

A NOTE FROM THE EDITORS

Immigration law is an integral part of our nation's rich history. It has shaped the cultural, political, and legal systems of the United States. It is a complex area of law, governed by statutes, regulations, federal and administrative court guidance, and guidance and adjudicatory policies from multiple administrative agencies. It is also a rewarding area of law, touching a wide range of organizations and individuals. Given the breadth of immigration law, it is likely a lawyer will encounter a client who also needs immigration law advice. Thus, it is important to understand how immigration law interacts with other practice areas, how to spot immigration issues for clients, and when to involve an immigration attorney for assistance with a client. We hope this book serves as a primer for understanding those issues.