

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

LAWYER REFERRAL & INFORMATION SERVICE (LRIS)



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LRIS MEMBER DEMOGRAPHICS and PANEL SELECTIONS

LRIS Membership Application

Name	Phone
Firm Name	Fax
Address	Firm Size _____
E-mail address	Bar Number _____ Nevada Admit year _____

Method of \$50.00 Fee payment

Signature _____

Errors & Omissions Insurance Requirements

In agreeing to participate on the Lawyer Referral & Information Service, I certify that I have professional liability insurance of \$250,000 per claim with \$500,000 aggregate limits, as provided in Article three, Section one of the LRIS Statement of Standards and Rules. Furthermore, if my insurance is cancelled or not renewed I will notify LRIS immediately. I understand I will not receive referrals if I cease to carry professional liability insurance. A copy of the Declaration Sheet of my insurance policy is enclosed with my application.

Initials: _____

LRIS Important Information

I was admitted to practice in Nevada on: / / _____
Graduated from (name of Law School)

I was first licensed to practice law on: / / _____
Are you a Solo Practitioner? If not please indicate Firm size


My hourly rate is \$_____. *(Note: LRIS will not quote fees to potential clients. This information is used for the sole purpose of accurately referring the caller to the panel member).* _____
Name of your staff contact (i.e. secretary, assistant, etc.)

Completed Application Checklist:
 Please use the checklist below to ensure your application is complete:

<input type="checkbox"/> \$50.00 Payment for Annual Membership Dues <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of "Declaration Page" from E&O Insurance Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Resume or curriculum vitae <input type="checkbox"/> Completed & signed Full Fee Panel Application <input type="checkbox"/> Completed & signed Reduced Fee Panel Application <input type="checkbox"/> Completed & signed Experience Panel Application	<p>Please indicate below what type of application this is.</p> <input type="checkbox"/> New Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal of Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Panel Changes only
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Please mail completed packet to:

State Bar of Nevada
600 E. Charleston Blvd.



PLEASE RETURN SIGNED STATEMENT OF STANDARDS AND RULES WITH APPLICATION

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States you are licensed to practice in and where you would like referrals:

State _____ State _____

State _____ State _____

Please indicate what languages are spoken in your office:

Language: _____ Language: _____

Language: _____ Language: _____

Are you able to assist a Spanish speaking client? Yes ___ No ___

OFFICE INFORMATION

___ Handicap Accessible

___ Home Visits

___ Weekend/Evening Appointments

Locations:

Please select the cities you'd like to receive referrals from:

___ Battle Mountain

___ Fernley

___ Laughlin

___ Stateline

___ Beatty

___ Gardnerville

___ Lovelock

___ Sun Valley

___ Boulder City

___ Hawthorne

___ Mesquite

___ Tonopah

___ Carson City

___ Incline Village

___ Minden

___ Wendover

___ Dayton

___ Jean

___ Pahrump

___ Winnemucca

___ Elko

___ Lake Tahoe

___ Reno/Sparks

___ Yerington

___ Ely

___ Las Vegas/

___ Searchlight

___ Zephyr Cove

___ Eureka

Henderson/

___ Silver Springs

___ Other

___ Fallon

North Las Vegas

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Your signature also indicates that you are familiar with the LRIS Statement of Standards and Rules and you agree to abide by those Rules. The Statement of Standards and Rules is forwarded to all new members when they join the Lawyer Referral & Information Service. If you need a new copy, please contact the LRIS staff at 702-382-2200. The Lawyer Referral & Information Service is a public service program of the State Bar of Nevada.

Signature

Name (Please Print)

Date

Your signature indicates that you have read the application in its entirety and that the facts stated in it are true and correct to the best of your knowledge and belief.

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Signature _____ Name (print) _____ Date _____

- Separate application needed for Experience Panels in
1) **Medical Malpractice, Wrongful Death, Products Liability;**
2) **Category A & B Felonies;**
3) **Bankruptcy;**
4) **Family Law case types not listed on this application**

Please check the categories below which apply to your practice.

Administrative Law

- ___ Department of Labor
- ___ Native American/Tribal Matters
- ___ Military Matters
- ___ Public Utilities
- ___ State/Local Agencies
- ___ Veteran's Administration
- ___ Federal Agencies
- ___ Licensing Boards
- ___ Department of Motor Vehicles

Appellate Law

- ___ Civil
- ___ Criminal

Civil Rights

- ___ ADA
- ___ Housing Issues
- ___ Mental Health
- ___ Police Misconduct
- ___ Prisoner's Rights
- ___ Discrimination/Harassment (non-employ)

Collections

- ___ Creditor
- ___ Debtor
- ___ Business Representation

Consumer Law

- ___ Lemon Law/Repairs
- ___ Contracts (retail/other)
- ___ Credit Issues (Credit Card, etc.)
- ___ Warranty Matters
- ___ Repossessions
- ___ Consumer Fraud/Protection
- ___ Education Loans/Rights/Non-payment

Corporate/Business

- ___ Licensing
- ___ E-Commerce
- ___ Non-Profit Organizations
- ___ Contracts
- ___ Securities
- ___ Incorporation
- ___ LLC/LLP
- ___ Partnerships
- ___ Sole Proprietorships
- ___ Antitrust
- ___ Entertainment Law matters
- ___ Franchise
- ___ Banking Matters (Rules/Laws)

Criminal Law

- ___ Federal
- ___ Felony (Category C, D, E only)
- ___ Misdemeanor
- ___ Traffic Matters
- ___ DUI
- ___ Expungements
- ___ Juvenile
- ___ Prisoners (Bail, Pleadings)

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Please check the categories below which apply to your practice.

Education

- ___ Special Education/Special Needs
- ___ Student Rights
- ___ Teacher Rights
- ___ Board Disputes

Elder Law

- ___ Elder Law
- ___ Nursing Home Issues

Employment Law

- ___ Employer Representation
- ___ Federal Employees
- ___ Pensions
- ___ Employment Contracts
- ___ Employee Benefits
- ___ Union Issues
- ___ Sexual Harassment
- ___ Discrimination (Age, Gender, Race)
- ___ Unemployment
- ___ Wrongful Termination
- ___ ERISA
- ___ Drug Testing
- ___ ADA
- ___ Defamation
- ___ Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA)
- ___ Payroll Issues
- ___ State Employees

Estate Planning

- ___ Contested Matters
- ___ Guardianships
- ___ Probate
- ___ Trusts
- ___ Wills

Family Law

- ___ Uncontested Custody
- ___ Uncontested Divorce
- ___ Uncontested Guardianship
- ___ Child Support
- ___ Spousal Support
- ___ Annulment
- ___ Visitation
- ___ Paternity
- ___ Grandparents/Stepparent Rights
- ___ Property Settlements — assets under \$25,000 (i.e. household items, personal belongings)
- ___ Name Change
- ___ Protection/Restraining Orders
- ___ Emancipation
- ___ Stepparent Adoption

Gaming

- ___ Markers
- ___ Licensing
- ___ Nevada Gaming Commission

Immigration & Naturalization

- ___ Deportation
- ___ Legalization
- ___ Miscellaneous
- ___ Visa/Status

Insurance

- ___ Bad Faith
- ___ Coverage
- ___ Automobile
- ___ Health
- ___ Short/Long Term Disability
- ___ Professional Malpractice

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Please check the categories below which apply to your practice.

Intellectual Property

- Copyright
- Patents
- Trademark
- Computer/Internet

Natural Resource

- Environmental Matters
- Mining
- Oil & Gas
- Water

Negligence/Tort Law

- Property Damage
- Slip & Fall
- Auto Accidents—Plaintiff
- Auto Accidents—Defense
- Animal Negligence
- Identity Theft
- Assault & Battery
- Defamation
- Toxic Tort
- Dental Malpractice
- Food Poisoning
- Legal Malpractice
- Personal Injury—Defense
- Personal Injury—Plaintiff
- Invasion of Privacy
- False Imprisonment
- Infliction of Emotional Distress
- Trespass to Land
- Mold
- General Negligence
- Nuisance
- Sexual Harassment

Real Estate

- Banking/Predatory Lending
- Commercial Eviction—Defense
- Commercial Lease—Defense

Real Estate (cont'd)

- Commercial Purchase/Sale
- Commercial Eviction—Plaintiff
- Commercial Lease—Plaintiff
- Condo Associations/HOA —
Defense of
- Condo Associations/HOA —
Complaints against
- Construction Defect
- Contractor Disputes
- Construction Liens
- Eminent Domain
- Foreclosures
- General Construction
- Mechanics Liens
- Realtor Negligence
- Residential Eviction—Tenant
- Residential Leases—Tenant
- Residential Eviction—Landlord
- Residential Lease—Landlord
- Residential Purchase/Sale
- Zoning

Social Security

- Disability
- Retirement
- Medicare/Medicaid
- SSI

Tax Law

- Commercial/Business Tax Matters
- Tax Liens
- Personal Tax Matters

Workers Compensation

- Federal Employees
- Employee Representation
- Employer Representation
- State Employees

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Experience Panels Are Available in the Following Areas:

Medical Malpractice, Wrongful Death, Products Liability

Category A & B Felonies

Bankruptcy

Family Law:

Contested Custody

Contested Divorce

Contested Guardianship

Child Protective Services

Termination of Parental Rights

Prenuptial Agreements

Parental Kidnapping

Property Settlements (assets over \$25,000)

Appeals

Adoption (Non-familial)

If you're interested in any of these experience panels, please contact LRIS for a separate application.