

Please join the Center for Gender & Refugee Studies (CGRS) – California and the Inland Coalition for Immigrant Justice for two free in-person MCLE trainings on September 5, 2018: (1) Overview of the Law of Asylum and Related Fear of Return Claims and (2) The Nuts and Bolts of Preparing for an Asylum Case. Participants are welcome to attend one or both trainings. **You must register separately for each in-person training**. Details regarding each training and registration information is included below. There will not be a call-in option or recording available for either training.

Training Location: SEIU 2015

195 N. Arrowhead Ave. San Bernardino, CA 92408

Presenters: Anna Cabot, Staff Attorney, CGRS-California

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## Overview of the Law of Asylum and Related Fear of Return Claims

This training provides an overview of the substantive legal elements of asylum, withholding of removal, and protection under the Convention Against Torture. The training is suitable for legal representatives and pro bono attorneys new to asylum practice as well as those seeking a refresher on substantive asylum law.

Date/Time: Wednesday, September 5, 2018, 9:30-11:30 am

MCLE Credit: 2 hours General MCLE

Registration begins at 9:15 am. The training will begin promptly at 9:30 am.

RSVP here by Wednesday, August 29th.

## The Nuts and Bolts of Preparing for an Asylum Case

This practical skills training will provide an overview on the best practices of representing a client before the asylum office. Topics covered include: procedural issues in filing an asylum application, gathering relevant documentary evidence, preparing an evidentiary submission, and preparing for an asylum interview. The training is suitable for legal representatives and pro bono attorneys new to asylum practice as well as those seeking to hone their asylum representation skills.

Date/Time: Wednesday, September 5, 2018, 11:45 am-1:15 pm

MCLE Credit: 1.5 hours General MCLE

Registration begins at 11:30 am. The training will begin promptly at 11:45 am.

RSVP here by Wednesday, August 29th.