

## Job Announcement: Immigrant Rights Project Manager

**Title:** Immigrant Rights Project Manager **Location:** Washington, DC or New York, NY

Job Status: Exempt

Reports to: Policy and Programs Director

Salary: Commensurate with experience, plus full benefits package

Work Schedule: Full-Time

Posted: March 2012

**Position Summary:** NAPAWF, in partnerships with the National Domestic Worker's Alliance and the National Latina Institute for Reproductive Health, is working on exciting new campaigns to bring a gender analysis to immigration reform efforts, particularly around enforcement, and to more closely link the women's rights movements with the immigrant rights movements. This position will play a key role in our DC policy team to lead the development and implementation of this joint policy initiative. As a national leader on federal policy issues affecting API women and girls, this position serves as a lead voice and expert on immigration issues that impact the lives and well-being of API women and girls for NAPAWF.

Come join our hard-working and talented team to make change on a national level!

## **Specific Responsibilities:**

The Immigrant Rights Project Manager will be responsible for coordinating the immigrant rights project for the organization. Specifically, the Manager will have the following duties:

- Lead the planning, development, implementation and evaluation of immigrant rights advocacy goals and project activities;
- Lead and participate in appropriate national coalitions around immigration policy and grassroots organizing in immigration issues;
- Lead and work in coalition with women's, API, and immigrant rights groups around the country;
- Educate legislative, administrative, and community decision makers on immigration policy issues affecting API women and girls;
- Manage, educate and build the capacity of NAPAWF chapters to do local/state immigration advocacy work;
- Conduct and coordinate research that focuses on immigration issues for API women and girls;
- Develop immigration advocacy training materials and training modules;
- Organize national/international gatherings, policy briefings and give conference presentations;
- Draft press releases, fact sheets and op-ed articles for distribution to members and general public;
- Conduct policy analysis and advocacy on immigration issues that affect API communities, specifically, API women and girls;

- Assist in supervising volunteer policy associates, law clerks and interns;
- Assist with chapter/member outreach and recruitment; and
- Work with other NAPAWF staff, board members, and members in support of NAPAWF's overall mission.

## **Qualifications:**

- B.A. required; graduate degree preferred.
- Applicant should have at least 3 years experience in coalition organizing and campaign organizing;
- Have experience advocating for policy or legislative change (especially in federal context); be highly responsible and organized with a strong work ethic;
- Have strong public speaking skills;
- Have excellent writing and oral communication skills;
- Be able to work independently;
- Have the ability to plan and implement project activities; and
- Have knowledge of and/or interest in immigrant rights issues and API women's issues.
- Applicant should also demonstrate a passion and commitment to building a movement to advance social justice and human rights for API women and girls.
- Spanish-speaking and/or Asian language speaking ability is a plus.
- Occasional, moderate travel is required for this position.

## To Apply:

Please submit a cover letter, resume, and brief writing sample (no more than three pages) to hr@napawf.org with "Immigrant Rights Project Manager" in the subject line. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the position is filled.

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