

**JOB SEARCH
RESOURCES** *for*

Memphis



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

Memphis Bar Association
The Tennessee Bar Association

www.memphisbar.org/
www.tba.org/

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

Tennessee Bar Journal
Memphis Business Journal

www.tba.org/journal_new/
<http://memphis.bizjournals.com/memphis/>

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

Tennessee Association for Justice
Legal Professionals of Tennessee
Association for Women Attorneys of Memphis
Tennessee Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Tennessee Alliance for Black Lawyers

www.tnaj.org/TN
<http://talstn.wordpress.com/>
www.awamemphis.org/
www.tacdl.com
www.tennesseeblacklawyers.org

Job Fairs: Potential job and networking opportunities.

Heartland Diversity Legal Job Fair
Southeastern Minority Job Fair
Southeastern Law Placement Consortium

www.heartlanddiversity.org
www.semjf.org/
www.selpc.org

Job Boards: General job posting sites.

Memphis Job Force
Memphis Jobs Today
Tennessee FindLaw
Rominger Legal/Tennessee

www.memphisjobforce.com
www.memphisjobstoday.com/
www.findlaw.com/11stategov/tn/index.html
www.romingerlegal.com/state/tennessee.html

Public Interest Organizations in Tennessee: For additional organizations, visit www.psjd.org.

Memphis Area Legal Services
Federal Public Defender – Western District
American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)
Tennessee Alliance for Legal Services
Tennessee Coalition Against Domestic & Sexual Violence
Southern Migrant Legal Services
Tennessee Justice Center

www.malsi.org/
www.tnwd.uscourts.gov/
www.aclu-tn.org
www.tals.org
www.tcadsv.org
www.trla.org

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

Tennessee Courts
City of Memphis
Tennessee Government

www.tsc.state.tn.us/
www.cityofmemphis.org/
www.tn.gov/

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

Koerner & Associates, Inc.

www.koernerassociates.com/home.php

Reciprocity: Between December and July, you may request reciprocity (through the CDO) with a participating law school in Tennessee 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 Tennessee, let the CDO know and we can initiate a reciprocity request for you.

Vanderbilt University Law School
Nashville School of Law
University of Tennessee College of Law
University of Memphis Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law

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 Tennessee. 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 Tennessee: *

Firms of 2-10 Lawyers:	Firms of 11-25 Lawyers:	Firms of 26-50 Lawyers:	Firms of 51-100 Lawyers:	Government Positions:
Median: \$48,000 Mean: \$48,653	Median: \$75,000 Mean: \$75,125	Median: \$62,500 Mean: \$69,300	Median: \$72,000 Mean: \$74,706	Median: \$47,000 Mean: \$46,655

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

Number of Firms in Memphis: **

39 Firms with 2-9 Lawyers
13 Firms with 10-24 Lawyers
9 Firms with 25-49 Lawyers
9 Firms with 50-99 Lawyers

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

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

** Martindale.com