# Fundamentals of Immigration

Introduction to Removal, Grounds of Inadmissibility & Deportability

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## **Government Agencies**

- ▶ Department of Homeland Security (DHS)
  - ► Citizenship & Immigration Services (CIS)
  - ▶ Immigration & Customs Enforcement (ICE)
  - ► Customs & Border Protection (CBP)
- ► Department of Justice
  - ► Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR)
    - ► Immigration Judges
    - ► Board of Immigration Appeals
- ► Departments of State and Labor

## Statute, Regulations, Case Law

- ► Immigration & Nationality Act (INA)
  - ► INA §101, 8 U.S.C. §1101, et seq
- Code of Federal Regulations
  - ▶ 8 C.F.R. §1.1, et seq (DHS)
  - ▶ 8 C.F.R. §1001.1, et seq (EOIR)
- ▶ Interim Decisions of the Board of Immigration Appeals
- ► Federal courts

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## Removal Proceedings

- ► Former deportation/exclusion proceedings
- ► Determines charges based on grounds of inadmissibility & deportability
- ► Notice to Appear
  - ▶ Issued by DHS
  - ▶ Filed with Immigration Judge
- ► Hearings before Immigration Judge (IJ)
  - ▶ Bond re-determination
  - ► Master calendar
  - ► Hearing on the merits

#### Other Forms of Removal

- ▶ Waivers of hearing and voluntary return
- Expedited removal
- Stipulated removal
- ▶ Re-instatement of removal order

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#### **Detention**

- ► Immigration hold
  - ▶ Pending state/federal criminal proceedings
- ► Immigration bail bonds
  - ► Minimum is \$1500
  - ► Specialized bail bond companies
- Mandatory detention
  - ► Arriving non-citizens
  - ► Expedited removal
  - ► Criminal offenders





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