



EB-1 Initial Immigration Questionnaire

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CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name : <i>(First, Middle, Last)</i>			Date:
Name on Passport <i>(if different than above)</i>	First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:
Address: <i>(# Street, City, State, Zip)</i>			
Telephone Number:			
Best Email:	Referred by:		
Current Immigration Status <i>(i.e. H-1B, F-1, O, L, etc.)</i>	Expiration Date:		

YOUR BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION & IMMIGRATION STATUS:

Date of Birth:		Place of Birth: <i>(City and Country)</i>		Current Citizenship:	
Name of current employer:		Ever overstay I-94, <i>even by a day</i>		Have you ever been arrested?	
If an I-140 Petition Has Ever been filed for or by you, please complete :					
Petitioner Name:		Receipt #:		Priority Date:	
Status of I-140:		I-140 Basis:	<input type="checkbox"/> PERM	<input type="checkbox"/> NIW	<input type="checkbox"/> EB1B/C

SPOUSE INFORMATION if Married:

Name: <i>(First, Middle, Last)</i>			Date of Birth:	
Place of Birth: <i>(City, Country)</i>	Current Citizenship:		U.S. Immigration Status:	
Beneficiary of Approved or Pending I-140 Petition? (Y/N)			Priority Date:	

CHILDREN'S INFORMATION if applicable:

Child 1 Name: <i>(First, Middle, Last)</i>			Date of Birth:	
Place of Birth: <i>(City, Country)</i>	Current Citizenship:		U.S. Immigration Status:	
Child 2 Name: <i>(First, Middle, Last)</i>			Date of Birth:	
Place of Birth:	Current		U.S. Immigration	

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(City, Country)		Citizenship:		Status:	
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Discussion of National Importance of Your Expertise

How does your work serve the national interests of the U.S. beyond your employer? Please specify below:



Are you, or have you worked on any initiatives sponsored by a Federal Agency or Federal Grants ? Please list the relevant federal agencies or grants you worked with dates and small description of your contribution.



Initial EB-1 Criteria: PART I: Evidence of at least 3 of the Following:

1. Authorship of Scholarly Articles:

Have you **authored scholarly articles** in professional journals or other major media? (This can include any scholarly articles you have authored or co-authored that have been published in Professional Journals/Conferences, Major Trade Journals, and/or Major Media) (Y/N)

If yes List, "**Full title of Article**", author name(s), name of publication or conference in which the article was Published or presented, date of publication.



Insert Your Public Google Scholar Link*:

*If no Google Scholar yet, please see this [link to a blog with some tips on how to create your Google Scholar profile](#) and add your articles)

2. Judge of the Work of Others:

Have you peer reviewed for any journals, or been a session judge at conferences, served on industry standards committees? (Y/N)

If yes List, **Judging Role**, name of Event/Panel Judged, Organization(s) Sponsoring/Choosing Judges, MM/ YYYY



3. Receipt of Prizes or Awards:

Have you received any lesser nationally or internationally recognized **prizes or awards for excellence** in the field of endeavor? (Y/N)

If yes List, **Name of AWARD**, Your Place/Rank, Organization(s) Sponsoring Award, DATE award received.



4. Published Materials:

Is there **published material** in professional or major trade publications or major media **written by a third party about you** which relates to your work in the field? (Y/N)

If yes, Names of media where articles @you published:



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5. Memberships:

Are you a member of associations that require outstanding achievements of their members as judged by recognized national or international experts?	(Y/N)
<p style="color: red;">If yes, List: Membership Rank, Association/Organization Name/Experts making membership decisions, MM/YYYY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	

6. Commanded a High Salary:

Is your salary significantly higher than others in the same field (typically requires W-2 wages over 200K)	(Y/N)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • W2 Wages 2021, 2022, est. 2023 • CareerOneStop High Salary for Occupation and Location: 	

7. Critical or Leading Role:

Have you played a leading or critical role for an organization with a distinguished reputation?	(Y/N)
<p style="color: red;">If yes, list organizations and your title:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	

8. Original Contributions:

Have you made original scientific, scholarly or business contributions that are of major significance? (Requires recognition beyond your employer and direct customers and recognition from the greater industry that your contribution has significantly impacted the field).	(Y/N)
<p style="color: red;">If yes, list industry awards, industry articles, evid. of implementation by others, etc. that discuss your original contributions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	

PART II. Evidence of Widespread Interest in Your Expertise?

Any recognition from the greater industry (beyond your employer or direct customers) Such as invitations to present, judge, serve on committees, etc., request for your input on industry matters? not listed above?	(Y/N)
<p style="color: red;">If yes, list industry awards, industry articles, evid. of implementation by others, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	

****For Performing Artists Only**

9. Showcase:

Has your work been displayed at artistic exhibitions or showcases?	(Y/N)
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10. Commercial Success:

Have you had commercial success in the Performing Arts as shown by box office receipts or sales records, cassette, compact discs, or video sales?	(Y/N)
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Any Foreign Travel Plans in the next year? If yes, please explain dates & lengths of anticipated travel:

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Please provide a **Brief Description of your Immigration Goals**, and the timeline in which you would like to achieve them, and why:

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- Potential Good Fit - Ready for Paid Consult to Explore Fit for Services**
 - Appears to meet at least 3 of 10 EB-1 Criteria
 - Does not Meet 3 of 10 but work appears to Serve U.S. National Interests
- Not Yet Ready for Self-Petition**
 - **Criteria for Prospect to Work on- Detailed Guidance can be Provided through 1 on 1 Paid Consultation or Attendance at Group Workshop?**