

ISSS NEWSLETTER FOR VISITING SCHOLARS

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ISSS TRIPS & ACTIVITIES  
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Guided Historical Walking Tour of Downtown Buffalo  
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Join ISSS for a professional walking tour of some of Buffalo’s most historical sites, landmarks and architecture. Todd Mitchell, a professional tour guide from the Preservation Coalition, will show us downtown Buffalo and teach us about the city’s rich history. This is a great opportunity to see Buffalo up close and personal, and to explore some places you would not find on your own.

Date: Saturday, September 23  
Meeting Time: 9:30 a.m. (South Campus Metro Station)  
Return Time: 1:30 p.m.  
Cost: \$8 for tour + \$3 for roundtrip Metro ticket  
Sign-Up Deadline: 2:00 p.m., Friday, September 22

To reserve a space on this trip, please fill out a flyer in ISSS, Talbert Hall 210, North Campus. The trip fee is nonrefundable. We accept only cash and urge you to bring exact change. Spaces are limited, so do not wait!

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ISSS WORKSHOPS  
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**“Pathways to Permanent Residency through Labor Certification”**

Wednesday, September 20

12:00-1:30

Capen Hall 31, North Campus

Come find out the ins-and-outs of Labor Certification. This session will discuss the stages, costs, processing times, prevailing wage determinations, advertising and recruitment requirements, travel outside the U.S. while your case is pending and more.

*Presenter: Mark Popiel, Esq., Director, Immigration Services, UB*

**“Driver’s Licenses & Car Insurance: What You Should Know”**

Friday, September 22

3:30-4:30

Capen Hall 31, North Campus

Come find out the requirements and procedures for getting a New York State driver’s license. Learn terminology used in the insurance industry, different features of car insurance, and criteria for selecting the best policy for you.

*Presenter: Eric Comins, International Student & Scholar Services, UB*

**“AAA Driver Improvement Course”**

Saturday, September 23

9:00-3:30

Clemens Hall 120, North Campus

AAA's six-hour defensive driving course will enable you to receive a 10 percent discount on your car insurance, reduce the number of points on your driving record (if you have any violations), refresh your driving skills and learn techniques for collision prevention. **Advance registration is required. Call 634-7900 or 1-800-836-2582 to sign up. Cost: \$25.**

*Presenter: Joseph Slazak, AAA (American Automobile Association)*