



Local and State Bar Associations: Join bar associations in Texas to obtain a wealth of information and networking opportunities. Some bar associations offer professional development programs, social events and job search assistance.

State Bar of Texas <u>www.texasbar.com</u> Austin Bar Association <u>www.travisbar.com</u>

Local and State Publications: Newspapers contain job ads and can give you a feel for current business environment.

Texas Lawyer
Austin American-Statesman
The Austin Chronicle
The Austin Business Journal

Www.texaslawyer.com
www.statesman.com
www.austinchronicle.com
www.bizjournals.com/austin

Professional Legal Associations: Make networking contacts and meet local attorneys.

Austin Young Lawyers Assoc. <u>www.ayla.org</u>

Hispanic Bar Association of Austin
Austin Black Lawyers Association

www.hispanicbaraustin.com
www.austinblacklawyers.org

Travis County Women Lawyers' Association www.tcwla.org

Job Fairs: Potential job and networking opportunities.

Southeastern Law Placement Consortium (SELPC) www.selpc.org/ Southeastern Minority Job Fair (SEMJF) www.semjf.org/

Equal Justice Works Career Fair www.equaljusticeworks.org/law-school/conference-and-careerfair

Job Boards: General job posting sites.

Austin Jobsite.comwww.austinjobsite.com/Texas Attorney Jobswww.texasattorneyjobs.com/Hello Austinwww.helloaustin.com

Texas FindLaw www.findlaw.com/casecode/texas.html
Rominger Legal/Texas www.romingerlegal.com/state/texas.html

Biz Journals www.bizjournals.com/austin
Craig's List austin.craigslist.org/

Hieros Gamos www.hg.org

Public Interest Organizations in Texas: For additional organizations, visit www.psid.org.

Catholic Charities of Central Texas ccctx.org/

Equal Justice Center <u>www.equaljusticecenter.org/</u>

American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) <u>www.aclutx.org</u>

Texas Civil Rights Project www.texascivilrightsproject.org/

State Courts and Government Employment: Jobs are listed on city, county and state official web pages.

Texas Courts

The Supreme Court of Texas Attorney General of Texas

Austin Texas Gov

State of Texas Government

www.courts.state.tx.us/

www.supreme.courts.state.tx.us/ www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/

www.austintexas.gov/

www.texas.gov/en/Pages/default.aspx

Legal Recruiters: You have nothing to lose, but never pay a fee for legal recruiters as a job seeker.

Austin Recruiter www.austinrecruiter.com/
Prescott Legal Search www.prescottlegal.com/

Reciprocity: Between December and July, you may request reciprocity (through the CDO) with a participating law school in Texas to visit their career services office and access their job postings. Each law school sets its own reciprocity policy; therefore, certain law schools may not allow for access to their job postings to individuals other than their own students and alumni. To find out the reciprocity policy of a particular law school, visit: www.nalp.org (click on "Professional Resources" and "Career Services"). Reciprocity is usually available for only 3 months. Also, you may only request one law school for reciprocity purposes when job searching in a large metropolitan area. If you are planning to study for the bar in Texas, let the CDO know and we can initiate a reciprocity request for you.

University of Texas at Austin School of Law South Texas College of Law St. Mary's University School of Law University of Houston Law Center

The Intercollegiate Job Bank:

This is an online database maintained by Brigham Young University Law School. The Intercollegiate Job Bank contains job postings from a large number of law schools throughout the country, including law schools in Texas. The site is updated monthly. To access the site, visit the CDO website at: www.law.miami.edu/cdo (click on "CDO Resources" and "Useful Online Resources" and "Intercollegiate Job Bank"). The site is password protected. Please contact the CDO for the username and password.

Starting Salaries in Texas: *

Firms of Firms of Firms of Firms of Government **26-50 Lawyers:** 2-10 Lawyers: **11-25 Lawyers: 51-100 Lawyers: Positions:** Median: \$60,000 Median: \$75,000 Median: \$85,000 Median: \$90,000 Median: \$53,000 Mean: \$59,491 Mean: \$77,881 Mean: \$85.644 Mean: \$98,221 Mean: \$57,114

Number of Firms in Austin: **

131 Firms with 2-9 Lawyers 35 Firms with 10-24 Lawyers 17 Firms with 25-49 Lawyers 6 Firms with 50-99 Lawyers

University of Miami School of Law Alumni Working in Private Practice in Austin: **

There are currently 14 UM Law alumni working in the private sector in Austin, Texas. To locate alumni, go to www.martindale.com and click on "Advanced Search." Then, insert all relevant information, including "Law School Attended."

^{*} Jobs & JD's Employment and Salaries of New Law Graduates, Class of 2012 (September 2013 NALP)

^{**} Martindale.com