postdoctoral researcher at a state university medical center
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a U.S. university
	Published 10+ journal papers
	Received a nationally recognized award
	Cited approximately 100+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters:	6 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date:	October 15, 2009
Approval Date:	December 11, 2009

Case # 5

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Chemistry
Current Position:	Postdoctoral research associate at a state university
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a foreign university
	Published 10 journal and conference papers
	Cited by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters:	6 including 4 independent experts
Filing Date:	May 18, 2009
Approval Date:	December 3, 2009

Case # 6

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Biochemical Engineering
Current Position:	Research fellow at a medical center
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a foreign university
	Published 20+ journal papers
	Co-authored 4 book chapters
	Cited approximately 90+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters:	6 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date:	October 29, 2009
Approval Date:	December 10, 2009

Case # 7

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Materials Science and Engineering

Current Position: Major Credentials:	Postdoctoral fellow at a national laboratory Ph.D. from a U.S. university Published 30+ journal papers Consistently invited to review the works of others
Supporting Letters: Filing Date: Approval Date:	Cited approximately 520+ times by other researchers 5 including 2 independent experts November 23, 2009 December 8, 2009

Case # 8

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Organic Chemistry
Current Position:	Research associate at a state university
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a foreign university
	Published 40+ journal and conference papers
	Consistently invited to review the works of others
	Cited approximately 220+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters:	7 including 4 independent experts
Filing Date:	May 21, 2008
Approval Date	December 3, 2009

Case # 9

Eb-1A I-140
Bioscience & Biotechnology
Research fellow at a prestigious private university
Ph.D. from a U.S. university
Published 20+ journal papers
Co-authored 3 book chapters
Invited to review the works of others 10+ times
Cited approximately 210+ times by other researchers
5 including 2 independent experts
November 4, 2009
December 3, 2009

Case # 10

Case Type:	Eb-1A I-140
Field of Research:	Environmental Science and Engineering
Current Position:	Environmental scientist at an energy company
Major Credentials:	Ph.D. from a U.S. university
	Published 10 journal papers
	Consistently invited to review the works of others
	Cited approximately 80+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters:	5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date:	December 1, 2009
Approval Date	December 30, 2009

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