

# CIBA Columbus Bar Association • Membership Application

Please print or type.  Check here if you have previously been a Columbus Bar member.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Initial Last

Supreme Court # \_\_\_\_\_

Law School \_\_\_\_\_

Admitted State(s)/Year(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Main Business Direct Dial Business

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Facsimile E-Mail

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Suite/Floor Building Name

Street City State Zip Code+4

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code+4

Law firm size:  Solo practice  Small (1-9)  Medium (10-49)  Large (50+)

Please check preferred mailing address:  Business  Home

Please check preferred Directory address:  Business  Home

**NOTE:** If we have no record of your employment, your home address will be used in the Directory.

## CLASS OF MEMBERSHIP (please check one):

### ACTIVE ATTORNEY/JUDGE (Voting)

Applicant must be an attorney **not under a disciplinary suspension in any jurisdiction** who is a) currently registered active and in good standing in Ohio; b) currently registered with the Supreme Court of Ohio as an attorney not admitted in Ohio; c) currently licensed to practice in another state or the District of Columbia; or d) a federal, state or local judge either sitting or retired but eligible to sit by assignment.

### INACTIVE OR RETIRED ATTORNEY (Non-Voting)

Must be an attorney registered with the Supreme Court of Ohio as "inactive" or "retired" and in good standing.

### NON-RESIDENT ATTORNEY (Non-Voting)

Applicant must be an attorney who does not reside or have an office in Ohio.

### NON-LAWYER ASSOCIATE MEMBER (Non-Voting)

Applicant must have an employment history in one of the following law-related categories. If you are a paralegal, use the joint CBA/PACO membership application. If you are a law student, please the law student application.

Court Reporter  Legal Librarian  Mediator  Legal Administrator  Legal Nurse Consultant

**NOTE:** Associate members must be sponsored by an attorney member of the Columbus Bar.

Name of Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

## DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION (this information is used for statistical purposes only):

Gender:  Male  Female Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Race (optional):

African American  Caucasian  Asian American  
 Hispanic  Native American  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Private Practice:

Corporate Counsel  Education  Government  
 Judge/Justice  Military  Public Service

## PRACTICE AREAS (please list):

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## FOREIGN LANGUAGES SPOKEN (please list):

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## FREE Legal Research

Attorney and practicing paralegal members have access to free, unlimited legal research from Fastcase.



## Columbus Bar Practice Groups

Appointment to listed groups is open equally to all members. Service requirements vary, but all groups encourage regular attendance. Most groups meet once a month, usually at noon. Check below the groups you would like to join. Appointment is automatic—except as noted below. Meeting dates are listed online at [www.cbalegal.org](http://www.cbalegal.org).

## Substantive Law/Court

- Bankruptcy
- Common Pleas Court
- Construction Law
- Criminal Law
- Estate Planning and Trust
- Family Law
- Federal Court
- Government Agencies
- Health Care Law
- Juvenile Law
- Labor & Employment Law
- Legal Research & Information Resources
- Municipal Court
- Probate Court
- Real Property
- Small Firm/Solo Practitioner
- Workers' Compensation

## Professional Development

- Eagle (Extraordinary Attorneys Got Legal Expertise)
- Law Students
- LGBTQIA+ Committee
- Minorities in the Law
- Visitation Committee
- Young Lawyers
- Wellness

## Advisory\*

- Admissions
- Judicial Screening
- Professional Ethics
- Publications/Editorial

\*Appointment to Advisory Groups is subject to approval by Columbus Bar President and Board of Governors.

**PLEASE COMPLETE BOTH SIDES OF THE APPLICATION. --->**

**Regular Members**

	Reg. Dues	Sustaining (Voluntary)
Less than 5 years in Practice	\$200	+ \$150
5 or more years in practice	\$300	+ \$150
*Inactive/Retired/Non-Resident	\$125	+ \$150

**Government Members**

	Reg. Dues	Sustaining (Voluntary)
Less than 5 years in Practice	\$150	+ \$150
5 or more years in practice	\$250	+ \$150

Government lawyers eligible for a CBA membership discount include any attorney employed full-time by a local, state, or federal government agency. Judges, federal magistrates, elected officials or persons appointed to elective office are not eligible for this category.

*Payment of dues or other contributions to the Columbus Bar are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes. They may, however, be tax deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses to the extent not allocated to lobbying expenditures. The Columbus Bar estimates that the non-deductible portion of your dues is 0%.*

Please pay dues based on the year that you were admitted to your first State Bar, even if other than Ohio State Bar.

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**ACTIVE ATTORNEY/JUDGE DUES** (For dues amount, see schedule at left) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Sustaining Membership** (Voluntary additional) \$ 150.00

**TOTAL DUE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**INACTIVE OR RETIRED ATTORNEY DUES** \$ 125.00

**Sustaining Membership** (Voluntary additional) \$ 150.00

**TOTAL DUE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**NON-RESIDENT ATTORNEY DUES** \$ 125.00

**Sustaining Membership** (Voluntary additional) \$ 150.00

**TOTAL DUE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**NON-LAWYER ASSOCIATE DUES** \$ 125.00

**TOTAL DUE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**CLE EASY PASS** (Unlimited hours of Columbus Bar CLE) \$ 250.00

**TOTAL DUE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**COLUMBUS BAR FOUNDATION** (Optional donation) \$ 50.00

**TOTAL DUE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE CONTACT ME WITH INFORMATION ABOUT...**

Columbus Bar Foundation  Pro bono opportunities

**PAYMENT INFORMATION**

Check (made payable to the Columbus Bar Association) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Visa  MasterCard  American Express  Discover

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Card Security Code (CSC) \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Amount authorized for payment \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it appears on card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# Get found!

As a member, you are eligible to take advantage of one or both of our client development tools: **Columbus Bar Association Digital Directory** and **Columbus Find a Lawyer.org**, our online marketing service.



**Please contact me with more information about:**

- CBA Digital Directory
- Columbus Find a Lawyer

**Return this application with payment to:**

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