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# WHY REFORM CAN'T WAIT!

Join the business grassroots campaign for an immigration overhaul

**WHAT** A one-day conference and strategic planning session for employers who rely on immigrant workers and grasp the urgent need for immigration reform. It's looking less and less likely that Congress will take up immigration before the November midterm elections. But failure in 2010 only increases pressure for action in early 2011, and employers of immigrant workers need to be making their voices heard.

**WHEN** Thursday, August 12, 2010

**WHERE** Sheraton Seattle, 1400 Sixth Avenue, Seattle

**FEATURED SPEAKERS** Washington **Rep. Rick Larson**, entrepreneur and scholar **Vivek Wadhwa** and veteran political commentator **Morton Kondracke** (VIP dinner).

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND** Employers from the Northwest and beyond who rely on immigrant workers – highly skilled, lesser skilled, seasonal and agricultural workers. Business leaders working to advance immigration reform. Employers and business representatives who want to join the fight.

**REGIONAL AND NATIONAL** The summit will bring together engaged employers from across the U.S. – business advocates from the Northwest and members of ImmigrationWorks coalitions from Georgia to California – to share ideas about how best to advance immigration reform in 2011.

**COSPONSORS** ImmigrationWorks USA and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, working with IW's regional pro-immigration business coalitions – ImmigrationWorks Washington, the Coalition for a Working Oregon, the Idaho Coalition for Immigration Reform – plus the Association of Washington Business and the Washington chapter of the American Immigration Lawyers Association.

**OTHER INVITED SPEAKERS** Business advocates from across the country and a panel of employers who rely on immigrant workers – small business owners who know and can explain better than anyone how immigrant workers keep U.S. businesses running and contributing to a dynamic, competitive economy.

**If you are INTERESTED IN ATTENDING, please contact Niki Littell at [nlittell@immigrationworksusa.org](mailto:nlittell@immigrationworksusa.org).**

**To RESERVE A ROOM at the Sheraton Seattle, please call 888-627-7056 and mention ImmigrationWorks.**

**REGISTRATION FEE \$35. VIP DINNER AND SUMMIT \$300.**

**Please FORWARD THIS FLYER to anyone you think might want to attend.**