

## NIW I-140 Cases Approved in March 2013

This report includes nineteen (19) NIW I-140 cases filed by Liu & Associates and approved by the USCIS in March 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: Biochemistry  
Current Position: Postdoctoral associate 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 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: January 28, 2013  
Approval Date: March 18, 2013

### Case #2

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Cellular Biology  
Current Position: Research fellow at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 4 journal papers  
Cited approximately 60+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: July 25, 2012  
Approval Date: March 5, 2013

### Case #3

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Physics  
Current Position: Postdoctoral research associate at a national laboratory  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 20+ journal papers  
Cited approximately 200+ times by other researchers worldwide  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: November 7, 2012  
Approval Date: March 12, 2013

#### **Case #4**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Electrical Engineering  
Current Position: Senior engineer at a technology company  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 20 journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 70+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts  
Filing Date: January 23, 2013  
Approval Date: March 12, 2013

#### **Case #5**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Biomedical Science  
Current Position: Research fellow at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university  
Published 10 journal papers  
Cited approximately 220+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts  
Filing Date: August 9, 2012  
Approval Date: March 18, 2013

#### **Case #6**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Chemistry  
Current Position: Postdoctoral research fellow at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 10+ journal papers  
Cited approximately 70+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts  
Filing Date: January 29, 2013  
Approval Date: March 18, 2013

#### **Case #7**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Paper Science Engineering  
Current Position: Postdoctoral research scholar at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 10+ journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 100+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 4 including 3 independent experts

Filing Date: January 15, 2013  
Approval Date: March 19, 2013

**Case #8**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Physics  
Current Position: Postdoctoral research associate at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 6 journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 50+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: July 30, 2012  
Approval Date: March 4, 2013

**Case #9**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Computer Science  
Current Position: Software engineer at an advertising company  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 20+ journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 240+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: March 1, 2013  
Approval Date: March 28, 2013

**Case #10**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Microbiology  
Current Position: Postdoctoral scientist at a national laboratory  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university  
Published 20+ journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 130+ times by other researchers worldwide  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 3 independent experts  
Filing Date: July 12, 2012  
Approval Date: March 15, 2013

**Case #11**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Materials Science and Engineering  
Current Position: Postdoctoral scholar at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 20+ journal papers

Supporting Letters: Cited approximately 70+ times by other researchers worldwide  
5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: August 16, 2012  
Approval Date: March 15, 2013

#### **Case #12**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Chemical Engineering  
Current Position: Postdoctoral researcher at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 8 journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 90+ times by other researchers worldwide  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: August 16, 2012  
Approval Date: March 15, 2013

#### **Case #13**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Pharmaceutical Science  
Current Position: Associate research scientist at a pharmaceutical company  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 7 journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 60 times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: August 14, 2012  
Approval Date: March 21, 2013

#### **Case #14**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Physics  
Current Position: Engineer at a manufacturing company  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a foreign university  
Published 10+ journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 60+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: August 13, 2012  
Approval Date: March 18, 2013

#### **Case #15**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Applied Physics  
Current Position: Research associate at a university

Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 10+ journal papers  
Cited approximately 40+ times by other researchers worldwide  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: January 15, 2013  
Approval Date: March 20, 2013

#### **Case #16**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Electrical Engineering  
Current Position: Postdoctoral scientist at a research company  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 2 journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 210+ times by other researchers worldwide  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 4 independent experts  
Filing Date: January 4, 2013  
Approval Date: March 8, 2013

#### **Case #17**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Materials Science  
Current Position: Assistant scientist at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 10+ journal and conference papers  
Cited approximately 250+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: September 15, 2011  
Approval Date: March 25, 2013

#### **Case #18**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140  
Field of Research: Genetics  
Current Position: Postdoctoral fellow at a university  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 10 journal papers  
Cited approximately 130+ times by other researchers  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: August 7, 2012  
Approval Date: March 18, 2013

#### **Case #19**

Case Type: Eb-2 NIW I-140

Field of Research: Biomedical  
Current Position: Attending physician at a hospital  
Major Credentials: Ph.D. from a US university  
Published 2 journal papers  
Cited approximately 20+ times by other researchers worldwide  
Supporting Letters: 5 including 2 independent experts  
Filing Date: July 13, 2012  
Approval Date: March 19, 2013

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