

# FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2026

	BUSINESS	FAMILY	REMOVAL / LITIGATION	HUMANITARIAN	PRACTICE MANAGEMENT
6:45 AM	REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST				
7:30 AM	<p><b>Don't Say Anything:</b> Professionalism in the Age of Free Speech Attacks</p> <p>Javeria Jamil Andrew Nietor</p> <p>Gracie Willis Samantha Hamilton</p>				
8:30 AM	<p>Welcome &amp; Keynote Address <b>Sleepless in CECOT:</b> The Kilmar Abrego Garcia case and its lessons for immigration practice today Simon Sandoval-Moshenberg</p>				
9:30 AM	5-MINUTE COFFEE BREAK				
9:35 AM	<p><b>Practical Magic:</b> Ethics of Artificial Intelligence in Immigration Practice</p> <p>Josh McCall Jennifer Romig</p> <p>Elizabeth Young Greg Siskind</p>				
10:35 AM	25-MINUTE NETWORKING BREAK				
11:00 AM	<p><b>Working Girl:</b> PERM vs EB-1 vs EB-2 NIW</p> <p>Jake Campbell Sarah Peterson Audra Doyle</p>	<p><b>The Parent Trap:</b> Family Emergency Planning</p> <p>Katie Beno-Valencia Jenifer Contreras Bernadette Olmos</p>	<p><b>Clueless:</b> EOIR Practice Updates</p> <p>Jessie Calmes Helen Parsonage Emily Davis</p>	<p><b>13 Going on 30:</b> SIJS Changes</p> <p>Anna Erwin Helen Vargas-Crebas Andrea Landers</p>	<p><b>How to Be Single:</b> Starting Your Own Law Firm</p> <p>Gio Diaz Johanna Cochran Ashley Deadwyler-Heuman</p>
	12:00 PM	5-MINUTE BREAK			
12:05 PM	<p><b>When Harry Met Sally:</b> Intersections of Humanitarian &amp; Business Law</p> <p>Nisha Karnani Cherie Cookorinis Raju Patel</p>	<p><b>The Way We Were:</b> New Naturalization Requirements</p> <p>Hannah MacNorlin Dustin Baxter Socheat Chea</p>	<p><b>It's Complicated:</b> Appellate Practice</p> <p>Rekha Sharma Crawford Sue Roy Andrea Saenz</p>	<p><b>Can't Hardly Wait:</b> Advanced Waivers</p> <p>Kristen Shepherd Sonal Shah Nicole Weitnauer</p>	<p><b>Harold &amp; Maude:</b> Navigating the Multi-Generational Firm</p> <p>Christine Rodriguez Janora Hawkins Amanda Johns Ken Days</p>
	1:05 PM	LUNCH			
2:00 PM	<p><b>While You Were Sleeping:</b> Late-Breaking EB Topics</p> <p>Kevin Miner Sarah Peterson Alexandra Holland</p>	<p><b>Materialists:</b> Adjustment, Public Charge, and I-864 Updates</p> <p>Ashley Deadwyler-Heuman Stacy Ehrisman</p>	<p><b>Imagine Me &amp; You:</b> Working with Defense Attorneys</p> <p>Jenny Hernandez Juanita Kimble</p>	<p><b>Portrait of a Lady on Fire:</b> The Fall of Gender- and Family-Based Protection</p> <p>Amir Naim Will Miller Anne Peterson</p>	<p><b>Much Ado About Breathing:</b> Meditation for Lawyers</p> <p>Marshall Cohen Douglas Johnson</p>
	3:00 PM	5-MINUTE BREAK			
3:05 PM	<p><b>The Holiday:</b> How to Advise Employees Traveling Outside the US</p> <p>Ian MacDonald Fauzia Amlani</p>	<p><b>An Officer and a Gentleman:</b> View from the Inside with Former ISOs</p> <p>Carrie Toth (moderator) Nathan Nelson Hong Nguyen</p>	<p><b>How to Free a Guy in 10 Days:</b> Release from Detention</p> <p>Matt Boles Alizeh Sheikh Felix Montanez</p>	<p><b>The Fault in Our Files:</b> Asylum Procedural Updates</p> <p>Eddie Lopez-Lugo Mara Peng Sarah Vidal</p>	<p><b>The Money Pit:</b> OBBBA / HR1 Fees</p> <p>Joanna Delfunt Asiyah Sarwari Will Adams</p>
	4:05 PM	5-MINUTE BREAK			
4:10 PM	<p><b>Workplace Crashers:</b> Immigration Compliance</p> <p>Bruce Buchanan Kerri-Ann Griggs Dawn Lurie</p>	<p><b>There's Something About Marry-ing:</b> I-130s</p> <p>Carolina Antonini Nicole Weitnauer</p>	<p><b>Something's Gotta Give:</b> Habeas Workshop</p> <p>Karen Weinstock Susanna Booth Simon Sandoval-Moshenberg</p>	<p><b>Cruel Intentions:</b> U/T/VAWA Updates</p> <p>Massiel Silva-Tadeo Tracie Morgan Kat Hoyos</p>	<p><b>A Star is Born:</b> Media for Immigration Lawyers</p> <p>Sarah Owings Meredyth Yoon Sophia Qureshi Gabriela Henriquez</p>
	5:10 PM	10-MINUTE TRANSITION BREAK			
5:20 PM to 7:00 PM	NETWORKING HAPPY HOUR @ WISTERIA LANES				