

## COMMON PATHS TO A VISA

Depending on your unique situation, background and qualifications, you can apply for various U.S. Immigration benefits, such as various time-limited visas, employment authorization, Lawful Permanent Residence ("Green Card" status), or even U.S. citizenship, if all legal requirements are met for the benefit you are seeking.

**FAMILY:** if you have a qualifying family member who is either a U.S. Citizen or a Green Card holder.

**EMPLOYMENT:** if you have a job offer from a U.S. employer.

**INVESTMENT:** if you can buy an existing enterprise or start a new business in the U.S.

**SPECIAL SKILL OR KNOWLEDGE:** if you are recognized as a leading person in your field.

**RELIGION:** if you could work for a church or other religious group or faith-based organization.

**TRAINING OR STUDY:** if you could be sponsored for job-specific training or you wish to pursue a course of study in the U.S.

*Find out if YOU qualify. Contact our office now for a consultation.*



The hiring of a lawyer is an important decision that should not be based solely on advertising. Before you decide, ask us to send you free written information about our qualifications and experience.

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**U.S. Immigration offers  
many legal options!**



Want to Run a Business?

Want to Work or Invest in the U.S.?

Want to Study or Train?

Want to Join Family?

***Are You Confused by Your Options?***



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## Ever Consider the U.S.?

Whether you are a prospective employee seeking work, or a worker being transferred to the U.S., or even if you are thinking about starting a business in the United States, or if you want to develop yourself through study or training, or simply join relatives already living in the United States, there are immigration options that can suit your specific needs.

While some options can eventually lead to permanent residence via a "Green Card," other options are temporary in nature.

Depending on your unique situation and needs, a series of applications for different immigration benefits may be necessary.

## Get Proper Legal Advice

The array of options available can be confusing, or you may not even be aware of what options you have. To complicate matters further, different government agencies are involved in the process, each with its own function or jurisdiction, depending on the stage of the process the applicant is in.



To obtain a more clear picture of what is involved, and to properly and safely navigate the U.S. immigration laws and procedures, seek advice from a qualified attorney who practices immigration law.

Only a qualified and licensed legal professional can adequately counsel you. The goal of our law firm is to smoothly secure the type of visa that suits each of our clients' needs.

Promoting our clients' understanding of the various types of visas and the manner in which they can be utilized by clients and their employees is crucial to us.

In addition to advising our clients on U.S. immigration matters, we also offer some additional services, on request.

These include company formations and related filings, business consulting, simple estate planning, referral services to other professionals, and more.

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[www.immigrationlawtampabay.com/](http://www.immigrationlawtampabay.com/)



## So What's Next...?

There are things you can do to prepare yourself and lay the necessary ground work for a successful immigration strategy.

**U.S. Immigration Laws are complex and ever-evolving. Don't go it alone!**

- 1 Contact an immigration attorney.**
  - seek advice about your options.
  - make sure the attorney is licensed.
  - ask about his/her experience.
  - get upfront fixed-rate quotes.
  - sign a contract for representation.
- 2 Budget accordingly.**

Legal fees and government filing fees will be necessary. Depending on your case, these fees can be substantial. Be financially prepared.
- 3 Collect your documents.**

Passports / travel documents, proof of entry into the U.S., employment / education records, reference letters, resumé or CV, tax returns / financial documents, company documents, contracts, invoices, etc.