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Visas: Job Search Part-Two

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- Received the most prestigious national award for excellence in the advancement of immigration law, The Edith Lowenstein Award
- Awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award by the IMG Task Force for her effective advocacy for foreign physicians and their employers
- Leading advocate for the rights of J-1 Physicians in the United States and has been key to the passage of legislation to benefit them
- Publisher of J-1 Physician News and lectures nationally and internationally to foreign physicians
- key advocate on the restoration of the National Interest Waivers for J-1 Physicians and in increasing the Conrad State 20 J-1 Waiver Program within the Conrad State 30 Program.



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- [10 Tips for Finding a Job on a J-1 Visa](#)
- [Podcast: Financial Tips](#)
- [Additional New in Practice Resources](#)

CAP23 Fireside Chats Featuring New in Practice Pathologists

Date	Time	Topic	Description	Speakers
Sunday, October 8 th	11:30 AM-NOON	Jumpstart My Career	What New in Practice colleagues are looking for to jumpstart their career.	Neha Varshney, MD, FCAP, FASCP Yasmeen Butt MD, FCAP
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