



CATHOLIC LEGAL IMMIGRATION NETWORK, INC.  
presents

**RELIGIOUS WORKER AND STUDENT VISAS  
FOR SEMINARIANS AND INDIVIDUALS IN FORMATION**

Marywood Retreat and Conference Center

1714-5 State Road 13

Jacksonville, FL 32259-9253

April 9 – 10, 2008

9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

**Training:** This two-day training will focus on religious worker and student visas. **Day one** covers religious worker visas in light of the proposed USCIS regulations. Specific topics covered will be: basic concepts of immigration law, R-1 nonimmigrant visas, special immigrant visas, and key issues for religious workers. **Day two** concentrates on student visas, exploring: applying for the student visa, changing to student status, understanding SEVIS, and key issues for students.

The training is designed for arch/diocesan and religious institute vocation and formation personnel, major superiors of religious institutes, arch/diocesan staff, and seminary staff. Printed training materials will be provided. The training will be conducted in English.

**Trainers:** Sr. Margaret Perron, RJM and Allison Posner, attorneys with CLINIC's Division of Religious Immigration Services, will offer the training on religious worker visas. Together, they represent over 68 Roman Catholic dioceses and religious communities in all their religious immigration matters. Helene Robertson, Director of International Student and Scholar Services for the Catholic University of America, will conduct the training on student visas.

**Location:** The training will be held at Marywood Retreat and Conference Center, 1714-5 State Road 13, Jacksonville, FL 32259-9253. Cost for room and board is \$275 and includes 3 nights, 3 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 3 dinners (April 8 – April 11). You can mail a check, or pay by VISA or MasterCard. **Please contact Lucy Akers, center registrar, to make your room reservation and to pay:**

**Lucy Akers**  
**Marywood Retreat Center**  
**888-287-2539 ext.22**  
**904-287-2525**  
[lakers@marywoodcenter.org](mailto:lakers@marywoodcenter.org)

*For more information, please contact the Division of Religious Immigration Services (DRIS) at: 202/756-5549.*

You may register for the training by mailing the form at the bottom of the page and your check, payable to CLINIC, to:

CLINIC  
McCormick Pavilion, 415 Michigan Ave., NE, Ste 150  
Washington, DC 20017

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Please register me for CLINIC's **Religious Worker and Student Visas for Seminarians and Individuals in Formation,**

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Jacksonville, FL

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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**(Confirmation of registration and any additional information will be sent electronically)**

- I enclose a check with the \$250.00 **early bird** registration fee (due by March 11, 2008)
- I enclose a check with the \$300.00 registration fee (due by March 25, 2008)