



## U.S. INVESTMENT VISAS AND GREEN CARDS FOR FOREIGN NATIONALS: A Three-Part Webinar Series

Many foreign entrepreneurs want to start businesses or invest in the United States. Other wealthy individuals want green cards to live in the United States, but may be hesitant because of real or perceived immigration obstacles. Real estate developers and companies seeking capital for development projects are increasingly looking for EB-5 capital from foreign investors. Several visa options exist, but each has advantages, disadvantages, and limits.

This timely three-part webinar series will help guide individual investors and others, as well as U.S. companies that want to attract foreign investors and wealthy individuals. The series will explain immigration options and offer practical real-world strategies:

- Advantages and restrictions of E-2 and L nonimmigrant visas and EB-5 green cards;
- EB-5 regional center applications and project pre-approval petitions; and
- How to successfully navigate the back end of the EB-5 process for both individual investors and regional centers

This webinar series is presented by the [Alliance of Business Immigration Lawyers \(ABIL\)](#) and co-sponsored by [Invest In the USA \(IIUSA\)](#), the association of EB-5 regional centers. ABIL is comprised of 21 top U.S. business immigration lawyers and their respective firms, as well as affiliates around the world. ABIL members all have great legal ability and provide high standards of care and concern. Foreign investment in the U.S. has increased rapidly over the past few years, as the U.S. government has incentivized programs (such as EB-5 regional centers) that promote job creation. There are both short and long term immigration solutions for investors, but devising a workable strategy involves a critical level of understanding and experience in this complex area of immigration law. Many of the nation's top investment immigration lawyers are in ABIL, and ABIL members can represent clients on all levels of a transaction - from corporate development, to working with venture capitalists and dealer/brokers, to preparing regional center applications, to assisting individual investors.

SESSION 1: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13 at 12:00 pm ET: Visa options for individual investors: E and L nonimmigrant visas; EB-5 green cards through direct investments or regional centers  
(For those who were unable to attend, a recording of the webinar is available for purchase.)

**PRESENTERS:**



**Bernard Wolfsdorf**  
(moderator)  
Immediate Past  
AILA President



**Kehrela Hodkinson**  
Member, AILA Department  
of State Liaison Committee



**Mark Ivener**  
EB-5 Regional  
Center Immigration  
Consultant



**Stephen Yale-Loehr**  
Past AILA EB-5  
Committee Chair;  
Founder of Invest in the USA

SESSION 2: WEDNESDAY, JULY 6 at 3:00 pm ET: EB-5 regional center applications and project pre-approval petitions

**PRESENTERS:**



**Laura Danielson**  
(moderator)  
EB-5 & Non-Immigrant  
Investor Advisor, with  
offices in China and  
Mexico



**Bryan Funai**  
EB-5 & Non-Immigrant  
Investor Advisor



**H. Ronald Klasko**  
AILA EB-5 Committee Chair;  
Past AILA President



**Steve Trow**  
EB-5 & Non-Immigrant  
Investor Advisor

SESSION 3: TUESDAY, AUGUST 16 at 3:00 pm ET: How to successfully navigate the back end of the EB-5 process for both individual investors and regional centers

**PRESENTERS:**



**Steven Clark**  
(moderator)  
Past AILA President



**H. Ronald Klasko**  
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**Robert Loughran**  
EB-5 & Non-Immigrant  
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**Stephen Yale-Loehr**  
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**INTENDED AUDIENCE**

Individual investors; potential and actual EB-5 regional centers; attorneys and advisors; real estate developers; companies seeking capital for development projects

**WHAT YOU WILL RECIEVE**

All participants will receive a file with the PowerPoint presentation, relevant articles and resources prior to each session, as well as a recording of the webinar.

\$89 for an individual session or recorded version of webinar

\$249 for all three sessions (If you are unable to attend one or more of the webinars, you can still receive a recording of the webinar and all materials for the discounted price.)

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