# NIW I-140 Cases Approved in January 2013

This report includes fifteen (15) NIW I-140 cases filed by Liu & Associates and approved by the USCIS in January 2013. 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-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Bioengineering

Current Position: Postdoctoral fellow at a medical school

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 10 journal papers

Cited approximately 160+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts

Filing Date: December 19, 2012 Approval Date: January 18, 2013

## Case #2

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Organic Chemistry

Current Position: Senior chemist at a chemical company

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 10+ journal papers

Cited approximately 170+ times by other researchers worldwide

Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts

Filing Date: July 12, 2012 Approval Date: January 16, 2013

#### Case #3

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Organic Chemistry

Current Position: Postdoctoral research associate at a university

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a USA university

Published 10+ journal papers

Cited approximately 100+ times by other researchers worldwide

Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts

Filing Date: December 10, 2012 Approval Date: January 30, 2013

#### Case #4

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140

Field of Research: Statistics

Current Position: Postdoctoral research fellow at a medical center

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 5 journal papers

No citations claimed

Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts

Filing Date: May 8, 2012 Approval Date: January 25, 2013

### Case #5

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Materials Science

Current Position: Postdoctoral research associate at a national laboratory

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 10 journal papers

Cited approximately 30+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts

Filing Date: November 5, 2012 Approval Date: January 7, 2013

# Case #6

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Cell Biology

Current Position: Scientist at a biotechnology company

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 5 journal papers

Cited approximately 150+ times by other researchers worldwide

Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts

Filing Date: May 10, 2012 Approval Date: January 28, 2013

# Case #7

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140

Field of Research: Electrical Engineering

Current Position: Seismic imager for an oil company

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 7 journal papers

Cited approximately 100 times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts

Filing Date: December 19, 2012 Approval Date: January 18, 2013

Case #8

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140

Field of Research: Physics

Current Position: Engineer at a manufacturing company

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 10+ journal and conference papers

Cited approximately 100+ times by other researchers worldwide

Supporting Letters: 6 including 3 independent experts

Filing Date: July 6, 2012 Approval Date: January 22, 2013

Case #9

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Biomedical Science

Current Position: Postdoctoral research associate at a university

Major Credentials: M.S. from a foreign university

Published 10+ journal and conference papers

Cited approximately 100 times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 1 independent experts

Filing Date: September 12, 2012 Approval Date: January 17, 2013

**Case #10** 

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Biological Chemistry

Current Position: Postdoctoral fellow at a pharmaceutical company

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 10+ journal papers

Cited approximately 110+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts

Filing Date: May 21, 2012 Approval Date: January 28, 2013

Case #11

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140

Field of Research: Physics

Current Position: Geophysicist at a geophysical company

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 10+ journal and conference papers

Cited approximately 30+ times by other researchers worldwide

Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts

September 20, 2012 Filing Date: Approval Date: January 31, 2013

### **Case #12**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: Biomedical Science

**Current Position:** Postdoctoral fellow at a medical school

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university Published 10+ journal papers

Cited approximately 60+ times by other researchers

5 including 2 independent experts Supporting Letters:

Filing Date: November 1, 2012 Approval Date: January 11, 2013

# **Case #13**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: **Nuclear Engineering** 

Current Position: Research engineer at a university Ph.D. from a US university Major Credentials:

Published 10+ journal and conference papers

Cited approximately 20+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts

October 16, 2012 Filing Date: Approval Date: January 14, 2013

# **Case #14**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research: **Medicinal Chemistry** 

Current Position: Postdoctoral fellow at a university Ph.D. from a foreign university Major Credentials: Published 20+ journal papers

Cited approximately 70+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 4 independent experts

Filing Date: August 22, 2012 Approval Date: January 11, 2013

#### **Case #15**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140 Field of Research:

Electrical Engineering

Current Position: Instructor at a medical center Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university

Published 20 journal and conference papers

Cited approximately 150+ times by other researchers

Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts

Filing Date: December 28, 2012 Approval Date: January 30, 2013

For more approved cases, please see <a href="http://www.niwus.com/Approvals.html">http://www.niwus.com/Approvals.html</a>.