

# Fred J. Porter

## Associate



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## Overview

Fred is an Associate in the Firm's Immigration practice group. His practice primarily focuses on business/employment immigration for large multinational organizations and major research universities. Particularly, he works closely with HR departments and highly skilled individuals in the preparation of EB-1A/B and O-1A/B Extraordinary Ability petitions, as well as EB-2 National Interest Waivers, both for employees as well as for individual self-petitioners.

## Insights

- Co-author, "**H-1B Initial Electronic Registration Process Completed for FY 2025**," Global Mobility Review, April 2, 2024

## Activities and Affiliations

- Allegheny County Bar Association
- Pennsylvania Bar Association
- American Immigration Lawyers Association

## Prior and Present Employment

- University of Pittsburgh Immigration Law Clinic, Certified Legal Intern/Student Attorney, 2021-2023.
- Jewish Family & Community Services, Meehan Citizenship Institute Fellow, 2022.
- Dentons Cohen & Grigsby, Immigration Paralegal, 2019-2020.

## Areas of focus

## Practices

- Immigration

## Education

- University of Pittsburgh School of Law, 2023, J.D. Cum Laude, Order of the Coif. Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Law and Commerce, Vol. 41.
- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2016, BA, Political Science and Middle Eastern History with Minor in Creative Fiction Writing
- American University in Cairo, 2015, Dual certificates in Egyptian Arabic and Modern Arabic language study

## Admissions and qualifications

- Pennsylvania