



## **National Immigrant Solidarity Network**

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## **No Immigrant Bashing! Support Immigrant Rights!**

**National Immigrant Solidarity Network (ISN)** was formed November 2003 during SOA Protest at Ft. Benning GA. Dozen national grassroots & community groups were agreed to form a broad-based immigrant support coalition, aim to mobilize community forces to work with different national immigrants and civil rights organizations and in solidarity with their campaigns.

ISN main tasks will be:

- A nation-wide community support network for immigrants who affected (or arrested) because of special registrations and immigrant round-ups, and link this issues with sweatshops exploitation and labor activism.
- The campaign against SEVIS, the infamous Department of Homeland Security's Student Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) computer system.
- Campaign against CLEAR Act.
- Campaign support DREAM Act to give undocumented students their education opportunity.

**Major endorsers** and participating organizations includes: Latin American Solidarity Coalition, CISPES, Progressive Leadership Alliance of Nevada, Nicaragua Network, United Students Against Sweatshops, Student Peace Action Network, ActionLA and more.

**Why ISN?** That's no secrets that domestically, "War Against terror" is in fact oppressions against immigrants and Muslims. However, the government obviously doesn't really want to get rid of all undocumented workers, because it would be the simplest thing in the world to find them. Everyone knows where undocumented workers work. Everyone also knows that they work at the jobs no one else will take; and that these jobs are the most important and basic. No, we want them here...as long as they don't ask for a living wage and thereby threaten our ongoing massive accumulation of wealth.

It's the time anti-globalization, peace and social justice activists should focus NOT only the international struggles, but also the community struggles where we lives. **THINK GLOBALLY, ACT LOCALLY.**

**ISN ongoing projects** includes:

- Monthly phone conference to coordinate grassroots immigrant solidarity campaigns.
- Monthly U.S. Immigration Alert! Newsletter
- ISN webpage & listserv, Immigrant Rights Watch News Services, and monthly e-mail Action Alert!

We are planning to hold a grassroots and community-based **Immigrant Unity Conference** summer 2004 at New York City.

**To learn** how you can participate at ISN projects, and endorse the ISN, please:

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