

NIW I-140 Cases Approved in February 2013

This report includes twenty-one (21) NIW I-140 cases filed by Liu & Associates and approved by the USCIS in February 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

Field of Research: Molecular and Cellular Biology
Current Position: Research associate at a medical center
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university
Published 10 journal papers
Cited approximately 130+ times by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: June 4, 2012
Approval Date: February 6, 2013

Case #2

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Chemistry
Current Position: Scientist at a research and development company
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university
Published 8 journal papers
Cited approximately 120+ times by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: January 15, 2013
Approval Date: February 1, 2013

Case #3

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Physiology
Current Position: Research associate at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 4 journal papers
Cited approximately 30+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: July 6, 2012
Approval Date: February 25, 2013

Case #4

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Computer Science
Current Position: Postdoctoral research associate at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 10+ journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 20+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 4 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: July 17, 2012
Approval Date: February 8, 2013

Case #5

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Organic Chemistry
Current Position: Postdoctoral research fellow at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 6 journal papers
Cited approximately 40+ times by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: July 2, 2012
Approval Date: February 20, 2013

Case #6

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Financial Engineering
Current Position: Quantitative analyst at an investment company
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 8 journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 60+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: June 15, 2012
Approval Date: February 14, 2013

Case #7

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Biomedical
Current Position: Research specialist at a medical center
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university
Published 40+ journal papers
Cited approximately 200+ times by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: July 16, 2012

Approval Date: February 26, 2013

Case #8

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Biochemistry
Current Position: Research assistant at a medical school
Major Credentials: M.S. from a US university
Published 5 journal papers
Cited approximately 70 times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: December 21, 2012
Approval Date: February 15, 2013

Case #9

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Microbiology
Current Position: Postdoctoral fellow at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university
Published 20 journal papers
Cited approximately 90 times by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: June 20, 2012
Approval Date: February 25, 2013

Case #10

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Biochemistry
Current Position: Postdoctoral research fellow at a research company
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 3 journal papers
Cited approximately 80+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 4 independent experts
Filing Date: June 6, 2012
Approval Date: February 13, 2013

Case #11

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Materials Science and Engineering
Current Position: Postdoctoral associate at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 7 journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 30+ times by other researchers worldwide

Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: January 9, 2013
Approval Date: February 28, 2013

Case #12

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Biomedical Engineering
Current Position: Postdoctoral researcher at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 20+ journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 140+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: July 10, 2012
Approval Date: February 22, 2013

Case #13

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Electrical Engineering
Current Position: Postdoctoral research associate at a national laboratory
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 10+ journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 40+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: September 12, 2012
Approval Date: February 26, 2013

Case #14

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Computational Science
Current Position: Visiting assistant professor at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign and a US university
Published 40+ journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 150+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: November 27, 2012
Approval Date: February 11, 2013

Case #15

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Medical Science
Current Position: Research associate at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university

Published 9 journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 80+ times by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: July 12, 2012
Approval Date: February 28, 2013

Case #16

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Computer Science
Current Position: Director of research at a brokerage firm
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 10+ journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 130+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts
Filing Date: June 15, 2012
Approval Date: February 13, 2013

Case #17

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 30+ journal papers
Cited approximately 120+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: May 15, 2012
Approval Date: February 4, 2013

Case #18

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Electrical and Computer Engineering
Current Position: Information analyst at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 10+ journal and conference papers
Cited approximately 50 times by other researchers worldwide
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: January 8, 2013
Approval Date: February 28, 2013

Case #19

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

Current Position: Coordinator at a state department
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 10+ journal papers
Cited approximately 50 times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: July 20, 2012
Approval Date: February 28, 2013

Case #20

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Immunology
Current Position: Fellow at a university
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 4 journal papers
Cited approximately 20+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 1 independent experts
Filing Date: May 29, 2012
Approval Date: February 6, 2013

Case #21

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140
Field of Research: Genetics
Current Position: Postdoctoral research fellow at a pharmaceutical company
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university
Published 10 journal papers
Cited approximately 270+ times by other researchers
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts
Filing Date: June 7, 2012
Approval Date: February 11, 2013

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