

Federal Bar Association Application for Membership

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 90 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, advance your career

THREE WAYS TO APPLY TODAY: Join online at www.fedbar.org; Fax application to (571) 481-9090; or Mail application to FBA, PO Box 79395, Baltimore, MD 21279-0395. For more information, contact the FBA membership department at (571) 481-9100 or membership@fedbar.org.

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

Firm/Company/Agency _____ Number of Attorneys _____
Address _____ Suite/Floor _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____
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Phone _____ Email Address _____

Address _____ Apt. # _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____
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Phone _____ Date of Birth _____
Email Address _____

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: / /

***Court of Record:** Name of **first court** in which you were admitted to practice.

Authorization Statement

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 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 percent which is used for congressional lobbying and is not deductible. Your FBA dues include \$15 for a yearly subscription to the FBA's professional magazine.

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Federal Bar Association

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 percent discount on the registration fees for all national meetings and national CLE events.

	Private Sector	Public Sector
Member Admitted to Practice 0-5 Years.....	\$170	\$150
Member Admitted to Practice 6-10 Years	\$235	\$215
Member Admitted to Practice 11+ Years	\$285	\$245
Retired (Fully Retired from the Practice of Law)	\$170	\$170

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.....	\$110	\$85
Member Admitted to Practice 6-10 Years	\$170	\$145
Member Admitted to Practice 11+ Years	\$215	\$175
Retired (Fully Retired from the Practice of Law)	\$110	\$110

Associate Membership

Foreign Associate

Admitted to practice law outside the U.S. \$215

Law Student Associate

First year student (includes four years of membership)	\$50
Second year student (includes three years of membership)	\$30
Third year student (includes two years of membership)	\$20
One year only option	\$20

All first, second and third year student memberships include an additional free year of membership starting from your date of graduation.

Dues Total: _____

Practice Area Sections

<input type="checkbox"/> Admiralty Law	\$25	<input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Property Law	\$10
<input type="checkbox"/> Alternative Dispute Resolution	\$15	<input type="checkbox"/> International Law	\$10
<input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust and Trade Regulation	\$15	<input type="checkbox"/> Labor and Employment Law	\$15
<input type="checkbox"/> Banking Law	\$20	<input type="checkbox"/> LGBT Law	\$15
<input type="checkbox"/> Bankruptcy Law	\$25	<input type="checkbox"/> Qui Tam Section	\$15
<input type="checkbox"/> Civil Rights Law	\$15	<input type="checkbox"/> Securities Law Section	\$0
<input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Law	\$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Security	\$10
<input type="checkbox"/> Environment, Energy, and Natural Resources	\$15	<input type="checkbox"/> State and Local Government Relations	\$15
<input type="checkbox"/> Federal Litigation	\$20	<input type="checkbox"/> Taxation	\$15
<input type="checkbox"/> Government Contracts	\$20	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation and Transportation Security Law	\$20
<input type="checkbox"/> Health Law	\$15	<input type="checkbox"/> Veterans and Military Law	\$20
<input type="checkbox"/> Immigration Law	\$10		
<input type="checkbox"/> Indian Law	\$15		

Career Divisions

<input type="checkbox"/> Corporate & Association Counsel (in-house counsel and/or corporate law practice)	\$20
<input type="checkbox"/> Federal Career Service (past/present employee of federal government)	N/C
<input type="checkbox"/> Judiciary (past/present member or staff of a judiciary)	N/C
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Lawyers* (age 55 or over)	\$10
<input type="checkbox"/> Younger Lawyers* (age 40 or younger or admitted less than 10 years)	N/C
<input type="checkbox"/> Law Student Division	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	Illinois	New Hampshire	Rhode Island
<input type="checkbox"/> Birmingham	<input type="checkbox"/> Central District of Illinois-\$25	<input type="checkbox"/> New Hampshire-\$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Rhode Island
<input type="checkbox"/> Montgomery	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicago	New Jersey	South Carolina
<input type="checkbox"/> North Alabama	<input type="checkbox"/> P. Michael Mahoney (Rockford, Illinois) Chapter	<input type="checkbox"/> New Jersey	<input type="checkbox"/> South Carolina
Alaska	<input type="checkbox"/> Southern District of Illinois	New Mexico	South Dakota
<input type="checkbox"/> Alaska	Indiana	<input type="checkbox"/> New Mexico	<input type="checkbox"/> South Dakota
Arizona	<input type="checkbox"/> Indianapolis	New York	Tennessee
<input type="checkbox"/> Phoenix	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern District of Indiana	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern District of New York	<input type="checkbox"/> Chattanooga
<input type="checkbox"/> William D. Browning/ Tucson	Iowa	<input type="checkbox"/> Southern District of New York	<input type="checkbox"/> Knoxville Chapter
Arkansas	<input type="checkbox"/> Iowa-\$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Western District of New York	<input type="checkbox"/> Memphis
<input type="checkbox"/> Arkansas	Kansas	<input type="checkbox"/> Middle District of North Carolina	<input type="checkbox"/> Mid-South
California	<input type="checkbox"/> Kansas and Western District of Missouri	<input type="checkbox"/> North Carolina	<input type="checkbox"/> Nashville
<input type="checkbox"/> Inland Empire	Kentucky	<input type="checkbox"/> District of Texas-\$25	<input type="checkbox"/> Northeast
<input type="checkbox"/> Los Angeles	<input type="checkbox"/> Kentucky	<input type="checkbox"/> Tennessee	
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern District of California	Louisiana		
<input type="checkbox"/> Orange County	<input type="checkbox"/> Baton Rouge	Texas	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sacramento	<input type="checkbox"/> Lafayette/ Acadiana	<input type="checkbox"/> Austin	
<input type="checkbox"/> San Diego	<input type="checkbox"/> New Orleans-\$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Dallas-\$10	
<input type="checkbox"/> San Joaquin Valley	<input type="checkbox"/> North Louisiana	<input type="checkbox"/> El Paso	
Colorado	Maine	<input type="checkbox"/> Fort Worth	
<input type="checkbox"/> Colorado	<input type="checkbox"/> Maine	<input type="checkbox"/> San Antonio	
Connecticut	Maryland	<input type="checkbox"/> Southern District of Texas	
<input type="checkbox"/> District of Connecticut	<input type="checkbox"/> Maryland	<input type="checkbox"/> Waco	
Delaware	Massachusetts	Utah	
<input type="checkbox"/> Delaware	<input type="checkbox"/> Massachusetts -\$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Utah	
District of Columbia	Michigan	Vermont	
<input type="checkbox"/> Capitol Hill	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern District of Michigan	Virgin Islands	
<input type="checkbox"/> D.C.	<input type="checkbox"/> Western District of Michigan	<input type="checkbox"/> Virgin Islands	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pentagon	Minnesota	Virginia	
Florida	<input type="checkbox"/> Minnesota	<input type="checkbox"/> Richmond	
<input type="checkbox"/> Broward County	Mississippi	<input type="checkbox"/> Roanoke	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jacksonville	Missouri	<input type="checkbox"/> Hampton Roads Chapter	
<input type="checkbox"/> North Central Florida-\$25	<input type="checkbox"/> St. Louis	Washington*	
<input type="checkbox"/> Orlando	<input type="checkbox"/> Kansas and Western District of Missouri	<input type="checkbox"/> At Large	
<input type="checkbox"/> Palm Beach County	Montana	West Virginia	
<input type="checkbox"/> South Florida	<input type="checkbox"/> Montana	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern District of West Virginia-\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Southwest Florida	Nebraska	Wisconsin	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tallahassee	<input type="checkbox"/> Nebraska	Wyoming	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tampa Bay	Nevada	<input type="checkbox"/> Wyoming	
Georgia	<input type="checkbox"/> Nevada		
<input type="checkbox"/> Atlanta-\$10			
<input type="checkbox"/> Southern District of Georgia Chapter			
Hawaii			
<input type="checkbox"/> Hawaii			
Idaho			
<input type="checkbox"/> Idaho			

Chapter Total: _____

Payment Information

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