Program and travel arrangements for U.S. participants will be made by Marazul Charters, Inc., a licensed Cuba travel service provider. Preregistration and deposit of \$200.00 is required by December 31, 2013.

#### 2014 CUBA DELEGATION REGISTRATION

Name:
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Labor and employment relations professional
affiliation

By pre-registering, I state my understanding that the purpose of this trip is to conduct professional research of an academic, non-commercial nature and to participate in an international conference organized by the AAJ and ALAL at which there will be an exchange of information and views regarding labor relations and workers' rights in Cuba, the United States and other countries. I agree to participate in the preparation of a report of the results of this research which is intended for public dissemination. I agree to participate in this research and international conference with an open mind and in a spirit of solidarity.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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# The National Lawyers Guild Labor and Employment Committee

The National Lawyers Guild is composed of activist lawyers, law professors, law students, legal workers and jailhouse lawyers, all of whom are dedicated to the end that human rights are more sacred than property interests. The Guild was founded in the 1930s as a progressive, multi-racial alternative to the American Bar Association, which then excluded people of color from membership.

For membership information, go to <a href="http://www.nlg.org">http://www.nlg.org</a>



## The Association of American Jurists (AAJ) and Association of Latin American Labor Lawyers (ALAL)

Invite Labor and Employment Professionals to the

15th Annual Bilateral
Professional Research Project
Followed by
8th INTERNATIONAL
CONFERENCE ON THE DEFENSE
OF
LABOR LAW
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## in CUBA

(March 8-16,2014)

## **Endorsed by**

- The National Lawyers Guild Labor and Employment Committee
- The Labor Law Society of the National Union of Cuban Jurists (UNJC)
- The World Federation of Trade Unions Americas Region (WFTU)
- The Cuban National Association of Law Collectives
- The Central de Trabajadores de Cuba (CTC)

We will begin the trip with the 15th annual bilateral research program with the Cuban trade union movement. We will visit Cuban workplaces, and interview workers, union leaders, labor lawyers and judges. Upon our return to the City of Havana we will meet with lawyers and trade unionists from South, Central & North America in the two-day international conference organized by the Association of American Jurists (AAJ) and the Latin American Association of Labor Lawyers (ALAL), the progressive inter-hemispheric bar associations with which the NLG and its Labor and Employment Committee are affiliated.

This conference will provide critically important opportunities to build links in the global chain to fight back against the ongoing assault on workers' human rights. Conference topics will include:

- 1. The exercise of freedom of association and social struggles by unions. New forms of workers' organizations.
- 2. Social, political and economic integration in Latin America. The role of labor law, unions and social movements.
- 3. Labor law reforms: their impact on job stability and the protection of workers' rights and preventing employment discrimination.
- 4. Labor law and criminal liability of officials for working conditions and environment. Safety and health at work and occupational risk prevention.
- 5. Self-employed and cooperative workers.

Upon our return to the U.S., we will publish a report of the results of our research.

## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE AND PROGRAM OF PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH FOR LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT PROFESSIONALS

March 8-16, 2014\*

Package will include:
Round trip airfare to
Havana from Miami
8 nights in centrally-located
Tourist-class hotels in
Havana
In-country Transportation,
Breakfast, some Dinners
Translation and guide services
Registration Fee

\* Dates and itinerary are preliminary

Join us as we continue our critically important work of building bridges of mutual education, research and understanding.

CLE credit may be available in your State for the International Conference.

## Itinerary\*

#### Saturday, March 8

Depart U.S., arrive in Havana
U.S. Delegation Briefing and Bilateral
Orientation with Cuban Delegates
Welcome Event

### Sunday, March 9 to Wednesday March 12

Bi-Lateral Exchange and Research

## Thursday, March 13 to Friday, March 14

International Conference

Saturday, March 15

Closing Event

Sunday, March 16

Return to the US

