

# MEMBERSHIP

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## APPLICANT (please print)

First name Last name Title

Firm/Organization Business address City, State, Zip

Home address City, State, Zip

Please send mail to: (check one)  Business  Home

Work phone Home phone Cell phone

Preferred e-mail Secondary e-mail Date of birth

Earliest bar admission State Country

JD (anticipated) graduation date School

LLM (anticipated) graduation date School

Optional:  Male  Female  Nonbinary  LGBTQ  Person With a Disability  
Race/Ethnicity:  African American or Black  Hispanic/Latinx  Prefer not to say  Asian/Pacific Islander  Caucasian/White  Native American  Additional Race or Ethnic Category

## AREAS OF INTEREST (please check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative/Regulatory    | <input type="checkbox"/> Copyrights                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality/Restaurants    | <input type="checkbox"/> Project Finance                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Admiralty                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Corporate/Mergers              | <input type="checkbox"/> Immigration                | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Affairs                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ADR/Arbitration/Negotiation  | <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Interest/Pro Bono        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aeronautics/Aviation         | <input type="checkbox"/> Disability                     | <input type="checkbox"/> International Affairs/Law  | <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate/Land Use            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Law                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Diversity Equity & Inclusion   | <input type="checkbox"/> International Human Rights | <input type="checkbox"/> Rule of Law                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust & Trade Regulation | <input type="checkbox"/> Education                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Judiciary/Judicial         | <input type="checkbox"/> Science                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art Law                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Elder Law                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Landlord-Tenant/Housing    | <input type="checkbox"/> Securities/Finance              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Banking                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Election Law/Campaign Finance  | <input type="checkbox"/> LGBTQ                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Law Firm Practice         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bankruptcy                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Employee Benefits/Compensation | <input type="checkbox"/> Litigation                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Welfare/Benefits         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Career Development           | <input type="checkbox"/> Energy                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Malpractice        | <input type="checkbox"/> Taxation                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civil Rights                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment/Sports           | <input type="checkbox"/> Minority Issues            | <input type="checkbox"/> Technology/Cyber/Privacy        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial/Business          | <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Tort Litigation/Personal Injury |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications & Media       | <input type="checkbox"/> Ethics/Professional Discipline | <input type="checkbox"/> Patents                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Trademarks                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compliance                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Family/Matrimonial/Children    | <input type="checkbox"/> Practice Management        | <input type="checkbox"/> Trade Secrets                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Constitutional Law           | <input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Law                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Private Equity             | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction                 | <input type="checkbox"/> General Practice               | <input type="checkbox"/> Product Liability          | <input type="checkbox"/> Trusts & Estates                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Development   | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Issues                  |
|   |   |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                    |

# MEMBERSHIP CLASSIFICATIONS/FEES

MEMBERSHIP CLASS	ONE-TIME ADMISSION FEE	+ SEMIANNUAL DUES	= INITIAL PAYMENT
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<b>SUSTAINING MEMBERS</b>	\$500	\$438	\$938
<b>RESIDENT MEMBERS</b> <i>have office in NYC</i>			
Admitted 2012 and prior	\$541	\$270.50	\$811.50
Admitted 2013 - 2016	\$531	\$265.50	\$796.50
Admitted 2017 - 2018	\$366	\$183	\$549
Admitted 2019 - 2021	\$289	\$144.50	\$433.50
Admitted 2022 - 2024	\$165	\$82.50	\$247.50

<b>SOLO RESIDENT MEMBERS</b>			
Admitted 2012 and prior	\$ 0	\$260	\$260
Admitted 2013 - 2016	\$ 0	\$255	\$255
Admitted 2017 - 2018	\$ 0	\$170	\$170

*If admitted after 2018, refer to Resident Members section.*

<b>SUBURBAN MEMBERS</b> <i>have office outside but within 50 miles of NYC</i>			
Admitted 2012 and prior	\$386	\$193	\$579
Admitted 2013 - 2016	\$376	\$188	\$564
Admitted 2017 - 2018	\$320	\$160	\$480
Admitted 2019 - 2021	\$289	\$144.50	\$433.50
Admitted 2022 - 2024	\$165	\$82.50	\$247.50

<b>SOLO SUBURBAN MEMBERS</b>			
Admitted 2012 and prior	\$ 0	\$188	\$188
Admitted 2013 - 2016	\$ 0	\$183	\$183
Admitted 2017 - 2018	\$ 0	\$154.50	\$154.50

*If admitted after 2018, refer to Suburban Members section.*

<b>RESIDENT CORPORATE</b> <i>attorneys working in companies in NYC</i>			
Admitted 2012 and prior	\$464	\$232	\$696
Admitted 2013 - 2016	\$454	\$227	\$681
Admitted 2017 - 2018	\$278	\$139	\$417
Admitted 2019 - 2021	\$237	\$118.50	\$355.50
Admitted 2022 - 2024	\$144	\$72	\$216

<b>SUBURBAN CORPORATE</b> <i>attorneys working in companies in office outside but within 50 miles of NYC</i>			
Admitted 2012 and prior	\$340	\$170	\$510
Admitted 2013 - 2016	\$330	\$165	\$495
Admitted 2017 - 2018	\$258	\$129	\$387
Admitted 2019 - 2021	\$237	\$118.50	\$355.50
Admitted 2022 - 2024	\$144	\$72	\$216

<b>PUBLIC SERVICE</b> <i>attorneys working in public service, not-for-profit, academia, government</i>			
Admitted 2012 and prior	\$ 0	\$221.50	\$221.50
Admitted 2013 - 2016	\$ 0	\$211.50	\$211.50
Admitted 2017 - 2018	\$ 0	\$103	\$103
Admitted 2019 - 2021	\$ 0	\$77.50	\$77.50
Admitted 2022 - 2024	\$ 0	\$51.50	\$51.50

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<b>RECENT LAW GRADUATE</b> <i>graduated within 2 years and sitting for bar/pending admission</i>	\$ 0	\$ 62	\$ 62
<b>JUDICIAL RESIDENT</b> <i>within 50 miles of NYC</i>	\$ 0	\$129	\$129
<b>RETIRED</b> <i>(Resident/Suburban, aged 65 and over)</i>	\$ 0	\$129	\$129
<b>JD — NON-ADMITTED</b> <i>holding a JD, never admitted in any state or country/no intention to sit for the bar</i>	\$ 0	\$77.50	\$77.50

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<b>NONRESIDENT MEMBERS</b> <i>have office more than 50 miles from NYC</i>			
Admitted prior to 2022	\$206	\$206	\$412
Admitted 2022 - 2024	\$124	\$124	\$248
<b>JUDICIAL NONRESIDENT</b> <i>more than 50 miles from NYC</i>	\$ 0	\$175	\$175
<b>INTERNATIONAL MEMBERS</b> <i>have office outside of the US</i>			
Admitted prior to 2022	\$206	\$206	\$412
Admitted 2022 - 2024	\$124	\$124	\$248
<b>LLM STUDENT</b>	\$ 0	\$ 50	\$ 50
<b>LAW STUDENT</b>	\$ 0	\$ 25	\$ 25

Applicants pay an Admission Fee that is a one-time payment equal to their first year's dues. The Admission Fee is waived in certain circumstances. Special dues rates may also apply (see below). Membership dues are based upon the earliest year of admission to any bar in any state or country and location of applicant's office. Fees for judicial members and those without an office are determined by their legal residence.

Nonresident members are billed annually payable May 1. Student members are billed annually payable September 1. All other members are billed semiannually payable May 1 and November 1.

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- Recent Law Graduates certify that they are qualified to apply for admission to the bar and intend to become a member of the profession within two years of law school graduation.
- Law and LLM students certify that they are enrolled in good standing at an ABA-accredited law school. In the student's last year of law school, membership is from September 1 until graduation.
- JD Non-Admitted certify that they have attained a JD, are not/do not intend to be admitted to the practice of law in any jurisdiction.

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Please return completed application/payment to: **New York City Bar - Membership Department** 42 West 44<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10036  
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