



QUEENCITY  
COMBAT SPORTS VISAS

Sports Immigration  
Practice Group

# “Green Card” Services

EB-1 | EB-2 | EB-3 PETITIONS FOR ATHLETES

## Helping the World's Best Athletes & Entertainers

Queen City Immigration Law is a Charlotte, North Carolina-based immigration law firm that specializes in strategic and thorough representation for athletes and entertainers seeking to apply their craft in the United States of America.



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# GREEN CARD OPTIONS FOR ATHLETES

## **EB-1A**

The EB-1 visa is appropriate for aliens that have extraordinary abilities. This visa does not require employer sponsorship. Once visa portion is approved, the athlete will receive their work authorization while the Permanent Legal Residence (“Green Card”) portion is processed.

## **EB-2**

EB-2 immigrant preference classification is for individuals who have “exceptional ability” in the sciences, arts, or business (the government has interpreted this to include athletics). This option typically requires the athlete to have college degrees in addition to being an accomplished athlete.

## **EB-3**

EB-3 employees are skilled workers with at least two years of experience in the industry who can perform labor for which qualified workers are not available in the United States. This is appropriate for athletes who do not have the academic credentials to support the EB-2 visa

## Queen City Immigration Law Adds Value

**Knowing the sports business helps our firm communicate effectively with USCIS**

**Leveraging relationships with sanctioning bodies and commissions for support letters**

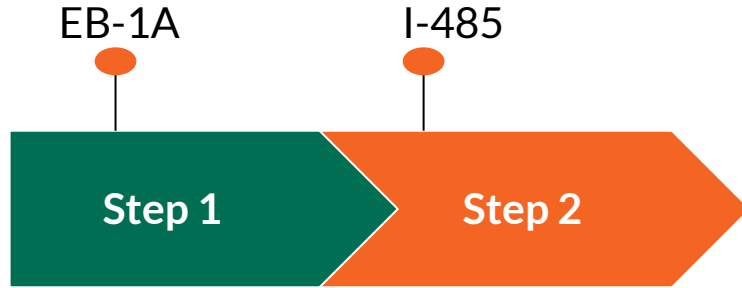
**Telling the story of athletes in a manner that highlights the significance of their achievements**

**Leveraging relationships with media and industry insiders for support letters**

**Articulating the significance of championships to USCIS**

**Carefully navigating the Labor Certification process With DOL**

# EB-1 APPLICATION PROCESS & PRICING



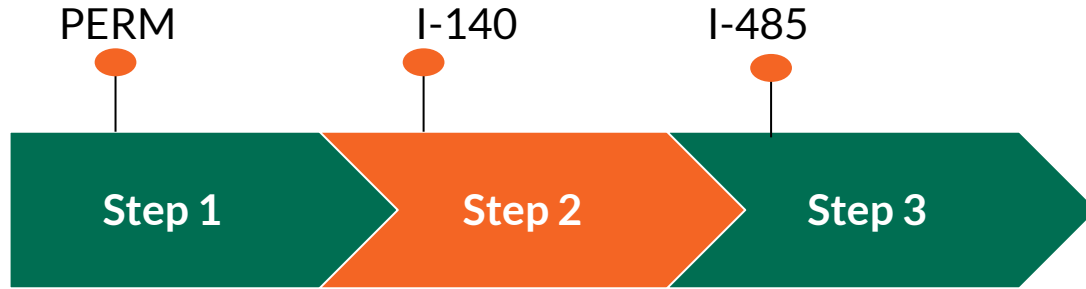
GOVERNMENT FEES:

I-140: \$700

I-485: \$1,225

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# EB-2&3 APPLICATION PROCESS & PRICING



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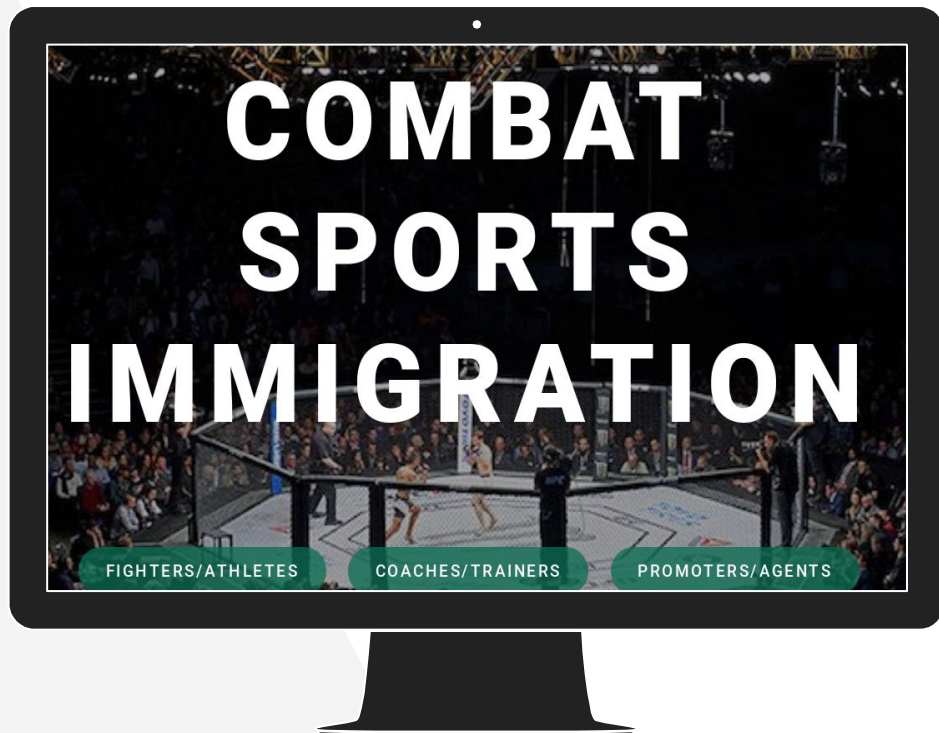
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