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through the Federal Bar Association

The Federal Bar Association offers an unmatched array of opportunities and services to enhance your connections to the judiciary, the legal profession, and your peers within the legal community. Our mission is to strengthen the federal legal system and administration of justice by serving the interests and the needs of the federal practitioner, both public and private, the federal judiciary, and the public they serve.

Advocacy

The opportunity to make a change and improve the federal legal system through grassroots work in over 80 FBA chapters and a strong national advocacy.

Networking

Connect with a network of federal practitioners extending across all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

Leadership

Governance positions within the association help shape the FBA's future and make an impact on the growth of the federal legal community.

Learning

Explore best practices and new ideas at the many Continuing Legal Education programs offered throughout the year—at both the national and chapter levels.

expand your connections, expand your career

Three ways to apply today: ① Join online at www.fedbar.org; ② Fax application to (571) 481-9090; or ③ Mail application to FBA, 1220 North Fillmore St., Suite 444, Arlington, VA 22201. For more information, contact the FBA membership department at (571) 481-9100 or membership@fedbar.org.

Federal Bar Association Application for Membership (continues on reverse)

Applicant Information

First Name | M.I. | Last Name | Suffix (e.g. Jr.) | Title (e.g. Attorney At Law, Partner, Assistant U.S. Attorney)

❍ Male ❍ Female | Have you been an FBA member in the past? ❍ yes ❍ no | Which do you prefer as your primary address? ❍ business ❍ home

Business

Firm/Company/Agency | Number of Attorneys

Address | Suite/Floor

City | State | Zip | Country

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Phone | E-mail

Home

Address | Apt. #

City | State | Zip | Country

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Phone | Date of Birth

E-mail

Bar Admission and Law School Information (required)

U.S.

Court of Record: _____

State/District: _____ Original Admission: / /

Tribal

Court of Record: _____

State: _____ Original Admission: / /

Foreign

Court/Tribunal of Record: _____

Country: _____ Original Admission: / /

Students

Law School: _____

State/District: _____ Expected Graduation: / /

Practice Information

Practice Type

Private Sector: ❍ Private Practice ❍ Corporate/In-House

Public Sector: ❍ Government ❍ Association Counsel ❍ Nonprofit ❍ University/College ❍ Military ❍ Judiciary

Primary Practice Areas

❍ Administrative
❍ Admiralty/Maritime
❍ ADR/Arbitration
❍ Banking
❍ Bankruptcy
❍ Civil Rights
❍ Communications
❍ Criminal
❍ Environment/Energy
❍ Federal Litigation
❍ Financial Institutions
❍ General Counsel
❍ Government Contracts
❍ Health
❍ Immigration
❍ Indian
❍ Intellectual Property
❍ International
❍ Labor/Employment
❍ Military
❍ Securities
❍ Social Security
❍ State/Local Government
❍ Taxation
❍ Transportation
❍ Veterans
❍ Other: _____

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Membership Categories and Optional Section, Division, and Chapter Affiliations

Membership Levels

Sustaining Membership

Members of the association distinguish themselves when becoming sustaining members of the FBA. Sixty dollars of the sustaining dues are used to support educational programs and publications of the FBA. Sustaining members receive a 5% discount on the registration fees for all national meetings and national CLE events.

	Private Sector	Public Sector
Member Admitted to Practice 0-5 Years	❍ $165	❍ $145
Member Admitted to Practice 6-10 Years	❍ $230	❍ $205
Member Admitted to Practice 11+ Years	❍ $275	❍ $235
Retired (Fully Retired from the Practice of Law)	❍ $165	❍ $165

Active Membership

Open to any person admitted to the practice of law before a federal court or a court of record in any of the several states, commonwealths, territories, or possessions of the United States or in the District of Columbia.

	Private Sector	Public Sector
Member Admitted to Practice 0-5 Years	❍ $105	❍ $80
Member Admitted to Practice 6-10 Years	❍ $165	❍ $140
Member Admitted to Practice 11+ Years	❍ $210	❍ $170
Retired (Fully Retired from the Practice of Law)	❍ $105	❍ $105

Associate Membership

Foreign Associate *Admitted to practice law outside the U.S.* ..... ❍ $210
Law Student Associate *Currently enrolled in an accredited law school* ..... ❍ $35

Dues Total: $ _____

Practice Area Sections

- ❍ *Admiralty Law* $25
- ❍ *Alternative Dispute Resolution* .. $15
- ❍ *Antitrust and Trade Regulation* .. $15
- ❍ *Banking Law* $20
- ❍ *Bankruptcy Law* $10
- ❍ *Civil Rights Law* $10
- ❍ *Criminal Law* $10
- ❍ *Environment, Energy, and Natural Resources* $15
- ❍ *Federal Litigation* $10
- ❍ *Government Contracts* $20
- ❍ *Health Law* $10
- ❍ *Immigration Law* $10
- ❍ *Indian Law* $15
- ❍ *Intellectual Property Law* $10
- ❍ *International Law* $10
- ❍ *Labor and Employment Law* $15
- ❍ *Securities Law Section* $0
- ❍ *Social Security* $10
- ❍ *State and Local Government Relations* $15
- ❍ *Taxation* $15
- ❍ *Transportation and Transportation Security Law* $20
- ❍ *Veterans and Military Law* $20

Career Divisions

- ❍ *Federal Career Service* (past/present employee of federal government) ..... N/C
- ❍ *Judiciary* (past/present member or staff of a judiciary) ..... N/C
- ❍ *Corporate & Association Counsel* (past/present member of corporate/association counsel's staff) $20
- ❍ *Senior Lawyers** (age 55 or over) $10
- ❍ *Younger Lawyers** (age 36 or younger or admitted less than 3 years) ..... N/C

For eligibility, date of birth must be provided.

Sections and Divisions Total: $ _____

Chapter Affiliation

Your FBA membership entitles you to a chapter membership. Local chapter dues are indicated next to the chapter name (if applicable). If no chapter is selected, you will be assigned a chapter based on geographic location. *No chapter currently located in this state or location.

Alabama
- ❍ Birmingham
- ❍ Mobile
- ❍ Montgomery
- ❍ North Alabama

Alaska
- ❍ Alaska

Arizona
- ❍ Phoenix
- ❍ William D. Browning/ Tucson–$10

Arkansas*
- ❍ At Large

California
- ❍ Central Coast
- ❍ Inland Empire
- ❍ Los Angeles
- ❍ Northern District of California
- ❍ Orange County
- ❍ Sacramento
- ❍ San Diego
- ❍ San Joaquin Valley

Colorado
- ❍ Colorado

Connecticut
- ❍ District of Connecticut

Delaware
- ❍ Delaware

District of Columbia
- ❍ Capitol Hill
- ❍ D.C.
- ❍ Pentagon

Florida
- ❍ Broward County
- ❍ Jacksonville
- ❍ North Central Florida–$25
- ❍ Orlando
- ❍ Palm Beach County
- ❍ South Florida
- ❍ Southwest Florida
- ❍ Tallahassee
- ❍ Tampa Bay

Georgia
- ❍ Atlanta–$10

Hawaii
- ❍ Hawaii

Idaho
- ❍ Idaho

Illinois
- ❍ Chicago

Indiana
- ❍ Indianapolis

Iowa
- ❍ Iowa–$10

Kansas
- ❍ Kansas

Kentucky
- ❍ Kentucky

Louisiana
- ❍ Baton Rouge
- ❍ Lafayette/ Acadiana
- ❍ New Orleans
- ❍ North Louisiana

Maine*
- ❍ At Large

Maryland
- ❍ Maryland

Massachusetts
- ❍ Massachusetts –$10

Michigan
- ❍ Eastern District of Michigan
- ❍ Western District of Michigan

Minnesota
- ❍ Minnesota

Mississippi
- ❍ Mississippi

Missouri
- ❍ Missouri

Montana
- ❍ Montana

Nebraska*
- ❍ At Large

Nevada
- ❍ Nevada

New Hampshire*
- ❍ At Large

New Jersey
- ❍ New Jersey

New Mexico
- ❍ New Mexico

New York
- ❍ Eastern District of New York
- ❍ Southern District of New York
- ❍ Western District of New York

North Carolina
- ❍ Eastern District of North Carolina
- ❍ Middle District of North Carolina
- ❍ Western District of North Carolina

North Dakota
- ❍ North Dakota

Ohio
- ❍ John W. Peck/ Cincinnati/ Northern Kentucky
- ❍ Columbus
- ❍ Dayton
- ❍ Northern District of Ohio–$10

Oklahoma
- ❍ Oklahoma City
- ❍ Northern/ Eastern Oklahoma

Oregon
- ❍ Oregon

Pennsylvania
- ❍ Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- ❍ Middle District of Pennsylvania
- ❍ Western District of Pennsylvania

Puerto Rico
- ❍ Hon. Raymond L. Acosta/ Puerto Rico–$10

Rhode Island
- ❍ Rhode Island

South Carolina
- ❍ South Carolina

South Dakota*
- ❍ At Large

Tennessee
- ❍ Chattanooga
- ❍ Memphis Mid-South
- ❍ Nashville
- ❍ Northeast Tennessee

Texas
- ❍ Austin
- ❍ Dallas–$10
- ❍ Del Rio–$25
- ❍ El Paso
- ❍ Fort Worth
- ❍ San Antonio
- ❍ Southern District of Texas–$25
- ❍ Waco

Utah
- ❍ Utah

Vermont*
- ❍ At Large

Virgin Islands
- ❍ Virgin Islands

Virginia
- ❍ Northern Virginia
- ❍ Richmond
- ❍ Roanoke
- ❍ Tidewater

Washington*
- ❍ At Large

West Virginia*
- ❍ At Large

Wisconsin*
- ❍ At Large

Wyoming
- ❍ Wyoming

Chapter Total: $ _____

Payment Information and Authorization Statement

TOTAL DUES TO BE CHARGED
(membership, section/division, and chapter dues): $ _____

❍ Check enclosed, payable to Federal Bar Association
Credit: ❍ American Express ❍ MasterCard ❍ Visa

Name on card (*please print*)

Card No. Exp. Date

Signature Date

By signing this application, I hereby apply for membership in the Federal Bar Association and agree to conform to its Constitution and Bylaws and to the rules and regulations prescribed by its Board of Directors. I declare that the information contained herein is true and complete. I understand that any false statements made on this application will lead to rejection of my application and/or the immediate termination of my membership. I also understand that by providing my fax number and e-mail address, I hereby consent to receive faxes and e-mail messages sent by or on behalf of the Federal Bar Association, the Foundation of the Federal Bar Association, and the Federal Bar Building Corporation.

Signature of Applicant ***Date***
(Signature must be included for membership to be activated)

*Contributions and dues to the FBA may be deductible by members under provisions of the IRS Code, such as an ordinary and necessary business expense, except 4.5% which is used for congressional lobbying and is not deductible. Your FBA dues include $14 for a yearly subscription to the FBA's professional magazine.