

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
U.S. Citizenship & Immigration Services
Office of the Regional Director
P.O. Box 30080
Laguna Niguel, CA 92607-0080



U.S. Citizenship
and Immigration
Services

May 12, 2014

Aimee Dorr, Provost
Office of the Provost
University of California
1111 Franklin Street, 12th Floor
Oakland, CA 94607-5200

Dear Ms. Dorr:

Your request dated December 6, 2013, that the University of California's ten campuses in Berkeley, Davis, Irvine, Los Angeles, Merced, Riverside, San Diego, San Francisco, Santa Barbara, and Santa Cruz, as well as the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory be designated as an American Institution of Research (AIR) recognized by the Attorney General pursuant to Title 8, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 316.20 is hereby approved.

This notice and record of proceedings have been forwarded to the Associate Director, Field Operations Directorate in Washington, DC with a request to amend 8 CFR, Section 316.20 by adding these to the Secretary of Homeland Security list of American Institutions of Research. The campuses and National Laboratory listed above will soon be added to the list of other AIRs and posted to the following: www.uscis.gov/AIR.

Pursuant to this approval, alien employees and alien spouses of United States citizen employees of any department within these designees will be deemed eligible for the benefits of Section 316(b) and 319(b) of the Act, respectively, if regularly stationed abroad in the conduct of research for such.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carolyn L. Muzyka".

Carolyn L. Muzyka
Regional Director
Western Regional Office.