



PUSH Factors
Trends & Events Outside the U.S.

- Britain repeals Passenger Acts 1827
- Irish Potato Famine
- Mexican-American War
- Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo (1848)
- Industrial Revolution in Europe
- Pogroms in Russia and Ukraine
- Deportations of Mexicans
- Korean War
- Vietnam War
- Structural Adjustment Programs
- Free Trade Agreements

Monroe Doctrine (1823)

Slavery

WW I

WW II

Great Depression

PULL Factors
Trends, Events, Policies & Laws Inside the U.S.

- Indian Removal Act (1830)
- Civil War
- Industrial Revolution in the U.S.
- Homestead Act (1862)
- 14th Amendment (1868)
- Embargo of Cuba
- Displaced Persons Act 1948
- Immigrant Act of 1965

OTHER LAWS & POLICIES AFFECTING MIGRATION TO THE U.S.

- Naturalization Act of 1790
- Immigration Act of 1819
- Contract Labor Law of 1885
- Chinese Exclusion Acts (1882-88)
- Immigration Act of 1891
- Immigration Act of 1907
- Immigration Act of 1917
- Emergency Quota Act of 1921
- Immigration Act of 1924
- Tyding-McDuffie Act 1934
- McCarran-Walter Act of 1952
- IndoChina Migration & Refugee Assistance Act 1975-77
- Immigrant Reform & Control Act 1986
- Prop. 187 1994
- USA PATRIOT Act 2001
- Creation of ICE 2003
- Financial Crisis & Great Recession 2008-