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The Build Fellowship

An Innovative Cap-Exempt H-1B Solution

The Build Fellowship is a nationwide cap-exempt H-1B program trusted by top immigration attorneys from across the U.S. with a 99% petition approval rate with USCIS.

Build Fellows are employed part-time by The Fellowship's cap-exempt non-profit partners working 5 hours per week supporting U.S. colleges & universities. Build Fellows are then able to work full-time for U.S. companies who file a concurrent H-1B visa.

Your Clients Can Qualify, Apply, & Work within 8–10 Weeks

Step 1: Qualify & Apply

Foreign nationals who qualify for a standard H-1B and have an employer, business, or sponsor fund The Build Fellowship. Step 2: Part-Time H-1B

Build Fellows work 5 hours per week with one of Build's cap-exempt organizations, allowing The Fellow to receive a part-time capexempt H-1B. Step 3: Full-Time H-1B

U.S. employers can now file a concurrent, full-time H-1B allowing the Fellow to work 40 hours per week under this concurrent H-1B.

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The Build Fellowship by Open Avenues is a nationwide, cap-exempt H-1B visa program offered to foreign national experts and innovators seeking to grow companies and careers in the U.S.

Key Benefits for Law Firms & Attorneys

Offer clients a part-time cap-exempt H-1B visa solution at anytime of year regardless of the lottery

File concurrent cap-exempt H-1B petitions for your clients once hired as a Fellow and approved for the part-time cap-exempt H-1B

Join a network of attorneys and receive referral from Build's pipeline of foreign nationals and companies



I am very glad to have found out about The Build Fellowship and its unique model to facilitate concurrent H-1B opportunities. It is definitely worth checking out.







It's wonderful being able to offer our clients an alternate path. Not only are our clients' lives and companies changed, but it's amazing to pay it forward and improve the quality of U.S. STEM education for our students!

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Candidate Qualifications

A Bachelor's degree or demonstrated expertise in a specialized field.

Exhibit a commitment to dedicate 5+ hours weekly to support education initiatives and workforce development.

Candidates must have a benefactor willing to support the Fellowship costs – Fellows cannot fund their own Fellowship.

Sponsoring a Fellow

Candidates are nominated by full-time employers or a fiscal sponsor.

Sponsors partner with The Build Fellowship to offer the opportunity to the foreign national.

Fellow Responsibilities

Work 5+ hours per week remotely with Build's education and research partners on 1:1 lecture and mentorship sessions and experiential learning projects in the Fellow's specialized field.

Hours are flexible based on Fellow schedule.

Program Length

Fellows are accepted on a rolling basis and can start the program at any time of the year.

Fellowships last a minimum of 12 months and up to three years – an additional three year extension is possible.

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Our Pricing Model

Build & the Company Employ the Fellow

Company pays Build \$4000 per month. Fellow is employed by both Build & the Company and they both entities manage the immigration needs.

- + Build employs the foreign national in the Fellowship for 5 hours per week and sponsors them for a part-time, cap-exempt H-1B visa.
- + Company employs the foreign national and sponsors them for a full-time, concurrent H-1B visa.

Application to Acceptance Timeline

EVALUATION & CONTRACTING 2–3 WEEKS

- Nomination & Consultation
- Screening & H-1B Evaluation
- Contract Signed

VISA PROCESSING 6-8 WEEKS

- Petition Development
- Visa Approved (if no RFE)

EMPLOYMENT STARTS 1 WEEK

- Fellowship Begins
- Full-Time Employer Files Petition

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