



**National Immigration Project
Litigation Strategy Meeting
8:45am-10:45am Friday, November 2, 2018
Crystal Ballroom, Benson Hotel | Portland, OR**

AGENDA

Introductions (10 minutes)

Discussion Topics

1. Sessions' assault on the immigration courts – Stephen Manning (25 minutes)
 - Motions to terminate post-SOG
 - Administrative closure and motions to continue post-Castro-Tum & Matter of L-A-B-R
 - Impact of case quotas
 - Systematic challenges
2. Litigation trends in VAWA, U Visas, & T Visas – Gail Pendleton (5 minutes)
3. Matter of A-B- strategies and status of cases at the courts of appeals – Keren Zwick (15 minutes)
4. Post-Jennings detention litigation – Matt Adams (20 minutes)
 - Systemic challenges and arguments to be raised in individual cases
 - Strategies to challenge re-detention
5. Pereira strategies and status of cases in federal courts of appeals and district courts, stays and other issues – Maria Baldini-Potermin (15 minutes)
6. Motions to reopen - Maria Andrade & Ben Stein (15 minutes)
7. Updates on novel benefits litigation: TPS & DACA - Sejal Zota (10 minutes)