

## HR 8046

Improving Opportunities for New Americans Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** Aug 14, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Aug 14, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/8046>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. McAdams, Ben [D-UT-4]	D · UT		Aug 14, 2020
Rep. Horn, Kendra S. [D-OK-5]	D · OK		Aug 25, 2020
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		Sep 14, 2020
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Sep 24, 2020
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Dec 17, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Aug 14, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Labor and Employment

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Aug 14, 2020)

#### Improving Opportunities for New Americans Act of 2020

This bill requires the Department of Labor to study and report on the factors affecting employment opportunities for immigrants and refugees with professional credentials obtained in other countries, including policy recommendations for assisting those individuals in obtaining skill-appropriate employment in the United States.

## Actions Timeline

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