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# Directory of Regulators of the Legal Profession

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## Introduction

The IBA Bar Issues Commission has produced this global directory of regulators of lawyers as a resource for practising lawyers and Bar Associations. The directory identifies the bodies who are responsible in each jurisdiction for the regulation of lawyers at various key stages, from qualification/entry to the profession, through ethics and conduct rules to disciplinary matters. The directory also gives some basic details on the governing legislation in those jurisdictions where there is a statutory basis for the profession and provides links to the relevant legislation where possible.

We are grateful to a large number of Bar Associations and individual IBA members who helped to verify the information contained in this directory. The companion, searchable directory on the IBA's Website lists all of those who assisted us in producing this resource.

In some instances the information given in the directory is based on desk research and has not been officially verified by the jurisdiction concerned. Where this is the case, this is made clear. If you are able to assist with the confirmation or correction of any of the listings that have not yet been verified, this would be greatly appreciated. Similarly, if you are able to provide information about a jurisdiction that has not yet been covered, or if you have an update on one of the jurisdictions listed below, please get in touch with Becca Verhagen at the IBA's London Office ([Becca.Verhagen@int-bar.org](mailto:Becca.Verhagen@int-bar.org)).

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## Which countries does the Directory cover?

The objective of this project was to create a directory/mapping of how legal regulation is conducted around the world.

The directory aims to cover the widest range of countries possible and the 163 countries of the WTO were selected as the starting point. However, where the opportunity arose during the compilation of the directory to add additional countries (e.g. Sudan) or sub-national jurisdictions with special status (e.g. Guam and US Virgin Islands), regulatory information on these jurisdictions was incorporated.

A number of countries are not covered in this version and these mostly fall into one of the following categories:

- Countries that are in the process of negotiating WTO membership. This group includes: Algeria, Bosnia, Ethiopia, Iran, Iraq, Lebanon and Libya, amongst others. Afghanistan, Kazakhstan and Liberia have joined the WTO during the process of constructing this directory.
- Relatively new states, post-conflict states, or states that have recently reengaged internationally which have yet to apply for WTO membership formally: Somalia, Eritrea, South Sudan, East Timor.
- States not engaged with the international community: North Korea.
- Small island states: Most South Pacific Islands (Micronesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Tuvalu, Nauru and Palau), Comoros and some Caribbean states.
- States of disputed status which nonetheless have existing and separate legal systems: Kosovo and Palestine.

There are also some dependent territories and smaller jurisdictions which come under the sovereignty of countries included in directory that have not been covered (e.g. Channel Islands, Cayman Islands, Gibraltar) and the smaller emirates of the UAE (Sharjah, Ajman, Fujairah, Ras al-Khaimah, and Umm al-Qaiwain).

## What issues does the Directory Cover?

The directory contains the following information:

- The key 'lawyer' titles in each country/jurisdiction
- An indication of the existence of separate jurisdictions in each country covered
- An indication of the organisations responsible in each jurisdiction for the three key stages of the lawyer 'life-cycle: Admission, ongoing registration/conduct and discipline/exit.
- Contact details and links to the websites of each regulator, where possible.
- An indication of any other bodies (e.g. complaints ombudsmen etc) involved in the regulation of lawyers in each jurisdiction covered.
- Information about legislation governing the regulation of lawyers and legal services, or on the constitution and functioning of a bar association or its equivalent.

## How was the information contained in the Directory obtained?

The basic starting point for the directory was desk research to find national legislation on legal services regulation and information about its application in practice. This drew particularly on resources such as:

- Links from regional and national legal information institutes (e.g. SAFLII, BAILII, CANLII and other World Law Library resources)
- National parliamentary databases and national gazettes
- The US Library of Congress

This was supplemented with information from national courts, especially where no legislation exists, and from the bars and other regulatory bodies themselves.

The data which was collected through desk research was then verified. This verification process took the following approach:

- Where possible, verification was sought from the regulators themselves. This happened in 18% of cases.
- If this was not possible, the help of the organised bar was sought, even if their role was largely representative rather than regulatory. This was the case in 41% of cases.
- If no response could be obtained from regulators or organised bars, assistance was sought from local IBA member firms or individual IBA members, from the respective jurisdiction. This happened in 20% of the directory's jurisdictions.
- Finally, in jurisdictions which had no IBA member organisation or individual IBA member, verification was sought from local lawyers who were recommended by foreign embassies or who had contributed to the World Bank Doing Business Survey, and therefore illustrated their willingness to provide the kind of information being sought, this verification approach was used in 21% of cases.

Over two-thirds of the directory was verified by the time of publication.

## What does the Directory tell us?

In total, the directory contains:

- A mapping of responsibilities for key stages of legal services regulation in 158 countries and 233 jurisdictions, which has been verified as a current and accurate picture in 67% of cases.
- Links to primary legislation on legal services regulation in 143 jurisdictions, where possible made available in English.

Overall, the directory covers 83% of UN member states, 98% of WTO members, 97% of the world's GDP<sup>1</sup> and 93% of the world's population<sup>2</sup>.

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<sup>1</sup> GDP and its breakdown at current prices in US Dollars". United Nations Statistics Division. December 2014. Retrieved 10 June 2015.

<sup>2</sup> Source: UN World Population Prospects 2012 United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division, Population Estimates and Projections Section. 13 June 2013

## Who regulates?

The model of lawyer regulation is set out in legislation in 63% of jurisdictions. Although there are many differences in the way in which regulation of lawyers is carried out in practice in different jurisdictions around the world, there are perhaps five distinct models which are observable:

- ***Largely court regulated professions:*** In this model, the Court, usually the Supreme Court of the jurisdiction, is the main body responsible for lawyer registration and overseeing discipline. Such a model includes both exclusive Court jurisdiction (which usually implies the limitation of any lawyer monopoly of practice rights to representation in court), and possibly some form of prior Bar approval for registration, or investigation and prosecution for disciplinary action. Court regulated legal professions are most commonly found in South America and the Caribbean, and some states of the US which have not adopted the delegated model (see below).
- ***The exclusively bar regulated professions:*** In this model, the 'Bar' is responsible for every stage of lawyer regulation and, in most cases, will also act as the main representative body for the profession. Where the power to regulate resides exclusively with the Bar, this is universally enshrined in legislation, which may also require particular internal governance arrangements (e.g. the establishment of a disciplinary board). One feature of this model is that it is not uncommon for regulatory responsibilities to be held primarily at a local, district court level, even where a national legislative framework is in place. This model is most prevalent in Europe as well as Francophone and Lusophone Africa.
- ***The predominantly or exclusively government regulated professions:*** In this model, it is the government which makes the key decisions relating to entry into and exit from the profession. A bar, where it exists, may play a role in promulgating the code of conduct and supporting lawyers in day to day practice but it is the government which calls the shots. This model is most commonly found in the Gulf (e.g. Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Oman and the UAE), and in some countries of Central and East Asia (e.g. Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan, Taiwan, People's Republic of China and Vietnam). In some others (e.g. Laos and Yemen) there is some form of a Bar or lawyers' organisation which may play a nominal role in regulation, but is in practice an emanation of, or effectively under the control of the State.
- ***Legal professions predominantly regulated by independent or delegated authorities:*** In this model, separate regulatory organisations are usually set up under the auspices of the ultimate statutory or constitutional authority responsible for lawyer regulation (eg, England and Wales, a number of US states, Canada, and parts of Australia). The distinguishing feature of such authorities is usually their exclusive regulatory competence, separated from any representative interests of the practising profession. In many states in the United States for example, the ultimate authority is the State Supreme Court but day to day regulatory authority has been delegated to professional regulators and it is therefore worth distinguishing this from the model of court regulation which is largely about the maintenance of the registration list. In Canada, regulation is carried out by independent provincial and territorial law societies mandated by statute to regulate in the public interest.
- ***Legal professions predominantly regulated on a mixed or shared basis*** by representatives of different organisations. Characteristically, a 'General Legal Council', or similar, is established to oversee the key stages of lawyer regulation and will involve some combination of the Attorney General, possibly Ministry of Justice, judiciary, bar association representatives and separately elected members of the profession. This model is most likely to be found in parts of West Africa, such as the Gambia and Ghana and in parts of the Caribbean, like Belize and Jamaica.

There are, naturally, jurisdictions whose regulation is hard to categorise according to the above typology and to some extent value judgments have been made in allocating jurisdictions to any

particular category. This is why the word ‘predominantly’ has been used in defining the above categories and in producing the illustration shown in the infographic provided at annex 1.

It becomes easier to place jurisdictions into the above categories once the different regulatory functions are broken down into different stages, since the same regulator is responsible for the entire lawyer life cycle in only 52% of the jurisdictions examined. In 48% of cases, different bodies are responsible for the different stages of regulation<sup>3</sup>.

It is also important to point out that what is actually implied by the same regulatory model could vary significantly in practice from one jurisdiction to another. Local bar regulation means a very different thing in the Netherlands, for example, compared to India or Russia. This is partly due to the regulatory activities undertaken by any individual regulator but is also related to the extent of any lawyer monopoly, which in turn determines whether ‘lawyer regulation’ and ‘legal services regulation’ are synonymous.

## Who admits lawyers to practise?

The table below shows responsibility for lawyer admission and illustrates national or local Bars are collectively the most significant admitting authority but still account for less than half of all regulators of admission. The court would also be second most important admitting authority, given its importance to lawyer regulation in the United States, were this task not delegated in many US States to State Boards of Bar Examiners, who are here classified as ‘independent or delegated authorities’. The distinction between those States in which the admitting authority has been counted as a court and those in which it has been counted as independent, depends on the degree of separation. Those States which have Boards of Examiners with their own governance arrangements and websites have been distinguished from States in which admission is handled by a committee of department within the Court itself.

**Table 1: Regulators of Admission**

Predominant regulator of admission	Number	Percentage
Court Admission	27	12%
National Bar Admission	71	32%
Local Bar Admission	22	10%
Government Regulated Admission	16	7%
Independent or Delegated Regulatory Authority	58	26%
Mixed or shared responsibility	29	13%
<b>Total</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>100%</b>

Government departments play a role in lawyer admission in Iceland and Denmark even though these are otherwise predominantly Bar led regulatory environments. Elsewhere government involvement is limited to countries in which regulation is entirely government dominated.

<sup>3</sup> Organisations have been treated as separate here despite the fact that they might have been set up under the auspices of the same ultimate authority e.g. in the US, a number of States have a Board of Bar Examiners and a State Disciplinary Commission which are both responsible to the Supreme Court, however these are treated as separate entities where they have separate governance arrangements. In countries where the Bar has an admissions board and a separate disciplinary board these have been treated as the same organisation as they operate under the same overall governance arrangements.

## Who regulates lawyers in practise?

Once admitted, lawyers are then predominantly 'regulated' in practice by Bar associations. Regulation in practice is defined here as the promulgation and monitoring against a code of conduct but may also include the renewal of practising certificates, the imposition and monitoring of continuous education or training requirements and professional indemnity insurance, and any oversight of anti-money laundering requirements imposed on lawyers. In many jurisdictions, however, there is little active monitoring of the legal profession post-admission.

**Table 2: Regulators of Practice**

Predominant regulator of practice	Number	Percentage
Court	42	19%
National Bar	114	52%
Local Bar	17	8%
Government	14	6%
Independent or Delegated Regulatory Authority	24	11%
Mixed or shared responsibility	8	4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Who disciplines lawyers?

Table 3 shows the predominant disciplinary authority for handling of complaints about lawyer discipline at first instance. Although the courts are not often the first port of call for lawyer discipline, in many jurisdictions they are involved at some stage of the process but this is not shown in the table below.

**Table 3: Lawyer Disciplinary Authorities**

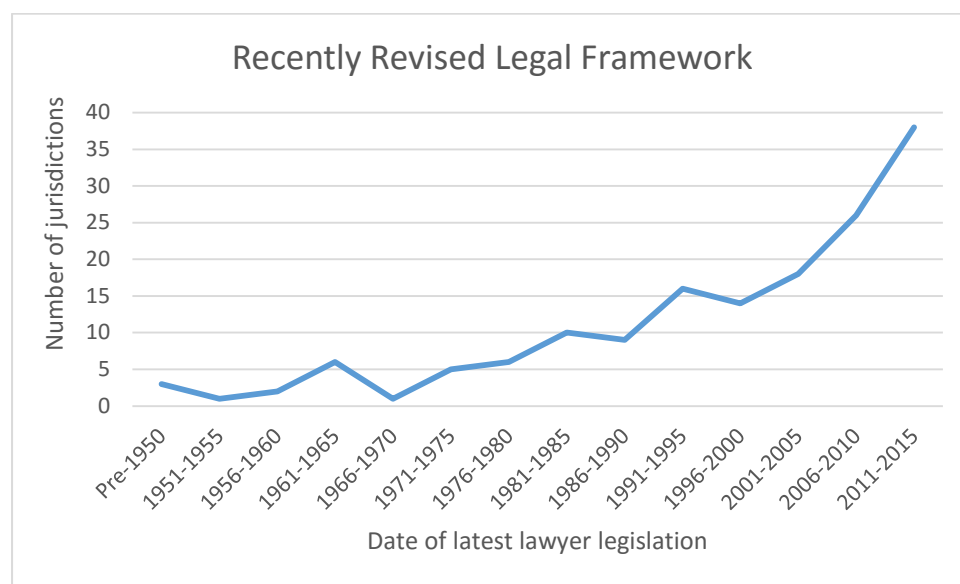
Predominant disciplinary authority	Number	Percentage
Court	27	12%
National Bar	100	46%
Local Bar	16	7%
Government	13	6%
Independent or Delegated Regulatory Authority	51	24%
Mixed or shared responsibility	9	4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>217</b>	

Although Bars (national and local) are responsible for discipline in the majority of jurisdictions covered, there are a significant number of independent authorities who are also involved.

## Are there any evident trends in regulation?

There are a number of interesting trends which appear from the evidence collected:

- Lawyer legislation is being reviewed and updated at a quickening pace. 27% of all of the jurisdictions with legislation in force to govern legal practice have revised or introduced new legislation in the past five years.
- However 47% of jurisdictions have legislation in force that predates the millennium and 3% have pre-1950 legislation. Around a quarter of those with pre-2000 legislation still in force are African jurisdictions and the majority are developing or emerging jurisdictions.



There have been a number of themes in the new legislation that has been introduced:

- A shift towards national systems of regulation away from decentralised local regulation (e.g. Netherlands, South Africa)
- A shift towards greater harmonisation in federal systems (e.g. Canada and Australia).
- A shift to greater openness to foreign lawyers (e.g. Malaysia, Israel, Republic of Korea).
- A shift away from exclusive professional body oversight of the complaints and disciplinary system and the introduction of complaints commissioners or separate disciplinary agencies (e.g. Ireland, Northern Ireland, Queensland, Victoria and New South Wales in Australia).
- This accompanies another theme in lawyer regulation which is towards the greater isolation of regulation from professional representation. Where this is being done it tends either to take the form of ringfenced regulatory arrangements under the auspices of the Bar or Law Society

(e.g. Netherlands) but there are examples of jurisdictions in which there has been a conscious separation of regulatory and representational responsibilities into different legal entities (e.g. Denmark, Canada).

- Where the profession was split between barristers and solicitors (e.g. former British colonies) or into multiple professions (e.g. France) it has increasingly been fused.
- On the other hand some jurisdictions have introduced new ‘stepping stone’ professions e.g. Romania, Poland, Washington State or are regulating paralegals alongside lawyers (e.g. Ontario, Scotland)
- There has been a move towards national legislation removing limitations on practice by lawyers from elsewhere in the country in different court districts (e.g. Greece). There are now few places where separate, non-federal jurisdictions have barriers to practise imposed at a sub-national level (i.e. prevent lawyers from the same country to practise outside their local jurisdiction). Nonetheless echoes of these restrictions still remain in the treatment for example of law firms, which are stymied by rules that assume a lawyer can only have one practising address
- A trend towards the professionalization of lawyer regulation with the creation of more specialist agencies (e.g. the Legal Services Regulation Authority in Singapore).

On the other hand, there is little evidence that lawyer regulation is shifting from its traditional focus on individual practitioners and their conduct. Although some jurisdictions are paying more attention to the vehicles through which lawyers work (e.g. England and Wales and Singapore), so-called “entity regulation” is still highly unusual and legal services market regulation<sup>4</sup> even rarer. In Canada, however, greater attention is being paid to this regulatory approach. In Nova Scotia, “entity regulation” is being implemented and it is being studied in a number of other Canadian provinces.

Moreover, although there also has been some consolidation in regulators, the number of separate bodies involved in lawyer regulation remains very high in some jurisdictions, with tens and sometimes hundreds of local bars engaged in monitoring lawyer conduct and issuing practising certificates. Overall, nearly 1200 separate bodies are involved in the regulation of lawyers in the 232 jurisdictions reviewed. This staggering number raises important questions about capacity, particularly in the light of the growing number of functions which lawyer regulators are being called on to perform, as well as consistency of approach.

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<sup>4</sup> Market regulation means a focus on supply and demand and hence levels of competition within the defined market



## ALBANIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Albania
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avokat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Albanian National Chamber of Advocacy (Dhoma Kombetare e Avokatis-DHKA); The National Chamber of Advocacy and the Ministry of Justice shall keep a register of all the lawyers and administer the respective documentation that is related to the right to exercise the profession of the lawyer.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.dhka.org.al/">http://www.dhka.org.al/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Albanian National Chamber of Advocacy and Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.drejtesia.gov.al/">http://www.drejtesia.gov.al/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Complaints Commissioner and Disciplinary Committee at National Chamber of Advocacy
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.dhka.org.al/">http://www.dhka.org.al/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.drejtesia.gov.al/">http://www.drejtesia.gov.al/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law No 9101, dated 17 July 2003 "On profession of lawyer in the Republic of Albania" as amended by Law No. 9795 (2007) Law No. 10047 (2008) and Law no 91/2012.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.eurallius.eu/en/library/albanian-legislation/send/22-legal-profession/87-law-on-legal-profession-en">http://www.eurallius.eu/en/library/albanian-legislation/send/22-legal-profession/87-law-on-legal-profession-en</a>

## ANGOLA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Angola
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ordem dos Advogados
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oaang.org/">http://www.oaang.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ordem dos Advogados
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oaang.org/">http://www.oaang.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ordem dos Advogados
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oaang.org/">http://www.oaang.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law No. 1/95 of 6 January 1995

\*Information not officially verified

## ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Antigua and Barbuda
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Registrar of the Supreme Court of the Judicature of Antigua and Barbuda, the Attorney General of Antigua and Barbuda and the Antigua and Barbuda Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:hctanu@candw.ag">hctanu@candw.ag</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Antigua and Barbuda Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecsbar.org">www.oecsbar.org</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary committee of the Antigua and Barbuda Bar Association and the Supreme Court of the Judicature of Antigua and the OECS Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/">http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.eccourts.org/">http://www.eccourts.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 2008
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://laws.gov.ag/acts/2008/a2008-22.pdf">http://laws.gov.ag/acts/2008/a2008-22.pdf</a>

\*Information not officially verified

## ARGENTINA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Argentina
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Lawyers are admitted by their local provincial Colegio (Bar Association). In some jurisdictions e.g. Province of Buenos Aires there are several Bar Associations since the province is divided by the law in different departments, however they are allowed to practice in the whole province. In the City of Buenos Aires the admission is carried out by the Bar Association which is the "Colegio Público de la Capital Federal" created by Law No. 23,187 (the "CPACF"). There are 82 Bar Associations in Argentina - for full list see the Federacion Argentina de Colegios de Abogados (Federation of Bars of Argentina)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.faca.org.ar/">http://www.faca.org.ar/</a> <a href="http://www.cpacf.org">http://www.cpacf.org</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	In the City of Buenos Aires it is carried out by the CPACF. It applies its own Code of Ethics issued by its legislative body "Asamblea de Delegados" on April 15th, 1987. It also applies Law 23,187 which also contains rules regarding legal practice, and Internal Rules ("Reglamento Interno") issued by the legislative body of the CPACF "Asamblea de Delegados" on December 16th, 1986
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cpacf.org">http://www.cpacf.org</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Each Bar Association is responsible for disciplining its own lawyers. Within the CPACF it exist a Disciplinary Court ("Tribunal de Disciplina").
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cpacf.org/inst_td.php">http://www.cpacf.org/inst_td.php</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law No. 23,187. Code of Ethics issued by the legislative body of the CPACF "Asamblea de Delegados" on April 15th, 1987. Internal Rules ("Reglamento Interno") issued by the legislative body of the CPACF "Asamblea de Delegados" on December 16th, 1986.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cpacf.org/inst_ley_23187.php">http://www.cpacf.org/inst_ley_23187.php</a> <a href="http://www.cpacf.org/inst_codigo_etica.php">http://www.cpacf.org/inst_codigo_etica.php</a> <a href="http://www.cpacf.org/inst_reg_int.php">http://www.cpacf.org/inst_reg_int.php</a>

## ARMENIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Armenia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Qualification Commission of the Chamber of Advocates ("Pastabanneri Palat").
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advocates.am/">http://www.advocates.am/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Chamber of Advocates ("Pastabanneri Palat").
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advocates.am/">http://www.advocates.am/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Board of the Chamber of Advocates ("Pastabanneri Palat Xorhurd")
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advocates.am/">http://www.advocates.am/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Law "On Advocacy" (2004)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advocates.am/en/%D5%AB%D6%80%D5%A1%D5%BE%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%A1%D5%B6-%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%BF%D5%A5%D6%80/%D5%BA%D5%A1%D5%AC%D5%A1%D5%BF%D5%AB-%D5%AB%D6%80%D5%A1%D5%BE%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%A1%D5%B6-%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%BF%D5%A5%D6%80.html">http://www.advocates.am/en/%D5%AB%D6%80%D5%A1%D5%BE%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%A1%D5%B6-%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%BF%D5%A5%D6%80/%D5%BA%D5%A1%D5%AC%D5%A1%D5%BF%D5%AB-%D5%AB%D6%80%D5%A1%D5%BE%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%A1%D5%B6-%D5%A1%D5%AF%D5%BF%D5%A5%D6%80.html</a>

## AUSTRALIA – AUSTRALIA CAPITAL TERRITORY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australian Capital Territory
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, legal practitioner, barrister or counsel, solicitor or attorney, Queens Counsel or Senior Counsel
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Legal Practitioners Admission Board of the Supreme Court of the Australian Capital Territory
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:supreme.court@act.gov.au">supreme.court@act.gov.au</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Australian Capital Territory Law Society makes rules governing solicitors and issues practising certificates and the ACT Bar Association does so for barristers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.actlawsociety.asn.au/">https://www.actlawsociety.asn.au/</a> <a href="https://www.actbar.com.au">https://www.actbar.com.au</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Law Society or the Bar Association investigates complaints about their professionals respectively. The Law Society or the Bar Association may impose sanctions to deal with a complaint summarily for unsatisfactory professional conduct (but not professional misconduct). Unsatisfactory professional conduct complaints may be referred (and professional misconduct complaints must be referred) by the Law Society or Bar Association to the ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal (ACAT) to make disciplinary, compensation and other orders. An order from the ACAT recommending removal from the roll is referred to the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.com.au">http://www.lawsociety.com.au</a> <a href="http://www.actbar.com.au">http://www.actbar.com.au</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Attorney General of Australian Capital Territory
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.com.au">http://www.lawsociety.com.au</a> <a href="http://www.actbar.com.au">http://www.actbar.com.au</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 2006 Legal Profession Regulation 2007 Legal Profession (Barrister) Rules 2006 Legal Profession (Solicitors) Rules 2006
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/act/consol_act/lpa2006179/">http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/act/consol_act/lpa2006179/</a> <a href="http://www.legislation.act.gov.au">http://www.legislation.act.gov.au</a>

## AUSTRALIA – NEW SOUTH WALES

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australia – New South Wales
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, legal practitioner, Australian legal practitioner, barrister, solicitor, counsel, proctor, Queens Counsel or Senior Counsel
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Legal Profession Admission Board Supreme Court of NSW
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lpab.justice.nsw.gov.au/">http://www.lpab.justice.nsw.gov.au/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Practising certificates for solicitors are granted or renewed by the Law Society of New South Wales Practising certificates for barristers are granted or renewed by the New South Wales Bar Association The Law Council of Australia (LCA) develops professional conduct rules, legal practice rules and CPD rules for solicitors The Australian Bar Association (ABA) develops professional conduct rules, legal practice rules and CPD rules for barristers The Legal Services Council makes the professional conduct rules, legal practice rules and CPD rules developed by the LCA and ABA as Legal Profession Uniform Rules.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.com.au/">http://www.lawsociety.com.au/</a> ; <a href="http://www.nswbar.asn.au/">http://www.nswbar.asn.au/</a> <a href="http://www.lawcouncil.asn.au/">http://www.lawcouncil.asn.au/</a> <a href="http://www.austbar.asn.au/">http://www.austbar.asn.au/</a> <a href="http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/">http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The New South Wales Legal Services Commissioner investigates complaints and may make determinations about consumer complaints and disciplinary complaints about unsatisfactory professional conduct (but not professional misconduct) and impose sanctions or order remedies. The Commissioner may delegate the investigation of complaints to the NSW Law Society or NSW Bar Association. Unsatisfactory professional conduct complaints may be referred (and professional misconduct complaints must be referred) to the Civil and Administrative Tribunal of NSW to make disciplinary, compensation and other orders. An order from the NCAT recommending removal from the roll is referred to the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://olsc.nsw.gov.au/">http://olsc.nsw.gov.au/</a> <a href="http://www.lawsociety.com.au/">http://www.lawsociety.com.au/</a> <a href="http://www.nswbar.asn.au/">http://www.nswbar.asn.au/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Commissioner for Uniform Legal Services Regulation Legal Services Council Attorney-General of New South Wales
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/">http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/</a>

## AUSTRALIA – NEW SOUTH WALES (continued)

Primary Legislative Source	Legal Profession Uniform Law
	Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014 (NSW)
	Legal Profession Uniform Admission Rules 2015
	Legal Profession Uniform General Rules 2015
	Legal Profession Uniform Law Australian Solicitors' Conduct Rules 2015
	Legal Profession Uniform Legal Practice (Solicitors) Rules 2015
	Legal Profession Uniform Continuing Professional Development (Solicitors) Rules 2015
	Legal Profession Uniform Conduct (Barristers) Rules 2015
	Legal Profession Uniform Continuing Professional Development (Barristers) Rules 2015
URL	Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014 (NSW)
	<a href="http://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au/maintop/view/inforce/act+112+2004+cd+0+N">http://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au/maintop/view/inforce/act+112+2004+cd+0+N</a>



## AUSTRALIA – NORTHERN TERRITORY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australia – Northern Territory
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, legal practitioner, barrister, solicitor, attorney, counsel, Queens Counsel, Senior Counsel
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Legal Practitioners Admission Board of the Northern Territory Supreme Court of the Northern Territory
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.nt.gov.au/lawyers/index.htm">http://www.supremecourt.nt.gov.au/lawyers/index.htm</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Law Society Northern Territory grants and renews practising certificates, and makes legal profession rules.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietynt.asn.au">http://lawsocietynt.asn.au</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Law Society Northern Territory investigates complaints and may impose a fine or reprimand to deal with a complaint summarily for unsatisfactory professional conduct (but not professional misconduct). Unsatisfactory professional conduct complaints may be referred (and professional misconduct complaints must be referred) by the Law Society to the Legal Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal to make disciplinary, compensation and other orders. An order from the Disciplinary Tribunal recommending removal from the roll is referred to the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietynt.asn.au">http://lawsocietynt.asn.au</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The Law Society Northern Territory Statutory Supervisor (nominally the Solicitor-General) Northern Territory Attorney-General
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietynt.asn.au">http://lawsocietynt.asn.au</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 2006 Legal Profession Regulations
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/nt/consol_act/lpa179/">http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/nt/consol_act/lpa179/</a>

## AUSTRALIA – QUEENSLAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australia – Queensland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister/ Solicitor/ Legal Practitioner/ Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Legal Practitioners Admission Board of Queensland and the Supreme Court of Queensland
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Legal Practitioners Admissions Board Level 2, Law Society House GPO Box 1785 Brisbane QLD 4001 email: admissions@qls.com.au
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Queensland Law Society makes legal profession rules (ie professional conduct and practice rules) for solicitors. The Bar Association of Queensland makes legal profession rules (ie professional conduct and practice rules) for barristers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.qls.com.au/">http://www.qls.com.au/</a> <a href="https://www.qldbar.asn.au/">https://www.qldbar.asn.au/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Queensland Legal Services Commissioner investigates complaints. The Commissioner may refer a complaint to the Queensland Law Society or Bar Association of Queensland for investigation and report The Commissioner may institute disciplinary proceedings before the Legal Practice Committee or the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal. These bodies may make orders imposing sanctions or other remedies. An order from the Tribunal recommending removal from the roll is referred to the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lsc.qld.gov.au/">https://www.lsc.qld.gov.au/</a> <a href="http://www.lpccommittee.qld.gov.au/">http://www.lpccommittee.qld.gov.au/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Attorney-General
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lsc.qld.gov.au/discipline/the-queensland-disciplinary-bodies/lpc">https://www.lsc.qld.gov.au/discipline/the-queensland-disciplinary-bodies/lpc</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 2007
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/tas/consol_act/lpa2007179/">http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/tas/consol_act/lpa2007179/</a>

## AUSTRALIA – SOUTH AUSTRALIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australia – South Australia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister/ Solicitor/ Legal Practitioner/ Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Legal Practitioners Education and Admission Council. Board of Examiners. Supreme Court of South Australia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.sa.gov.au/ForLawyers/Pages/Admissions.aspx">http://www.courts.sa.gov.au/ForLawyers/Pages/Admissions.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Granting or renewing practising certificates is a function of the Supreme Court and performed by the Law Society of South AUstralia. Rules of professional conduct are made by the Law Society of South Australia.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsocietysa.asn.au">http://www.lawsocietysa.asn.au</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Legal Profession Conduct Commissioner and Legal Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lpcc.sa.gov.au/">http://www.lpcc.sa.gov.au/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Act 1981
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.liv.asn.au/For-Lawyers/Regulation/Legal-Profession-Uniform-Laws/Legislation-and-Rules">http://www.liv.asn.au/For-Lawyers/Regulation/Legal-Profession-Uniform-Laws/Legislation-and-Rules</a>

## AUSTRALIA – TASMANIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australia – Tasmania
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, legal practitioner, barrister, solicitor, attorney, counsel, Queens Counsel, Senior Counsel
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Tasmanian Board of Legal Education Supreme Court of Tasmania
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.tas.gov.au/practice_and_procedure/admissions">http://www.supremecourt.tas.gov.au/practice_and_procedure/admissions</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Law Society of Tasmania
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.taslawsociety.asn.au/web/en/lawsociety.html">http://www.taslawsociety.asn.au/web/en/lawsociety.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Legal Professional Board of Tasmania - receives and investigates complaints about lawyers. Disciplinary decisions are made by the Legal Profession (Disciplinary) Tribunal, which can order that a practitioner be removed from the roll.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lpbt.com.au/">http://www.lpbt.com.au/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 2007
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/wa/consol_act/lpa2008179/">http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/wa/consol_act/lpa2008179/</a>

## AUSTRALIA – VICTORIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australia – Victoria
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, legal practitioner, Australian legal practitioner, barrister, solicitor, counsel, proctor, Queens Counsel or Senior Counsel
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Victorian Legal Admissions Board. Supreme Court of Victoria
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawadmissions.vic.gov.au">http://www.lawadmissions.vic.gov.au</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Law Council of Australia (LCA) develops professional conduct rules, legal practice rules and CPD rules for solicitors. The Australian Bar Association (ABA) develops professional conduct rules, legal practice rules and CPD rules for barristers. The Legal Services Council makes the professional conduct rules, legal practice rules and CPD rules developed by the LCA and ABA as Legal Profession Uniform Rules.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lsb.vic.gov.au/">http://www.lsb.vic.gov.au/</a> <a href="http://www.lawcouncil.asn.au/">http://www.lawcouncil.asn.au/</a> <a href="http://www.austbar.asn.au/">http://www.austbar.asn.au/</a> <a href="http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/">http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Legal Services Board of Victoria and the Victoria Civil and Administrative Tribunal. An order from the Disciplinary Tribunal recommending removal from the roll is referred to the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lsb.vic.gov.au/">http://www.lsb.vic.gov.au/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Commissioner for Uniform Legal Services Regulation Legal Services Council Attorney-General of Victoria
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/">http://www.legalservicescouncil.org.au/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Uniform Law; Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014 (Vic); Legal Profession Uniform Admission Rules 2015; Legal Profession Uniform General Rules 2015; Legal Profession Uniform Law Australian Solicitors' Conduct Rules 2015 Legal Profession Uniform Legal Practice (Solicitors) Rules 2015; Legal Profession Uniform Continuing Professional Development (Solicitors) Rules 2015; Legal Profession Uniform Conduct (Barristers) Rules 2015 Legal Profession Uniform Continuing Professional Development (Barristers) Rules 2015; Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014 (NSW)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.liv.asn.au/For-Lawyers/Regulation/Legal-Profession-Uniform-Laws/Legislation-and-Rules">http://www.liv.asn.au/For-Lawyers/Regulation/Legal-Profession-Uniform-Laws/Legislation-and-Rules</a>

## AUSTRALIA – WESTERN AUSTRALIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Australia – Western Australia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister/ Solicitor/ Legal Practitioner/ Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Legal Practice Board of Western Australia. Supreme Court of Western Australia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx">https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Legal Practice Board of Western Australia: <a href="http://www.lpbwa.org.au/">http://www.lpbwa.org.au/</a>
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx">https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Legal Practice Board of Western Australia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx">https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Legal Practice Board of Western Australia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx">https://www.lpbwa.org.au/Home.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 2008
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/wa/consol_act/lpa2008179/">http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/wa/consol_act/lpa2008179/</a>

## AUSTRIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Austria
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Rechtsanwalt - This title does not include patent attorneys, as they are a separate profession.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Registration is carried out by one of the nine local bar associations. Details can be found through the Federal Bar.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.rechtsanwaelte.at/">http://www.rechtsanwaelte.at/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Local bar association. There is one bar association (Rechtsanwaltskammer) in every federal province of Austria. Details of these can be obtained through the website of the Federal Bar ( <a href="http://www.rechtsanwaelte.at/">www.rechtsanwaelte.at</a> )
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.rechtsanwaelte.at/">http://www.rechtsanwaelte.at/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	First Instance: Disciplinary Council of the local Bar Association; Second Instance: Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.rechtsanwaelte.at/">http://www.rechtsanwaelte.at/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The Bar is an independent, autonomous body with regulatory powers to extend as granted by the law. It is under the surveillance of the Ministry of Justice.
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Rechtsanwaltsordnung (RAO) (Legal Profession Act) 24 June 1996
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://web25.liv.aon.at/b414041531/downloads/rao.pdf">http://web25.liv.aon.at/b414041531/downloads/rao.pdf</a>

## BAHRAIN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Bahrain
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Bahraini advocates must be licensed by the Ministry of Justice if they are sole practitioners or head up a partnership of law firm. Other lawyers working for them do not need to be individually licensed by the Ministry of Justice but must have a licence from the MOIC instead
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.bh/">http://www.moj.gov.bh/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.bh/">http://www.moj.gov.bh/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.bh/">http://www.moj.gov.bh/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.bh/">http://www.moj.gov.bh/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Profession Act of 17 January 1981 and the Legal Practice Act 1980
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.bh/en/Print_pfeec.html?printid=965">http://www.moj.gov.bh/en/Print_pfeec.html?printid=965</a>

\*Information not officially verified



## BANGLADESH

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Bangladesh
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Bangladesh Bar Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://bangladeshbarcouncil.org/">http://bangladeshbarcouncil.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Bangladesh Bar Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://bangladeshbarcouncil.org/">http://bangladeshbarcouncil.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Bangladesh Bar Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://bangladeshbarcouncil.org/">http://bangladeshbarcouncil.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Bangladesh Legal Practitioners and Bar Council Order, 1972 (President's Order No. 46 of 1972)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://bdlaws.minlaw.gov.bd/pdf_part.php?id=387">http://bdlaws.minlaw.gov.bd/pdf_part.php?id=387</a>

## BARBADOS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Barbados
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	High Court of Barbados
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barbadoslawcourts.gov.bb">http://www.barbadoslawcourts.gov.bb</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Barbados Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barbadosbarassociation.com/index.cfm">http://barbadosbarassociation.com/index.cfm</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the Barbados Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barbadosbarassociation.com/index.cfm">http://barbadosbarassociation.com/index.cfm</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Judicial Advisory Council and Ministry of Justice
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 1978 CHAPTER 370A
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://barbadosbarassociation.com/components/documents/documents_download.cfm?FileID=5">http://barbadosbarassociation.com/components/documents/documents_download.cfm?FileID=5</a>

## BELGIUM\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Belgium
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat/Avocaat/Rechtsanwalt
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Would be lawyers must take an oath at the local Court of Appeal, register with the local Bar Association and undertake a period of traineeship. Ordre des Barreaux Francophones et Germanophone (OBFG) groups together all the local bars of the French-speaking and German-speaking communities in the country. The Orde van Vlaamse Balies (OVb) is the umbrella organisation for the local bars of the country's Dutch-speaking community.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.avocats.be/">http://www.avocats.be/</a> ; <a href="http://www.advocaat.be/page.aspx?genericid=27">http://www.advocaat.be/page.aspx?genericid=27</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Local Bar Associations are responsible for regulating lawyers in practice. The Ordre des Barreaux Francophones et Germanophone (OBFG) groups together all the local bars of the French-speaking and German-speaking communities in the country. The Orde van Vlaamse Balies (OVb) is the umbrella organisation for the local bars of the country's Dutch-speaking community.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.avocats.be">www.avocats.be</a> <a href="http://www.advocaat.be">www.advocaat.be</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	There are three disciplinary councils which handle the disciplinary matters of the 14 local French and German speaking Bars and three for the Dutch-speaking Bars, and a disciplinary committee of appeal from both the French and Dutch-speaking councils.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	CONSEIL DE DISCIPLINE DU RESSORT DE LA COUR D'APPEL DE BRUXELLES (compétent pour les barreaux de Bruxelles et Nivelles)  CONSEIL DE DISCIPLINE DU RESSORT DE LA COUR D'APPEL DE LIÈGE (compétent pour les barreaux de Arlon, Dinant, Eupen, Huy, Liège, Marche, Namur, Neufchâteau et Verviers)  CONSEIL DE DISCIPLINE DU RESSORT DE LA COUR D'APPEL DE MONS (compétent pour les barreaux de Charleroi, Mons et Tournai)  CONSEIL DE DISCIPLINE D'APPEL
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Belgian Judicial Code Act of 4 July 2001 on the Structure of the Bar
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_belgiquepdf1190362409.pdf">http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_belgiquepdf1190362409.pdf</a>

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## BELIZE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Belize
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	(1) Attorney-at-law (2) Senior Counsel: any attorney of not less than eight years standing who has distinguished himself in the practice of the law.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	(1) Registrar of the Supreme Court of Belize: keeps the list of attorneys-at-law known as the "Roll"; and the Registrar issues Practicing Certificates (2) The Supreme Court of Belize: applications for admission to practice law are made to the Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	(1) Registrar of the Supreme Court No. 1 Treasury Lane Belize City Belize <a href="http://www.belizejudiciary.org/web/judicial-officers-2/registrars/">http://www.belizejudiciary.org/web/judicial-officers-2/registrars/</a> (2) The Supreme Court of Belize No. 1 Treasury Lane Belize City Belize <a href="http://www.belizejudiciary.org/web/supreme-court/">http://www.belizejudiciary.org/web/supreme-court/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	(1) General Legal Council: responsible for establishing, adopting and upholding standards of professional conduct; consisting of the Chief Justice or a judge of the Supreme Court appointed by the Chief Justice, the Attorney General or his nominee, and three attorneys-at-law elected by the Bar Association, of whom two shall be attorneys-at-law of not less than two years standing in the profession, and two attorneys-at-law appointed by the Attorney General; the Chief Justice or a judge of the Supreme Court appointed by the Chief Justice shall be the Chairperson of the Council. (2) The Registrar of the Supreme Court: responsible for issuing Practicing Certificates and reporting Attorneys practising without a certificate to the Chief Justice of Belize.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	(1) The General Legal Council: <a href="http://www.belizebar.bz/general_legal_council.php">http://www.belizebar.bz/general_legal_council.php</a> (2) Registrar of the Supreme Court No. 1 Treasury Lane Belize City Belize <a href="http://www.belizejudiciary.org/web/judicial-officers-2/registrars/">http://www.belizejudiciary.org/web/judicial-officers-2/registrars/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	(1) General Legal Council (2) The Chief Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.belizebar.bz/general_legal_council.php">http://www.belizebar.bz/general_legal_council.php</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The Bar Association of Belize
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.belizebar.bz/">http://www.belizebar.bz/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	(1) Legal Profession Act, Chapter 320, Revised Edition 2000; (2) Caribbean Community (Movement of Factors) (Amendment) Act 2004, Act No. 22 of 2004; (3) Legal Profession (Amendment) Act 2014, Act No. 22 of 2014; and (4) Legal Profession - Subsidiary Laws, Chapter 320, Revised Edition 2003; a. Legal Profession (Practicing Certificate) b. Legal Profession (Code of Conduct) Rules. (Prescribed Fee) Regulations
<b>URL</b>	(1) Legal Profession Act, Revised Edition 2000: <a href="http://www.belizebar.bz/downloads/legal_profession_act_cap320.pdf">http://www.belizebar.bz/downloads/legal_profession_act_cap320.pdf</a> (2) Legal Profession - Subsidiary Laws, Chapter 320, Revised Edition 2003: <a href="http://www.belizebar.org/web/lawadmin/PDF%20files/cap_320s.pdf">http://www.belizebar.org/web/lawadmin/PDF%20files/cap_320s.pdf</a> (3) Caribbean Community (Movement of Factors) (Amendment) Act 2004, Act No. 22 of 2004: <a href="http://www.belizebar.bz/downloads/CCMF_Act.pdf">http://www.belizebar.bz/downloads/CCMF_Act.pdf</a>

## BENIN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Benin
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Barreau du Benin/Conseil de l'ordre
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreaudubenin.fr/">http://www.barreaudubenin.fr/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Barreau du Benin/Conseil de l'ordre
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreaudubenin.fr/">http://www.barreaudubenin.fr/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Barreau du Benin/Conseil de l'ordre
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreaudubenin.fr/">http://www.barreaudubenin.fr/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	La loi du 29 Avril 1965 instituant le barreau béninois, le Règlement Intérieur du barreau ; Le décret du 23 Janvier 1988 portant organisation du Certificat d'Aptitude à la Profession d'avocat (CAPA).

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## BOLIVIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Bolivia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ministry of Justice (mandatory) and one of the 9 correspondent regional Bar Association (optional).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://rpa.justicia.gob.bo/index.php?r=site/page&amp;view=inicio">http://rpa.justicia.gob.bo/index.php?r=site/page&amp;view=inicio</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice and the correspondent regional Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.justicia.gob.bo/#">http://www.justicia.gob.bo/#</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ministry of Justice (National Court of Lawyer Ethics) Bar Associations (Regional Court of Honor)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.justicia.gob.bo/#">http://www.justicia.gob.bo/#</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Colegio Nacional de Abogados de Bolivia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.conalab.org.bo/index.php">http://www.conalab.org.bo/index.php</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Ley del Ejercicio de la Abogacia No. 387 (2013)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://bolivia.infoleyes.com/shownorm.php?id=4478">http://bolivia.infoleyes.com/shownorm.php?id=4478</a>

## BOTSWANA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Botswana
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal practitioner and the titles advocate, attorney, notary or conveyancer may be used. All are covered by the Act. Practice as advocate or attorney is mutually exclusive. Attorneys may become notaries and conveyancers but must pass additional tests to hold that title.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Botswana
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.bw/about.php">http://www.lawsociety.org.bw/about.php</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Botswana
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.bw/about.php">http://www.lawsociety.org.bw/about.php</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Executive Secretary of the Law Society of Botswana
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.bw/council.php">http://www.lawsociety.org.bw/council.php</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Botswana Section 59 of the Legal Practitioners Act
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://static1.1.sqspcdn.com/static/f/723732/25889608/1422112488603/ch61-01+LEGAL+PRACTITIONERS.pdf?token=ovQ8REDNrsM9Hy4ZHEoleHw0iG8%3D">http://static1.1.sqspcdn.com/static/f/723732/25889608/1422112488603/ch61-01+LEGAL+PRACTITIONERS.pdf?token=ovQ8REDNrsM9Hy4ZHEoleHw0iG8%3D</a>

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## BRAZIL

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Brazil
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advogado (lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ordem dos Advogados do Brasil (Brazilian Bar Association) - OAB
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oab.org.br/">http://www.oab.org.br/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Code of Ethics and Discipline of Ordem dos Advogados do Brasil (Brazilian Bar Association) - OAB
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/19/codigo-de-etica-e-disciplina">http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/19/codigo-de-etica-e-disciplina</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Brazilian Bar Association's Disciplinary Action Committee.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oab.org.br/">http://www.oab.org.br/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	- Law No. 8906 of July 4, 1994 (Statute of the Legal Profession and of the Brazilian Bar Association); - General Regulation of the Statute of the Legal Profession and of the Brazilian Bar Association; - Federal Constitution – Related articles; - Code of Ethics and Discipline; - Provisions.
<b>URL</b>	- Law No. 8906 of July 4, 1994 (Statute of the Legal Profession and of the Brazilian Bar Association): <a href="http://www.oab.org.br/Content/pdf/LegislacaoOab/Lei-8906-94-site.pdf">http://www.oab.org.br/Content/pdf/LegislacaoOab/Lei-8906-94-site.pdf</a> - General Regulation of the Statute of the Legal Profession and of the Brazilian Bar Association: <a href="http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/18/regulamento-geral">http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/18/regulamento-geral</a> - Federal Constitution – Related articles: <a href="http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/23/constituicao-federal-dispositivos-aplicaveis">http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/23/constituicao-federal-dispositivos-aplicaveis</a> - Code of Ethics and Discipline: <a href="http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/19/codigo-de-etica-e-disciplina">http://www.oab.org.br/visualizador/19/codigo-de-etica-e-disciplina</a> - Provisions: <a href="http://www.oab.org.br/leisnormas/pesquisalegislaao">http://www.oab.org.br/leisnormas/pesquisalegislaao</a>



## BRUNEI

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Brunei Darussalam
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Attorney General of the Law Building Bandar Seri Begawan and the Chief Justice.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.agc.gov.bn/Theme/Home.aspx">http://www.agc.gov.bn/Theme/Home.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Attorney General
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The Law Building Bandar Seri Begawan BA 1910, Brunei Darussalam Telephone: (673) 223 1200 or (673) 224 4872. <a href="http://www.agc.gov.bn/">http://www.agc.gov.bn/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Attorney General of the Law Building Bandar Seri Begawan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The Law Building Bandar Seri Begawan BA 1910, Brunei Darussalam Telephone: (673) 223 1200 or (673) 224 4872. <a href="http://www.agc.gov.bn/">http://www.agc.gov.bn/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Brunei Darussalam Legal Profession Act (CAP.132 of Laws of Brunei). 1983, revised 2006
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.trusts.it/admincp/UploadedPDF/201111151714080.sBRU_LegalProfessionAct.pdf">http://www.trusts.it/admincp/UploadedPDF/201111151714080.sBRU_LegalProfessionAct.pdf</a>

## BULGARIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Bulgaria
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Адвокати (advocate)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Local Bar Associations admit lawyers. An EU lawyer may practice in Bulgaria upon entry into the Unified register of the foreign lawyers kept by the Supreme Bar Council. The Supreme Bar Council hears appeals from decisions of the local bars.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.vas.bg/en/">http://www.vas.bg/en/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Local Bars (27 in total) carry out day to day regulation and keep the lists of the practicing lawyers, junior lawyers, lawyer's associates, lawyers associations and partnerships. The Supreme Bar Council is entrusted with the overall regulation of the practice by adopting certain legal acts, hearing appeals against decisions of the local bars and their bodies, maintaining the list of all practising lawyers, junior lawyers, lawyer's associates, lawyers associations and partnerships in Bulgaria, and the register of offices in which they work, as well as the list of the foreign lawyers admitted to practice in Bulgaria.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.vas.bg/en/">http://www.vas.bg/en/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Local bars and their respective disciplinary councils take disciplinary decisions and the Supreme Bar Council hears appeals of those decisions.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.vas.bg/en/">http://www.vas.bg/en/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Bulgarian Bar Act 2004; Attorneys' Ethics Code 2005; Regulation on the Bar Admission Exams for Lawyers and Junior Lawyers 2004; Legal Aid Act 2006; Regulation on the Education and Qualification of the Lawyers 2006

## BURKINA FASO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Burkina Faso
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat/Avocat honoraire
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Burkina Faso
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-bf.org/">http://barreau-bf.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Burkina Faso
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-bf.org/">http://barreau-bf.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Burkina Faso
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-bf.org/">http://barreau-bf.org/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Les procureurs généraux près les cours d'appel, La juridiction d'appel paritaire ; Le premier président de la cour d'appel, La conférence des barreaux
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-bf.org/">http://barreau-bf.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi 2000-016 du 23 mai portant réglementation de la profession d'Avocat au Burkina et le Décret N°2000-426/PRES/PM/MJ du 13 septembre 2000 Règlement n°05/CM/UEMOA relatif à l'harmonisation des règles régissant la profession d'avocat dans l'espace UEMOA
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legiburkina.bf">www.legiburkina.bf</a>

## BURUNDI

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Burundi
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat (Lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Burundi Bar Association and the Court of Appeal
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:cea.barreau.burundi@gmail.com">cea.barreau.burundi@gmail.com</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Batonnier and the Council of the Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:cea.barreau.burundi@gmail.com">cea.barreau.burundi@gmail.com</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Batonnier and the Council of the Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:cea.barreau.burundi@gmail.com">cea.barreau.burundi@gmail.com</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	La loi sur la profession d'Avocat (LOI No. 1/014 du 29 novembre 2002 PORTANT REFORME DU STATUT DE LA PROFESSION D'AVOCAT); Reglement D'Ordre Interieur de L'Ordre des Avocats du Burundi.

## CAMBODIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Cambodia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	មេធាវី (Lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Bar Association of the Kingdom of Cambodia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bakc.org.kh/km/lawyer-membership">http://www.bakc.org.kh/km/lawyer-membership</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Bar Association of the Kingdom of Cambodia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bakc.org.kh">www.bakc.org.kh</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Bar Association of the Kingdom of Cambodia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bakc.org.kh">www.bakc.org.kh</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	
<b>Contact/URL</b>	
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law on Statute for Lawyers 1995
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bakc.org.kh/Legal_Instrument/Lawyer/Law_006_0895_KH.pdf">http://www.bakc.org.kh/Legal_Instrument/Lawyer/Law_006_0895_KH.pdf</a>

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## CAMEROON\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	The order is divided into regions but all lawyers have rights throughout the country
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	l'Ordre des Avocats au Barreau du Cameroun
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreaucameroun.org">http://www.barreaucameroun.org</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	l'Ordre des Avocats au Barreau du Cameroun
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreaucameroun.org">http://www.barreaucameroun.org</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	l'Ordre des Avocats au Barreau du Cameroun
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreaucameroun.org">http://www.barreaucameroun.org</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	
<b>Contact/URL</b>	
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	ORGANISATION DE LA PROFESSION D'AVOCAT Loi N° 90/059 DU 19 DECEMBRE 1990
<b>URL</b>	

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## CANADA – ALBERTA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada - Alberta
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Alberta
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety.ab.ca/membership/overview.aspx">http://lawsociety.ab.ca/membership/overview.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Alberta
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety.ab.ca/lawyer_regulation/overview.aspx">http://lawsociety.ab.ca/lawyer_regulation/overview.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Alberta
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/lawyer_regulation/complaints.aspx">http://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/lawyer_regulation/complaints.aspx</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Profession Act: 2000, 2013
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/lawyers/regulations/lpa.aspx">http://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/lawyers/regulations/lpa.aspx</a>

## CANADA – BRITISH COLUMBIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – British Columbia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, Barrister, Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of British Columbia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/page.cfm?cid=41&amp;t=Becoming-a-Lawyer-in-BC">https://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/page.cfm?cid=41&amp;t=Becoming-a-Lawyer-in-BC</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of British Columbia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/">https://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of British Columbia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/page.cfm?cid=42&amp;t=Complaints-and-Discipline">https://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/page.cfm?cid=42&amp;t=Complaints-and-Discipline</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act: 1998, revised 2016
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/page.cfm?cid=694&amp;t=Legal-Profession-Act-Contents">http://www.lawsociety.bc.ca/page.cfm?cid=694&amp;t=Legal-Profession-Act-Contents</a>



## CANADA – MANITOBA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Manitoba
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, Barrister, Solicitor, Attorney-at-law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Manitoba
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.mb.ca/forms/admission">http://www.lawsociety.mb.ca/forms/admission</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Manitoba
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.mb.ca/lawyer-regulation">http://www.lawsociety.mb.ca/lawyer-regulation</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Manitoba
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.mb.ca/lawyer-regulation">http://www.lawsociety.mb.ca/lawyer-regulation</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act: 2002
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/statutes/ccsm/l107e.php">http://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/statutes/ccsm/l107e.php</a>

## CANADA – NEW BRUNSWICK

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – New Brunswick
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of New Brunswick
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/becoming-a-lawyer/">http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/becoming-a-lawyer/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of New Brunswick
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/regulation/acts-and-rules/">http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/regulation/acts-and-rules/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of New Brunswick
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/for-lawyers/discipline/">http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/for-lawyers/discipline/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law Society Act 1996,
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/regulation/acts-and-rules/">http://lawsociety-barreau.nb.ca/en/regulation/acts-and-rules/</a>

## CANADA – NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Newfoundland and Labrador
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Newfoundland & Labrador
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.nf.ca/admission-to-profession/">http://www.lawsociety.nf.ca/admission-to-profession/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Newfoundland & Labrador
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.nf.ca/lawyers/lawyer-regulation/">http://www.lawsociety.nf.ca/lawyers/lawyer-regulation/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Newfoundland & Labrador
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.nf.ca/public/discipline/">http://www.lawsociety.nf.ca/public/discipline/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law Society Act 1999:
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.assembly.nl.ca/legislation/sr/statutes/l09-1.htm">http://www.assembly.nl.ca/legislation/sr/statutes/l09-1.htm</a>

## CANADA – NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Northwest Territories
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Northwest Territories
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.nt.ca/membership/">http://www.lawsociety.nt.ca/membership/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of the Northwest Territories
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.nt.ca/regulation/">http://www.lawsociety.nt.ca/regulation/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of the Northwest Territories
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.nt.ca/regulation/discipline-proceedings-notices/">http://www.lawsociety.nt.ca/regulation/discipline-proceedings-notices/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Profession Act:
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.justice.gov.nt.ca/en/files/legislation/legal-profession/legal-profession.a.pdf">https://www.justice.gov.nt.ca/en/files/legislation/legal-profession/legal-profession.a.pdf</a>

## CANADA – NOVA SCOTIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Nova Scotia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, barrister, barrister-at-law, attorney-at-law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Nova Scotia Barristers' Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://nsbs.org/become_a_lawyer">http://nsbs.org/become_a_lawyer</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Nova Scotia Barristers' Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://nsbs.org/regulation">http://nsbs.org/regulation</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Nova Scotia Barristers' Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://nsbs.org/complaint-process">http://nsbs.org/complaint-process</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act: 2004, 2010
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://nsbs.org/sites/default/files/cms/menu-pdf/legalprofessionact.pdf">http://nsbs.org/sites/default/files/cms/menu-pdf/legalprofessionact.pdf</a>

## CANADA - NUNAVUT

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Nunavut
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Nunavut
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety.nu.ca/">http://lawsociety.nu.ca/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Nunavut
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety.nu.ca/">http://lawsociety.nu.ca/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Nunavut
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsociety.nu.ca/">http://lawsociety.nu.ca/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Profession Act of Nunavut: 2013
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.canlii.org/en/nu/laws/stat/rsnwt-nu-1988-c-l-2/latest/rsnwt-nu-1988-c-l-2.html">http://www.canlii.org/en/nu/laws/stat/rsnwt-nu-1988-c-l-2/latest/rsnwt-nu-1988-c-l-2.html</a>

## CANADA - ONTARIO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Ontario
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Upper Canada
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lsuc.on.ca/licensingprocesslawyer/">http://www.lsuc.on.ca/licensingprocesslawyer/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Upper Canada
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lsuc.on.ca/lawyer-conduct-rules/">http://www.lsuc.on.ca/lawyer-conduct-rules/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Upper Canada
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lsuc.on.ca/complaints/">http://www.lsuc.on.ca/complaints/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act: 1990, 2014
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/html/statutes/english/elaws_statutes_90l08_e.htm">http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/html/statutes/english/elaws_statutes_90l08_e.htm</a>

## CANADA – PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Prince Edward Island
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister, solicitor and attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Prince Edward Island
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietypei.ca/admission-to-the-law-society">http://lawsocietypei.ca/admission-to-the-law-society</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Law Society of Prince Edward Island
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietypei.ca/regulation">http://lawsocietypei.ca/regulation</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Law Society of Prince Edward Island
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietypei.ca/complaints-and-discipline">http://lawsocietypei.ca/complaints-and-discipline</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act (as amended 2015)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gov.pe.ca/law/statutes/pdf/l-06_1.pdf">http://www.gov.pe.ca/law/statutes/pdf/l-06_1.pdf</a>



## CANADA - QUÉBEC

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Québec
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat, lawyer notaire, notary
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Barreau du Québec Chambre des notaires du Québec
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau.qc.ca/en/devenir-avocat/">http://www.barreau.qc.ca/en/devenir-avocat/</a> <a href="http://www.cnq.org/fr/devenir-notaire.html">http://www.cnq.org/fr/devenir-notaire.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Barreau de Québec Chambre des notaires du Québec
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau.qc.ca/en/barreau/lois-reglements/">http://www.barreau.qc.ca/en/barreau/lois-reglements/</a> <a href="http://www.cnq.org/">http://www.cnq.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Barreau de Québec Chambre des notaires du Québec
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau.qc.ca/en/avocats/deontologie/">http://www.barreau.qc.ca/en/avocats/deontologie/</a> <a href="http://www.cnq.org/">http://www.cnq.org/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi sur le Barreau, <i>Décret 29-2016 du 28 janvier 2016</i>
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.canlii.org/en/qc/laws/stat/cqlr-c-n-3/latest/cqlr-c-n-3.html">http://www.canlii.org/en/qc/laws/stat/cqlr-c-n-3/latest/cqlr-c-n-3.html</a>

## CANADA - SASKATCHEWAN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Saskatchewan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	barrister, solicitor, barrister and solicitor, lawyer, attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Saskatchewan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.sk.ca/for-lawyers-and-students/becoming-a-lawyer-in-saskatchewan.aspx">http://www.lawsociety.sk.ca/for-lawyers-and-students/becoming-a-lawyer-in-saskatchewan.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Saskatchewan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.sk.ca/lawyer-regulation.aspx">http://www.lawsociety.sk.ca/lawyer-regulation.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Saskatchewan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.sk.ca/lawyer-regulation/disciplinary-process.aspx">http://www.lawsociety.sk.ca/lawyer-regulation/disciplinary-process.aspx</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law Society Act: 1990, 2014
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.publications.gov.sk.ca/details.cfm?p=593">http://www.publications.gov.sk.ca/details.cfm?p=593</a>

## CANADA - YUKON

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Canada – Yukon
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister and Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Yukon
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/">http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Yukon
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/">http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Yukon
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/discipline.php">http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/discipline.php</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federation of Law Societies of Canada - acts as the coordinating body of the provincial law societies at national level and supports the development of national standards
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://flsc.ca/">http://flsc.ca/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act: 2004
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/act.php">http://www.lawsocietyyukon.com/act.php</a>

## CAPE VERDE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Cape Verde
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advogado (lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Superior Council (Conselho Superior) of the Cape Verde Bar Association (Ordem dos Advogados de Cabo Verde) is responsible for the regulations and general organization and orientation of the internship (estágio).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oacv.cv">www.oacv.cv</a> <a href="http://www.caboverde.ao.pt/">www.caboverde.ao.pt/</a> Address: Rua Serpa Pinto, 9 – 3.º Plateau, C.P. 782 Cabo Verde Telephone: 00238 2619755 /56 Fax: 00238 2619754 E-Mail: <a href="mailto:ordemadvogados@cvtelecom.cv">ordemadvogados@cvtelecom.cv</a> / <a href="mailto:arnaldopsilva@cvtelecom.cv">arnaldopsilva@cvtelecom.cv</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The National Council (Conselho Nacional) of the Cape Verde Bar Association (Ordem dos Advogados de Cabo Verde) is responsible for approving the Code of Conduct for Lawyers (Código Deontológico dos Advogados) and the Board of Ethics and Discipline (Conselho de Deontologia e Disciplina) is responsible for ensuring compliance on the part of lawyers and trainee lawyers of ethics and standards of professional ethics.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oacv.cv">www.oacv.cv</a> <a href="http://www.caboverde.ao.pt/">www.caboverde.ao.pt/</a> Address: Rua Serpa Pinto, 9 – 3.º Plateau, C.P. 782 Cabo Verde Telephone: 00238 2619755 /56 Fax: 00238 2619754 E-Mail: <a href="mailto:ordemadvogados@cvtelecom.cv">ordemadvogados@cvtelecom.cv</a> / <a href="mailto:arnaldopsilva@cvtelecom.cv">arnaldopsilva@cvtelecom.cv</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Board of Ethics and Discipline (Conselho de Deontologia e Disciplina) of the Cape Verde Bar Association (Ordem dos Advogados de Cabo Verde) is responsible for taking disciplinary actions.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oacv.cv">www.oacv.cv</a> <a href="http://www.caboverde.ao.pt/">www.caboverde.ao.pt/</a> Address: Rua Serpa Pinto, 9 – 3.º Plateau, C.P. 782 Cabo Verde Telephone: 00238 2619755 /56 Fax: 00238 2619754 E-Mail: <a href="mailto:ordemadvogados@cvtelecom.cv">ordemadvogados@cvtelecom.cv</a> / <a href="mailto:arnaldopsilva@cvtelecom.cv">arnaldopsilva@cvtelecom.cv</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law No. 91/VI/2006, of 9 January 2006
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.caboverde.ao.pt/estatuto.htm">http://www.caboverde.ao.pt/estatuto.htm</a>

## CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Central African Republic
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats de la République Centrafricaine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats de la République Centrafricaine BP 2985 Bangui Centrafrique Tel. 00 236 21 61 24 16 Facsimile. 00 236 61 77 73/ 61 35 61 <a href="mailto:sbalemby@hotmail.com">sbalemby@hotmail.com</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats de la République Centrafricaine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats de la République Centrafricaine BP 2985 Bangui Centrafrique Tel. 00 236 21 61 24 16 Facsimile. 00 236 61 77 73/ 61 35 61 <a href="mailto:sbalemby@hotmail.com">sbalemby@hotmail.com</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats de la République Centrafricaine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats de la République Centrafricaine BP 2985 Bangui Centrafrique Tel. 00 236 21 61 24 16 Facsimile. 00 236 61 77 73/ 61 35 61 <a href="mailto:sbalemby@hotmail.com">sbalemby@hotmail.com</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi no. 10.006 du 26 Juin 2010 portant statut de la profession des Avocats en République Centrafricaine

## CHILE\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Chile
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a (attorney/lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Corte Suprema/Supreme Court is charged with granting licenses to practice law in Chile.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pjud.cl/corte-suprema">http://www.pjud.cl/corte-suprema</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Corte Suprema/Supreme Court is charged with granting licenses to practice law in Chile.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pjud.cl/corte-suprema">http://www.pjud.cl/corte-suprema</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	
<b>Contact/URL</b>	
<b>Other Bodies</b>	
<b>Contact/URL</b>	
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	
<b>URL</b>	

\*Information not officially verified

## CHINA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	China, People's Republic of
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The judicial administration department of the people's government of a province, autonomous region or municipality directly under the Central Government shall issue the licenses to the eligible applicants.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.cn/">http://www.moj.gov.cn/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	All-China Lawyers Association and the lawyer's local association.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.acla.org.cn/">http://www.acla.org.cn/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The judicial administration department of the people's government of a province, autonomous region or municipality directly under the Central Government shall issue any disciplinary warnings or actions.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.cn/">http://www.moj.gov.cn/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice of PRC
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.cn/">http://www.moj.gov.cn/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Order No. 64 of the President of the People's Republic of China - Lawyers Law (2012)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawinfochina.com/display.aspx?lib=law&amp;id=12576&amp;CGid=">http://www.lawinfochina.com/display.aspx?lib=law&amp;id=12576&amp;CGid=</a>

\*Information not officially verified

## COLOMBIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Colombia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a (attorney)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The "Consejo Superior de la Judicatura" is the national authority in charge of issuing licenses for individual lawyers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ramajudicial.gov.co/">https://www.ramajudicial.gov.co/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Consejo Superior de la Judicatura
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ramajudicial.gov.co/">https://www.ramajudicial.gov.co/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Consejo Superior de la Judicatura
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ramajudicial.gov.co/">https://www.ramajudicial.gov.co/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Decree 196 of 1971 (Statute for the Practice of Law) Decree 1137 of 1971 (This Decree regulates some provisions of Decree 196 of 1971) Law 1123 of 2007 (Disciplinary Code of the Legal Profession)



## CONGO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Congo, Republic of
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre National des Avocats du Congo Barreau de Brazzaville
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre National des Avocats du Congo BP 1974 Brazzaville Tel. 00 242 520 17 10 /551 03 14 Facsimile. 00 235 89 02 64 /515 51 17
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	le Conseil de l'Ordre National des Avocats du Congo Barreau de Brazzaville
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre National des Avocats du Congo BP 1974 Brazzaville Tel. 00 242 520 17 10 /551 03 14 Facsimile. 00 235 89 02 64 /515 51 17
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	le Conseil de l'Ordre National des Avocats du Congo Barreau de Brazzaville
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre National des Avocats du Congo BP 1974 Brazzaville Tel. 00 242 520 17 10 /551 03 14 Facsimile. 00 235 89 02 64 /515 51 17
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi 026-92 du 20 août 1992 portant organisation de la profession d'avocat
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cesbc.org/congo/Lois/Loi%20026-92.pdf">http://www.cesbc.org/congo/Lois/Loi%20026-92.pdf</a>

## DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Congo, Democratic Republic of
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer titles: - Avocat or advocates in English (must hold at least a degree from a faculty of law after 5 year study): can appear in all kind of court: local court, High court, Court of appeal and supreme court. They have jurisdiction all over the country. - Défenseur judiciaire (must hold a master in law, 3 year study): can appear at local and high court only in a restricted area, in a specific jurisdiction.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Regulator of admission: - for the advocates, the regulator of admission is "Conseil de l'ordre". The "Conseil de l'ordre" is supervised by the president called "Bâtonnier". This is composed of several commissions among them "admission commission". Once the admission commission has finish to investigate on a candidate, his/her file is transmitted to the Attorney General for his advice. If there is nothing wrong with him/her, the candidate will be admitted.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Contact/URL: all communications addressed to the DRC Bar Association must be submitted to The Bâtonnier National, who will direct them to the concerned commission for treatment (art. 49, organic law on the legal profession). If directed to a provincial bar association, they must be addressed to the "Bâtonnier". For national bar association (DRC Bar association) the URL is: <a href="http://www.onardc.org">http://www.onardc.org</a> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Ordre-National-des-Avocats-de-la-RDC267913106661686">https://www.facebook.com/Ordre-National-des-Avocats-de-la-RDC267913106661686</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Regulator(s) of Practice: Conseil national de l'Ordre, with the specific commission. Although decisions are taken in a plenary session of the council. The national council edict a rules framework for all lawyers and bar associations. Each provincial bar association is able to elaborate a code of conduct according to the rules framework. A disciplinary decision taken by a provincial bar association is appealable at the national level. No one other judiciary authority can interfere in this.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreaudelagombe.cd/">http://www.barreaudelagombe.cd/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Bâtonnier who closely work with the Disciplinary commission. Although, all council members are concerned (conseil de l'ordre).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Contact person: Bâtonnier national ( cno_cd@yahoo.fr; onavocatsrdc@gmail.com; private:kambamutu@gmail.com; <a href="mailto:kambamutu@hotmail.com">kambamutu@hotmail.com</a> ).
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Conférence des Bâtonniers : this is an experience sharing platform for bar leaders.
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Ordonnance-loi n° 70-028 du 28/09/1979 portant organisation du barreau, du corps des défenseurs judiciaires et des mandataires de l'Etat.
<b>URL</b>	journalofficiel.cd - global legal information network (glingov.cd) - leganet.cd

## COSTA RICA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Costa Rica
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a / Notario
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Bar Association of Costa Rica issues licences to individuals.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.abogados.or.cr/">http://www.abogados.or.cr/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Bar Association of Costa Rica
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.abogados.or.cr/">http://www.abogados.or.cr/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Bar Association of Costa Rica
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.abogados.or.cr/">http://www.abogados.or.cr/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Dirección Nacional de Notariado is involved in the regulation of Notaries (Notarios).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.dnn.go.cr/">http://www.dnn.go.cr/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Ley Orgánica del Colegio de Abogados No. 13 de 28 de octubre de 1941; Código Notarial Ley 7764
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.asamblea.go.cr/Centro_de_informacion/Servicios_Parlamentarios/Leyes%20actualizadas/13.pdf">http://www.asamblea.go.cr/Centro_de_informacion/Servicios_Parlamentarios/Leyes%20actualizadas/13.pdf</a>

## COTE D'IVOIRE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Cote d'Ivoire
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	The "Avocat" (lawyer/barrister) and "Conseil juridique" (legal counselor). While both professionals are entitled to give legal advice, only "avocats" have the right to appear in court.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats de Cote d'Ivoire
<b>Contact/URL</b>	info@ordredesavocats.ci (225) 20216364 <a href="http://www.ordredesavocats.ci/">http://www.ordredesavocats.ci/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Conseil de L'Ordre des Avocats de Cote d'Ivoire; Commission de l'Union Economique et Monétaire Ouest Africaine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	info@ordredesavocats.ci (225) 20216364 <a href="http://www.ordredesavocats.ci/">http://www.ordredesavocats.ci/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Conseil de Discipline du Conseil de L'Ordre des Avocats de Cote d'Ivoire
<b>Contact/URL</b>	info@ordredesavocats.ci (225) 20216364 <a href="http://www.ordredesavocats.ci/">http://www.ordredesavocats.ci/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Conseil des Ministres chargés de la Justice de la Commission de l'Union Economique et Monétaire Ouest Africaine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.uemoa.int">www.uemoa.int</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Règlement N°5/CM/UEMOA relatif à l'harmonisation des règles régissant la profession d'avocat dans l'espace UEMOA du 25 Loi N°81-588 du 27 juillet 1981, reglementant la profession septembre 2014 d'avocat
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.loidici.com/Statutavocat/statutsavocatsdiverses.php">http://www.loidici.com/Statutavocat/statutsavocatsdiverses.php</a>

## CROATIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Croatia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Odvjetnik/odvjetnica (lawyer/attorney)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Croatian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.hok-cba.hr/en/node/44">http://www.hok-cba.hr/en/node/44</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Both lists of individual lawyers admitted to practice in Croatia and legally established law firms are maintained by the Croatian Bar Association.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.hok-cba.hr/en/node/44">http://www.hok-cba.hr/en/node/44</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Croatian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.hok-cba.hr/en/node/44">http://www.hok-cba.hr/en/node/44</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law on the Legal Profession (Zakon o odvjetništvu, Official Gazette "Narodne novine" No. 9/94, dated January 27, 1994 and No. 117 dated October 13, 2008
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.hok-cba.hr/sites/default/files/zakon_o_odvjetnistvu.pdf">http://www.hok-cba.hr/sites/default/files/zakon_o_odvjetnistvu.pdf</a>

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## CUBA\*

Legal Jurisdiction	Cuba
Lawyer Title(s)	Abogado
Regulator(s) of Admission	Organizacion Nacional de Bufetes Colectivos
Contact/URL	<a href="http://www.ecured.cu/index.php/Organizaci%C3%B3n_Nacional_de_Bufetes_Colectivos#Ejercicio_y_C.C3.B3digo_de_.C3.89tica">http://www.ecured.cu/index.php/Organizaci%C3%B3n_Nacional_de_Bufetes_Colectivos#Ejercicio_y_C.C3.B3digo_de_.C3.89tica</a>
Regulator(s) of Practice	Organizacion Nacional de Bufetes Colectivos
Contact/URL	<a href="http://www.ecured.cu/index.php/Organizaci%C3%B3n_Nacional_de_Bufetes_Colectivos#Ejercicio_y_C.C3.B3digo_de_.C3.89tica">http://www.ecured.cu/index.php/Organizaci%C3%B3n_Nacional_de_Bufetes_Colectivos#Ejercicio_y_C.C3.B3digo_de_.C3.89tica</a>
Disciplinary Authorities	Organizacion Nacional de Bufetes Colectivos
Contact/URL	<a href="http://www.ecured.cu/index.php/Organizaci%C3%B3n_Nacional_de_Bufetes_Colectivos#Ejercicio_y_C.C3.B3digo_de_.C3.89tica">http://www.ecured.cu/index.php/Organizaci%C3%B3n_Nacional_de_Bufetes_Colectivos#Ejercicio_y_C.C3.B3digo_de_.C3.89tica</a>

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## CYPRUS\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Cyprus
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Δικηγόρος (Dikigoros/lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Legal Council, which is a regulatory body chaired by the Attorney General and comprising representatives of the Bar Council and other practising attorneys.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cyprusbarassociation.org/v1/index.php/el/">http://www.cyprusbarassociation.org/v1/index.php/el/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Both the Legal Council and the Bar Council are involved in issuing licences to individuals and law firms. The Legal Council is a regulatory body chaired by the Attorney General and comprising representatives of the Bar Council and other practising attorneys.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cyprusbarassociation.org/v1/index.php/el/">http://www.cyprusbarassociation.org/v1/index.php/el/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Disciplinary Board which includes the Attorney General as Chair and the President of the Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cyprusbarassociation.org/v1/index.php/el/">http://www.cyprusbarassociation.org/v1/index.php/el/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Advocates Law 1961 (as amended)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/cyprus_enpdf1_193994690.pdf">http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/cyprus_enpdf1_193994690.pdf</a>

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## CZECH REPUBLIC

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Czech Republic
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advokát
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Czech Bar Association registers both individual lawyers and firms
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cak.cz/en/">http://www.cak.cz/en/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Czech Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cak.cz/en/">http://www.cak.cz/en/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Control Council and the Disciplinary Commission of the Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cak.cz/en/">http://www.cak.cz/en/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Act No. 85/1996 Sb. of 13th March 1996 on the Legal Profession
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cak.cz/scripts/detail.php?id=1993">http://www.cak.cz/scripts/detail.php?id=1993</a>



## DEMARK

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Denmark
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advokat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Lawyers are licensed by the Ministry of Justice, Civil and Police Department The Danish Bar and Law Society is responsible for holding the register of admitted lawyers
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.justitsministeriet.dk/ministeriet/departementet/civilafdelingen">http://www.justitsministeriet.dk/ministeriet/departementet/civilafdelingen</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Danish Bar and Law Society ('Advokatsamfundet') is responsible for the ongoing supervision of licensed lawyers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Rules.aspx">http://www.advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Rules.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Council of the Bar and Law Society (investigating and prosecuting lawyers for disciplinary violations The Disciplinary Board ("Advokatnævnet") of the Danish Bar and Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Organization/The%20Council.aspx">http://advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Organization/The%20Council.aspx</a> <a href="http://www.advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Organization/The%20Disciplinary%20Board.aspx">http://www.advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Organization/The%20Disciplinary%20Board.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Danish Administration of Justice Act; cf. Consolidated Act No. 1255 of 16 November 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.retsinformation.dk/Fo rms/R0710.aspx?id=172923">https://www.retsinformation.dk/Fo rms/R0710.aspx?id=172923</a> <a href="http://www.advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Rules/~media/Files/English/Advokatsamfundets_r egler_2_eng_-_081208_eng1.ashx">http://www.advokatsamfundet.dk/Service/English/Rules/~media/Files/English/Advokatsamfundets_r egler_2_eng_-_081208_eng1.ashx</a> (most recent translation)

## DJIBOUTI

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Djibouti
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Le Conseil de L'Ordre des Avocats du Barreau de Djibouti
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Tel. (253) 21.35.01.24 /(253) 77.81.17.73 / Fax: (253) 21.35.06.10
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Le Conseil de L'Ordre des Avocats du Barreau de Djibouti
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Tel. (253) 21.35.01.24 /(253) 77.81.17.73 / Fax: (253) 21.35.06.10
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Le Conseil de L'Ordre des Avocats du Barreau de Djibouti
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Tel. (253) 21.35.01.24 /(253) 77.81.17.73 / Fax: (253) 21.35.06.10
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The Prosecutor General to the court of appeal of Djibouti
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Palais De Justice Boulevard de la République Tel : (00253) 21.32.69.00 Tel : (00253) 21.32.69.21
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi n°236/AN/87/1ère L relative à la profession d'Avocat
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccd.dj/i/upload/textes/juridiques/professions-liberales.pdf">http://www.ccd.dj/i/upload/textes/juridiques/professions-liberales.pdf</a>

## DOMINICA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Commonwealth of Dominica
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Dominica Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecs.org/">http://www.oecs.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Dominica Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecs.org/">http://www.oecs.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Dominica Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecs.org/">http://www.oecs.org/</a>

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## DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Dominican Republic
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Suprema Corte de Justicia and Colegio de Abogados
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gob.do/servicios/req_juram_abogado.aspx">http://www.poderjudicial.gob.do/servicios/req_juram_abogado.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Colegio de Abogados de la República Dominicana
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/colegioabogados/info?tab=overview">https://www.facebook.com/colegioabogados/info?tab=overview</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Tribunal Disciplinario of the Colegio de Abogados acts as a disciplinary jurisdiction of first instance; and the Supreme Court, as a court appeals.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gob.do/servicios/req_juram_abogado.aspx">http://www.poderjudicial.gob.do/servicios/req_juram_abogado.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	LEY 91, QUE INSTITUYE EL COLEGIO DE ABOGADOS DE LA REPÚBLICA G.O. 960
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.comisionadodejusticia.gob.do/phocadownload/Biblioteca_Virtual/Abogados/Ley%2091,%20instituye%20Colegio%20Abogados%20de%20la%20Republica%20Dominicana.pdf">http://www.comisionadodejusticia.gob.do/phocadownload/Biblioteca_Virtual/Abogados/Ley%2091,%20instituye%20Colegio%20Abogados%20de%20la%20Republica%20Dominicana.pdf</a>

## ECUADOR

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Ecuador
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Lawyers Forum (attached to the Judiciary Council)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://app.funcionjudicial.gob.ec/ForoAbogados/Inicio/frmInicio.jspn">http://app.funcionjudicial.gob.ec/ForoAbogados/Inicio/frmInicio.jspn</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Judiciary Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.funcionjudicial.gob.ec">http://www.funcionjudicial.gob.ec</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Judiciary Council Provincial Authority Office
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.funcionjudicial-pichincha.gob.ec/">http://www.funcionjudicial-pichincha.gob.ec/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Provincial Lawyers Board - Equivalent to "Bar Association". Pichincha and Guayas are the main ones.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.colabpi.pro.ec/">http://www.colabpi.pro.ec/</a> <a href="http://www.colegiodeabogadosdelguayas.com/">http://www.colegiodeabogadosdelguayas.com/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Organic Code on the Judiciary Power
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.derechoecuador.com/legislacion">http://www.derechoecuador.com/legislacion</a>

## EGYPT\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Egypt
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Egyptian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Egyptian Bar Association, 49a Ramses Street, Cairo, Egypt, Tel: 10(202) 451-360, Fax: 10(202) 747-488
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jp.gov.eg/ar/Default.aspx">http://www.jp.gov.eg/ar/Default.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jp.gov.eg/ar/Default.aspx">http://www.jp.gov.eg/ar/Default.aspx</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Egyptian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Egyptian Bar Association, 49a Ramses Street, Cairo, Egypt, Tel: 10(202) 451-360, Fax: 10(202) 747-488
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Advocates Law 197/2008 (amending Law No 17/1983)

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## EL SALVADOR

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	El Salvador
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a (lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Corte Suprema de Justicia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://csj.gob.sv/idioma.html">http://csj.gob.sv/idioma.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Corte Suprema de Justicia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://csj.gob.sv/idioma.html">http://csj.gob.sv/idioma.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Seccion de Investigacion Profesional de Corte Supreme de Justicia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://csj.gov.sv/inv_prof/profesional_01.htm">http://csj.gov.sv/inv_prof/profesional_01.htm</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	1) Constitucion de la Republica de El Salvador (1983, 2014); 2) Ley Organica Judicial (1984, 2015)
<b>URL</b>	1) <a href="http://www.asamblea.gob.sv/eparlamento/indice-legislativo/buscador-de-documentos-legislativos/constitucion-de-la-republica">http://www.asamblea.gob.sv/eparlamento/indice-legislativo/buscador-de-documentos-legislativos/constitucion-de-la-republica</a> 2) <a href="http://www.asamblea.gob.sv/eparlamento/indice-legislativo/buscador-de-documentos-legislativos/ley-organica-judicial">http://www.asamblea.gob.sv/eparlamento/indice-legislativo/buscador-de-documentos-legislativos/ley-organica-judicial</a>

## ESTONIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Estonia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Vandeaddvokaat; Vandeadvokaadi
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Estonian Bar Association licenses individual lawyers. There is no separate licensing process for law firms.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.advokatuur.ee/eng/frontpage">https://www.advokatuur.ee/eng/frontpage</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Estonian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.advokatuur.ee/eng/frontpage">https://www.advokatuur.ee/eng/frontpage</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Court of Ethics (Court of Honour) of the Estonian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.advokatuur.ee/eng/frontpage">https://www.advokatuur.ee/eng/frontpage</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Bar Association Act March 21 2001
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.riigiteataja.ee/en/eli/ee/510072014006/consolide#">https://www.riigiteataja.ee/en/eli/ee/510072014006/consolide#</a>



## FIJI

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Fiji
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Chief Registrar of the High Court of Fiji Board of Legal Education
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.gov.fj/index.php/judicial-department/legal-practitioners-unit">http://www.judiciary.gov.fj/index.php/judicial-department/legal-practitioners-unit</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Chief Registrar of the High Court of Fiji
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.gov.fj/">http://www.judiciary.gov.fj/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Chief Registrar and the Legal Practitioners Unit Independent Legal Services Commission
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.gov.fj/index.php/judicial-department/legal-practitioners-unit">http://www.judiciary.gov.fj/index.php/judicial-department/legal-practitioners-unit</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Fiji Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pacii.org/other/law-societies.html">http://www.pacii.org/other/law-societies.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Decree 2009 Trust Accounts Act 2006
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pacii.org/fj/promu/promu_dec/lpd2009220/">http://www.pacii.org/fj/promu/promu_dec/lpd2009220/</a> <a href="http://www.pacii.org/fj/legis/num_act/taa1996202/">http://www.pacii.org/fj/legis/num_act/taa1996202/</a>

## FINLAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Finland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advokar Asianajaja
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Finnish Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.asianajajat.fi/english">http://www.asianajajat.fi/english</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Finnish Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.asianajajat.fi/english">http://www.asianajajat.fi/english</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Board of the Finnish Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.valvontalautakunta.fi/valvontalautakunta/in_english">http://www.valvontalautakunta.fi/valvontalautakunta/in_english</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Advocates act (laki asianajajista) 12 December 1958
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.asianajajaliitto.fi/files/1056/A_01_Advocates_Act_2011_January_2013.pdf">http://www.asianajajaliitto.fi/files/1056/A_01_Advocates_Act_2011_January_2013.pdf</a>

## FRANCE\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	France
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Licences to practice in France are issued by local Bar Associations (see the Conseil National des Barreaux for details <a href="http://www.CNB.avocat.fr">www.CNB.avocat.fr</a> ).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://cnb.avocat.fr/">http://cnb.avocat.fr/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Conseil National des Barreaux
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://cnb.avocat.fr/">http://cnb.avocat.fr/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The prosecuting authority is the President of the association, who receives the complaints, and, if necessary, handles them by conducting an ethics-based inquiry into the alleged facts, or the Attorney General of the Court of Appeal.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://cnb.avocat.fr/Being-a-Lawyer-in-France-Professional-Regulations-Obligations_a1741.html">http://cnb.avocat.fr/Being-a-Lawyer-in-France-Professional-Regulations-Obligations_a1741.html</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	It should be noted that the Code of Conduct for Lawyers in the European Community, which applies to cross-border activities within the EU, and was adopted in Strasbourg in 1988 by the Council of Bars and Law Societies of Europe, was incorporated into the RINs, and is, therefore mandatory for all French attorneys.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://cnb.avocat.fr/Reglement-Interieur-National-de-la-profession-d-avocat-RIN_a281.html#CDAE">http://cnb.avocat.fr/Reglement-Interieur-National-de-la-profession-d-avocat-RIN_a281.html#CDAE</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The legal profession is governed primarily by Act 90-1259 of December 31, 1990, which amends Act 71-1130 of December 31, 1971, and by its Implementing Decree 91-1197 of November 27, 1991.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichTexte.do?cidTexte=JORFTEXT000000356568">http://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichTexte.do?cidTexte=JORFTEXT000000356568</a>

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**FYROM\***

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Republic of Macedonia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Register of Attorneys of the Bar Association of the Republic of Macedonia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/">http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Macedonian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/">http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary proceedings are carried out by the Bar Association of the Republic of Macedonia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/">http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	
<b>Contact/URL</b>	
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law on Advocacy
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/?page_id=1274">http://creativa5.com/dev/mba.org.mk/?page_id=1274</a>

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## GABON

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Gabon
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Gabon
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Gabon BP143 Libreville Gabon Tel : 00 241 24 94 94 Facsimile : 00 241 74 70 31 barreaudugabon@yahoo.fr
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Gabon
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Gabon BP143 Libreville Gabon Tel : 00 241 24 94 94 Facsimile : 00 241 74 70 31 barreaudugabon@yahoo.fr
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Gabon
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Gabon BP143 Libreville Gabon Tel : 00 241 24 94 94 Facsimile : 00 241 74 70 31 barreaudugabon@yahoo.fr
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi n°013/2014 du 07 janvier 2015 fixant le cadre d'exercice de la profession d'avocat en République Gabonaise
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.economie.gouv.ga/object.getObject.do?id=1051">www.economie.gouv.ga/object.getObject.do?id=1051</a>

## GAMBIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	The Gambia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioners
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	General Legal Council (Chief Justice, Attorney General, nominees of the Gambian Bar Association plus some other members)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gls.gm/staff/general-legal-council/">http://www.gls.gm/staff/general-legal-council/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gls.gm/staff/general-legal-council/">http://www.gls.gm/staff/general-legal-council/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gls.gm/staff/general-legal-council/">http://www.gls.gm/staff/general-legal-council/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The court of appeal and courts of the Gambia at large (superior courts, high courts, magistrates courts)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gov.gm/judiciary/">http://www.gov.gm/judiciary/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Practitioners Act 1985

## GEORGIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Georgia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Individuals are licensed by the Georgian Bar Association.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://gba.ge/ka/349/">http://gba.ge/ka/349/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Georgian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://gba.ge/ka/349/">http://gba.ge/ka/349/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Chamber of the Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://gba.ge/ka/394/">http://gba.ge/ka/394/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Georgian Bar Association's Executive Board. As well as working group on the "Law on advocates" of Georgia. Above mentioned group is composed of executive board and Ethics Commission members of GBA
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://gba.ge/en/contact/">http://gba.ge/en/contact/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Law "On Advocates" adopted on 20 June 2001
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://gba.ge/en/379/">http://gba.ge/en/379/</a>

## GERMANY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Germany
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Rechtsanwalt; Syndikusrechtsanwalt (in-house lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Authorisation to practise is given by the 27 regional bars (Rechtsanwaltskammern - RAK) or the Bar of the Federal Supreme Court (Bundesgerichtshof BGH)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.brak.de/die-brak/regionale-kammern/">www.brak.de/die-brak/regionale-kammern/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Regulatory functions are carried out by the regional bars which are self-regulatory bodies (legally) supervised by the ministry of Justice of the particular state (Bundesland) to which they belong. The Statutory Assembly of lawyers (Satzungsversammlung bei der Bundesrechtsanwaltskammer) holds the power to decide upon and issue professional practice regulations. The German legislator is responsible for regulating the legal profession as such.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.brak.de/die-brak/regionale-kammern/">www.brak.de/die-brak/regionale-kammern/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary functions are dealt with in the first instance by the regional Bars. All decisions relating to the conduct of lawyers may be referred to the special disciplinary courts (Anwaltsgericht, Anwaltsgerichtshof, Senat für Anwaltssachen beim Bundesgerichtshof).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.brak.de/die-brak/regionale-kammern/">www.brak.de/die-brak/regionale-kammern/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Bundesgerichtshof (Bar at the Federal Supreme Court)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bundesgerichtshof.de/EN/Home/home_node.html">http://www.bundesgerichtshof.de/EN/Home/home_node.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Federal Lawyers' Ordinance ("Bundesrechtsanwaltsordnung", BRAO), 31.08.2015; Rules of Professional Practice (Berufsordnung für Rechtsanwälte, BORA), 01.07.2015; Law regulating the activity of European lawyers in Germany (Gesetz über die Tätigkeit europäischer Rechtsanwälte in Deutschland, EuRAG), 31.08.2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.brak.de/w/files/02_fuer_anwaelte/berufsrecht">http://www.brak.de/w/files/02_fuer_anwaelte/berufsrecht</a>



## GHANA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Ghana
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, Legal Practitioner, Solicitor, Barrister
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.glc.gov.gh/">www.glc.gov.gh/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.glc.gov.gh/">www.glc.gov.gh/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.glc.gov.gh/">www.glc.gov.gh/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ghana Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ghanabar.org/2271-2/">http://www.ghanabar.org/2271-2/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act 1960, Act 32
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.glc.gov.gh/">www.glc.gov.gh/</a>

## GREECE\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Greece
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Δικηγόρος (Dikegoros)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The local Greek Bar Associations issue licences to lawyers and register law firms.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.dsa.gr">http://www.dsa.gr</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Lawyers are organized in sixty-three (63) local bar associations (one for the territorial jurisdiction of each court of first instance) the presidents of which form the Council of Presidents (olomeleia proedron dikigorikon sillogon ellados), as there is no national Bar. They create the Code of Conduct while the government creates the official legislation.
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Each of the local Bars in Greece is a self-regulatory disciplinary body, and has its own Disciplinary Board of Lawyers.
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law no. 3026/54 (Lawyers code) as amended by law no. 3919/2011 Special Section B on lawyers and law firms.

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## GRENADA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Grenada
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of Grenada admits to practice, practicing certificate is awarded by the General Legal Council (The Council) of the Grenada Bar Association.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/">http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	General Legal Council (The Council) of the Grenada Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/">http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	General Legal Council (The Council) of the Grenada Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/">http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Court of Appeals may approve or dismiss an appeal in disciplinary proceedings of an attorney-at-law.
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act No. 25 of 2011
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://laws.gov.gd/">http://laws.gov.gd/</a>

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## GUATEMALA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Guatemala
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Colegio de Abogados y Notarios de Guatemala
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cang.org.gt/">http://www.cang.org.gt/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Colegio de Abogados y Notarios de Archivo General de Protocolos Guatemala
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cang.org.gt/">http://www.cang.org.gt/</a> <a href="http://www.oj.gob.gt/archivodeprotocolos/">http://www.oj.gob.gt/archivodeprotocolos/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Colegio de Abogados y Notarios de Guatemala
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cang.org.gt/">http://www.cang.org.gt/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Archivo General de Protocolos
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oj.gob.gt/archivodeprotocolos/">http://www.oj.gob.gt/archivodeprotocolos/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Reglamento de Prestaciones Colegio de Abogados y Notarios de Guatemala Estatutos del Colegio de Abogados y Notarios de Guatemala Ley de Colegiación Profesional Obligatoria Decreto 72-2001 Código de Ética Profesional

## GUINEA-BISSAU

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Guinea-Bissau
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advogado
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ordem dos Advogados da Guiné Bissau
<b>Contact/URL</b>	oagbordem@yahoo.com.br Address: Praça dos Heróis Nacionais, Rua Bolama, Caixa Postal 296 - Bissau, Guiné-Bissau Telf. (+245) 95 520 82 88 / (+245) 96 681 32 09
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ordem dos Advogados da Guiné Bissau
<b>Contact/URL</b>	oagbordem@yahoo.com.br Address: Praça dos Heróis Nacionais, Rua Bolama, Caixa Postal 296 - Bissau, Guiné-Bissau Telf. (+245) 95 520 82 88 / (+245) 96 681 32 09
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ordem dos Advogados da Guiné Bissau
<b>Contact/URL</b>	oagbordem@yahoo.com.br Address: Praça dos Heróis Nacionais, Rua Bolama, Caixa Postal 296 - Bissau, Guiné-Bissau Telf. (+245) 95 520 82 88 / (+245) 96 681 32 09
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Guinea-Bissau Bar Association Statutes, 1991
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oa.pt/conteudos/artigos/detalhe_artigo.aspx?idc=1&amp;idsc=31088">http://www.oa.pt/conteudos/artigos/detalhe_artigo.aspx?idc=1&amp;idsc=31088</a>

## GUYANA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Guyana, Co-operative Republic of
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	High Court
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Partial self-regulation
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Legal Practitioners Committee
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Guyana Bar Association Lot 39 Brickdam Stabroek Georgetown Demerara, Guyana Tel: +592 226 0478 Fax: +592 225 7996 E-mail: <a href="mailto:thousty@yahoo.com">thousty@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	No. 26 of 2010 Legal Practitioners Act
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oas.org/juridico/pdfs/mesicic4_guy_prac.pdf">http://www.oas.org/juridico/pdfs/mesicic4_guy_prac.pdf</a>

## HAITI\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Haiti
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Le Barreau de Haiti
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-des-coteaux.haiti.over-blog.com/tag/actualites%20du%20barreau/">http://barreau-des-coteaux.haiti.over-blog.com/tag/actualites%20du%20barreau/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Le Barreau de Haiti
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-des-coteaux.haiti.over-blog.com/tag/actualites%20du%20barreau/">http://barreau-des-coteaux.haiti.over-blog.com/tag/actualites%20du%20barreau/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Le Barreau de Haiti
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-des-coteaux.haiti.over-blog.com/tag/actualites%20du%20barreau/">http://barreau-des-coteaux.haiti.over-blog.com/tag/actualites%20du%20barreau/</a>

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## HONDURAS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Honduras
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a; Notario/a: Notario es el profesional del derecho con carácter de fe pública, autorizado por el Estado para hacer constar la creación, transmisión, modificación o extinción o resolución de actos, contratos y asuntos o negocios en que intervenga a requerimiento o petición de los interesados o por disposición de la Ley. (Artículo 5 del Código de Notariado)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Colegio de Abogados de Honduras
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://colegiodeabogadosdehonduras.org/aboutus.html">http://colegiodeabogadosdehonduras.org/aboutus.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Colegio de Abogados de Honduras
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://colegiodeabogadosdehonduras.org/aboutus.html">http://colegiodeabogadosdehonduras.org/aboutus.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Court of Honor of the Colegio de Abogados de Honduras
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://colegiodeabogadosdehonduras.org/services.html">http://colegiodeabogadosdehonduras.org/services.html</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Código de Ética del Profesional del Derecho
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://colegiodeabodgadoshn.com/">http://colegiodeabodgadoshn.com/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Código del Notariado, Reglamento del Código de Notariado, Reglamento para Exequatur de Notario, Código de Ética del Profesional del Derecho, Arancel del Profesional del Derecho, Ley Orgánica del Colegio de Abogados



## HONG KONG

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Hong Kong (China)
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Solicitor/Barrister
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Hong Kong and the Court for solicitors Bar Council of Hong Kong for barristers
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.hklawsoc.org.hk">www.hklawsoc.org.hk</a> <a href="http://www.hkbar.org.hk">www.hkbar.org.hk</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Hong Kong Law Society for Solicitors and Hong Kong Bar Association for Barristers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.hklawsoc.org.hk">www.hklawsoc.org.hk</a> <a href="http://www.hkbar.org.hk">www.hkbar.org.hk</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Hong Kong and the Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal for Solicitors and Hong Kong Bar Association for Barristers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.hklawsoc.org.hk">www.hklawsoc.org.hk</a> <a href="http://solicitorstribunal.org.hk/">http://solicitorstribunal.org.hk/</a> <a href="http://www.hkbar.org.hk">www.hkbar.org.hk</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Ordinance (Cap. 159, Laws of Hong Kong) 1997, 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legislation.gov.hk/blis_pdf.nsf/6799165D2FEE3FA94825755E0033E532/8C36A136C7512797482575EE0046A07F/\$FILE/CAP_159_e_b5.pdf">http://www.legislation.gov.hk/blis_pdf.nsf/6799165D2FEE3FA94825755E0033E532/8C36A136C7512797482575EE0046A07F/\$FILE/CAP_159_e_b5.pdf</a>

## HUNGARY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Hungary
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Ügyvéd
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Regional Bar Associations(20) – admission body and keeper of the original regional register The Hungarian Bar Association – keeper of the national register originated from the regional registers
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.magyarugyvedikamara.hu/tart/index/130/1">http://www.magyarugyvedikamara.hu/tart/index/130/1</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Hungarian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.magyarugyvedikamara.hu/tart/index/7/1">http://www.magyarugyvedikamara.hu/tart/index/7/1</a> Contains the links to the Regional Bar Associations
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The 20 Regional Bar Associations are members of the Hungarian Bar Association have Disciplinary Commissioners investigating complaints and prosecuting lawyers and Disciplinary Committees conducting the disciplinary procedures on first instance (The Disciplinary Commissioners and the Disciplinary Committee of the Hungarian Bar Association are the second instance.).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.magyarugyvedikamara.hu/tart/index/7/1">http://www.magyarugyvedikamara.hu/tart/index/7/1</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Act XI of 1998 on Attorneys at Law.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ecovis.hu/angol/Act_XI_of_1998_Attorneys_at_law.pdf">http://www.ecovis.hu/angol/Act_XI_of_1998_Attorneys_at_law.pdf</a>

## ICELAND\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Iceland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lögmaður
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Ministry of the Interior issues licences to individuals for the right to appear in the District or Supreme Court on fulfilment of the requirements of article 6 of the Act.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://eng.innanrikisraduneyti.is/">http://eng.innanrikisraduneyti.is/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Icelandic Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lmfi.is/english/">http://www.lmfi.is/english/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Board of the Icelandic Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lmfi.is/english/">http://www.lmfi.is/english/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Lawyers Profession Act No.77/1999
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://eng.innanrikisraduneyti.is/laws-and-regulations/english/lawyers/nr/1326">http://eng.innanrikisraduneyti.is/laws-and-regulations/english/lawyers/nr/1326</a>

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## INDIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	India
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Advocates are enrolled by the State Bar in which they practice. There are 19 State Bar Councils across India
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/about/state-bar-councils/chairmen-of-state-bar-councils/">http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/about/state-bar-councils/chairmen-of-state-bar-councils/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Bar Council of India has the task of promulgating ethical rules under the Advocates Act
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/">http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Bar Council of India has the task of disciplining Advocates under the Advocates Act
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/">http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	THE ADVOCATES ACT, 1961, ACT NO. 25 OF 1961 [19th May, 1961.]
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/wp-content/uploads/2010/05/Advocates-Act1961.pdf">http://www.barcouncilofindia.org/wp-content/uploads/2010/05/Advocates-Act1961.pdf</a>

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## INDONESIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Indonesia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	PERADI
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7">http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	PERADI
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7">http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	PERADI
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7">http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Indonesian Advocates Act (Law No.18 of 2003)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7">http://www.peradi.or.id/index.php/profil/detail/7</a>

## IRELAND\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Ireland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Solicitor/Barrister
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Law Society of Ireland issues licences to solicitors and the Bar Council licences barristers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.ie/">http://www.lawsociety.ie/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Ireland is the regulatory body for solicitors.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.ie/">http://www.lawsociety.ie/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal is an independent statutory tribunal appointed by the President of the High Court to consider complaints of misconduct against solicitors.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.distrib.ie/">http://www.distrib.ie/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Solicitors Act, 1954 as amended by subsequent Acts
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.irishstatutebook.ie/eli/2009/si/510/made/en/print">http://www.irishstatutebook.ie/eli/2009/si/510/made/en/print</a>

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## ISRAEL

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Israel
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Orech Din (Attorney) (singular) Orchei Din (plural)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Israel Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.israelbar.org.il/english.asp?catid=372">http://www.israelbar.org.il/english.asp?catid=372</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Israel Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.israelbar.org.il/english.asp?catid=372">http://www.israelbar.org.il/english.asp?catid=372</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The disciplinary system of the Israel Bar Association is made up of a National Disciplinary Tribunal and five District Disciplinary Tribunals
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.israelbar.org.il/english.asp?catid=372">http://www.israelbar.org.il/english.asp?catid=372</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	According to Clause 109 of the Israeli Bar Law, 1961, the Minister of Justice is responsible for the fulfillment of the Law and has the authority to enact regulations in order to enable the fulfillment of the Law.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.justice.gov.il">www.justice.gov.il</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	BAR ASSOCIATION LAW, 5721 - 1961
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.israelbar.org.il/uploadfiles/Bar_Association_Law_english_nov_2008.doc">http://www.israelbar.org.il/uploadfiles/Bar_Association_Law_english_nov_2008.doc</a>

## ITALY\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Italy
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avvocato
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Licences are issued by local bar councils but a national register is maintained by the Consiglio Nazionale Forense
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.consiglionazionaleforense.it">http://www.consiglionazionaleforense.it</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Regulation is managed by the Consiglio Nazionale Forense, but Ministry of Justice also plays a supervisory role.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.consiglionazionaleforense.it/site/home.html">http://www.consiglionazionaleforense.it/site/home.html</a> <a href="https://www.giustizia.it/giustizia/">https://www.giustizia.it/giustizia/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Initial disciplinary proceedings begin with the local bar councils and then if necessary are passed on the the Consiglio Nazionale Forense.
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.giustizia.it/giustizia/">https://www.giustizia.it/giustizia/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law no. 247/2012
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.consiglionazionaleforense.it/site/home/naviga-per-temi/diario-della-riforma-forense/regolamenti-cnf---ordinamento-forense.html">http://www.consiglionazionaleforense.it/site/home/naviga-per-temi/diario-della-riforma-forense/regolamenti-cnf---ordinamento-forense.html</a>

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## JAMAICA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Jamaica
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The General Legal Council issues annual practicing certificates
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.generallegalcouncil.org/attorneys/requirements-for-private-practice/practising-certificate-fees/">http://www.generallegalcouncil.org/attorneys/requirements-for-private-practice/practising-certificate-fees/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.generallegalcouncil.org/">http://www.generallegalcouncil.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Disciplinary Committee of the General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.generallegalcouncil.org/">http://www.generallegalcouncil.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Profession Act, 1972
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.jm/sites/default/files/laws/Legal%20profession%20Act.pdf">http://www.moj.gov.jm/sites/default/files/laws/Legal%20profession%20Act.pdf</a>

## JAPAN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Japan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Bengoshi
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Japanese Federation of Bar Associations maintains the roll of individual attorneys admitted to practice and their places of work but attorneys and law firms must also register with their local bar associations.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nichibenren.or.jp">www.nichibenren.or.jp</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The main responsibility for rule-making lies with the JFBA, but each local bar association has the power to admit and register lawyers, establish its own regulations on fees and take disciplinary action against lawyers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nichibenren.or.jp/en/legalinfo/legal.html">http://www.nichibenren.or.jp/en/legalinfo/legal.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	All disciplinary investigations and actions are carried out by local bar associations (52) upon their members.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nichibenren.or.jp/en/legalinfo/legal.html">http://www.nichibenren.or.jp/en/legalinfo/legal.html</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	
<b>Contact/URL</b>	
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Attorneys Act of 1949, Act No. 205 of 1949
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.japaneselawtranslation.go.jp/law/detail/?id=1878&amp;vm=04&amp;re=02">http://www.japaneselawtranslation.go.jp/law/detail/?id=1878&amp;vm=04&amp;re=02</a>

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## JORDAN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Jordan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Mohamy (Lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Bar Council of the Jordanian Bar Association.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx">http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Jordanian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx">http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Discipline Council of the Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx">http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Jordanian Bar Association Law no.11/1972 as amended by Law no.51/1985
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx">http://www.jba.org.jo/HomePage.aspx</a>

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## KENYA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Kenya
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Chief Justice of the High Court receives and approves advocate applications. Registrar then issues practice certificates.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.go.ke/portal/page/office-of-the-chief-justice">http://www.judiciary.go.ke/portal/page/office-of-the-chief-justice</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Advocates Act permits the Council of the Law Society of Kenya, with the approval of the Chief Justice, to set rules and regulate practice.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lsk.or.ke/index.php/our-organisational-structure">http://www.lsk.or.ke/index.php/our-organisational-structure</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee/Complaints Commission [Art. 53 of the Advocates Act]
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lsk.or.ke/index.php/for-the-public">http://www.lsk.or.ke/index.php/for-the-public</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Advocates Act 2000
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://kenya.eregulations.org/media/AdvocatesAct18of1989.pdf">http://kenya.eregulations.org/media/AdvocatesAct18of1989.pdf</a>

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## SOUTH KOREA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Korea (Republic of)
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Byunhosa - attorney at law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Korean Bar Association and local bar associations
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.koreanbar.or.kr/eng/">http://www.koreanbar.or.kr/eng/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Korean Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.koreanbar.or.kr/eng/">http://www.koreanbar.or.kr/eng/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Korean Bar Association and Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.koreanbar.or.kr/eng/">http://www.koreanbar.or.kr/eng/</a> <a href="http://www.moj.go.kr/HP/ENG/index.do">http://www.moj.go.kr/HP/ENG/index.do</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Attorney-at-law Act (as amended latest version 2015)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://elaw.klri.re.kr/eng_service/lawView.do?hseq=25581&amp;lang=ENG">http://elaw.klri.re.kr/eng_service/lawView.do?hseq=25581&amp;lang=ENG</a>

## KUWAIT\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Kuwait
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Both individuals and lawyers wishing to open law firms must register with the Kuwaiti Lawyers Association.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kls.org.kw">www.kls.org.kw</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Kuwait Lawyers Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kls.org.kw">www.kls.org.kw</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Kuwait Lawyers Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kls.org.kw">www.kls.org.kw</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law on the Organization of the Legal Profession before the Courts no. 42 of 1964

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## KYRGYZSTAN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Kyrgyzstan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Advocate's licences are issued by the Ministry of Justice of the Kyrgyz Republic.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://minjust.gov.kg/">http://minjust.gov.kg/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://minjust.gov.kg/">http://minjust.gov.kg/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	1) Ministry of Justice 2) Commission on Ethics of the Advocateship of the Kyrgyz Republic
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://minjust.gov.kg/">http://minjust.gov.kg/</a> <a href="http://advokatura.kg/">http://advokatura.kg/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Advocateship of the Kyrgyz Republic
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://advokatura.kg/">http://advokatura.kg/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Law "On Advocateship of the Kyrgyz Republic and the advocate's activity" (the "Law on Advocacy")
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://advokatura.kg/">http://advokatura.kg/</a>

## LAOS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Lao People's Democratic Republic
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	ທະນາຍຄວາມ (thanaikhuaam/attorney)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Ministry of Justice issues licences to attorneys on the recommendation of the Lao Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:contact@vlaw.la">contact@vlaw.la</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Lao Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:contact@vlaw.la">contact@vlaw.la</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Lao Bar and Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:contact@vlaw.la">contact@vlaw.la</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Attorney Law 21.12.2011
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://laoofficialgazette.gov.la/index.php?r=site/index">http://laoofficialgazette.gov.la/index.php?r=site/index</a>



## LATVIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Latvia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Zvērināts advokāts (Sworn advocate)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Latvian Council of Sworn Advocates.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng">http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Latvian Council of Sworn Advocates.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng">http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Disciplinary Proceedings Commission of the Latvian Council of Sworn Advocates.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng">http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The Ethics Commission of the Latvian Council of Sworn Advocates
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng">http://www.advokatura.lv/?lang=eng</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Law On the Bar of the Republic of Latvia April 27, 1993.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatura.lv/?open=eng&amp;it=bar&amp;lang=eng">http://www.advokatura.lv/?open=eng&amp;it=bar&amp;lang=eng</a>

## LESOTHO\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Lesotho
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	High Court of Lesotho
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lesotholii.org/content/high-court">http://www.lesotholii.org/content/high-court</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	High Court and the Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lesotholii.org/content/high-court">http://www.lesotholii.org/content/high-court</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	High Court and Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lesotholii.org/content/high-court">http://www.lesotholii.org/content/high-court</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Act 1983
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lesotholii.org/ls/legislation/act/1983/11">http://www.lesotholii.org/ls/legislation/act/1983/11</a>

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## LIECHTENSTEIN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Liechtenstein
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Rechtsanwalt
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Financial Markets Authority maintains the register for individuals and law firms
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.fma-li.li/en/">https://www.fma-li.li/en/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Liechtenstein Bar Association: <a href="http://www.lirak.li/">http://www.lirak.li/</a>
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lirak.li/">http://www.lirak.li/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Liechtenstein Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lirak.li">www.lirak.li</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Rechtsanwaltsgesetz (RAG) 8 December 1992
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lirak.li/clientuploads/docs/gesetze/RAG01.09.2008.pdf">http://www.lirak.li/clientuploads/docs/gesetze/RAG01.09.2008.pdf</a>

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## LITHUANIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Lithuania
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advokatas
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Lithuanian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advoco.lt/">http://www.advoco.lt/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Lithuanian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advoco.lt/">http://www.advoco.lt/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Lithuanian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advoco.lt/">http://www.advoco.lt/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.tm.lt/">http://www.tm.lt/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law on the Bar 18 March 2004 No IX-2066 published in Official Gazette 2004, No. 50-1632.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www3.lrs.lt/pls/inter3/dokpaieska.showdoc_l?p_id=474127&amp;p_tr2=2">http://www3.lrs.lt/pls/inter3/dokpaieska.showdoc_l?p_id=474127&amp;p_tr2=2</a>

## LUXEMBOURG\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Luxembourg
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat/ Rechtsanwalt
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	President of the Bar Association and the Conseil de l'ordre (Council do the Bar Association)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau.lu/">http://www.barreau.lu/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	President of the Bar Association and the Conseil de l'ordre (Council do the Bar Association)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau.lu/">http://www.barreau.lu/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	President of the Bar Association and the Disciplinary and Administrative Board
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau.lu/">http://www.barreau.lu/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act of 10 August 1991 (Loi sur la profession d'avocat) modified by the Act concerning the exercise of legal profession under the form of a legal entity (Loi concernant l'exercice de la profession d'avocat sous forme d'une personne morale) of 16 December 2011.

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## MADAGASCAR

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Madagascar
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau-de-madagascar.org/">http://www.barreau-de-madagascar.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau-de-madagascar.org/">http://www.barreau-de-madagascar.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau-de-madagascar.org/">http://www.barreau-de-madagascar.org/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	La Cour d'Appel d'Antananarivo
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi no. 2001-006 du 9 Avril 2003 sur la profession des Avocats
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://barreau-de-madagascar.org/sites/default/files/Loi-2001-006-sur-la-profession-d-avocat.pdf">http://barreau-de-madagascar.org/sites/default/files/Loi-2001-006-sur-la-profession-d-avocat.pdf</a>

## MALAWI\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Malawi
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Chief Justice; Malawi Law Society; Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs (Attorney General)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.mw/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=67&amp;Itemid=244">http://www.judiciary.mw/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=67&amp;Itemid=244</a> <a href="http://www.judiciary.mw/#">http://www.judiciary.mw/#</a> <a href="http://www.malawilawsociety.net/">http://www.malawilawsociety.net/</a> <a href="http://www.justice.gov.mw/">www.justice.gov.mw/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs (Attorney General); Malawi Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.mw/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=67&amp;Itemid=244">http://www.judiciary.mw/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=67&amp;Itemid=244</a> <a href="http://www.malawilawsociety.net/">http://www.malawilawsociety.net/</a> <a href="http://www.justice.gov.mw/">www.justice.gov.mw/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	High Court of Malawi; Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs (Attorney General); Malawi Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.mw/#">http://www.judiciary.mw/#</a> <a href="http://www.justice.gov.mw/">www.justice.gov.mw/</a> <a href="http://www.malawilawsociety.net/">http://www.malawilawsociety.net/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Education and Legal Practitioners Act, 1989
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.malawilii.org/mw/legislation/consolidated-act/3-04">http://www.malawilii.org/mw/legislation/consolidated-act/3-04</a>

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## MALAYSIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Malaya (West Malaysia) and East Malaysia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate/Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Registrar of the High Court of Malaya for West Malaysia.  Registrars for the High Courts of Sabah and Sarawak for East Malaysia.
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	West Malaysia: Advocates and solicitors in West Malaysia are required to observe rules for regulating the professional practice, etiquette, conduct and discipline made by the Bar Council, (eg the Legal Profession Practice and Etiquette Rules)  East Malaysia: In Sabah and Sarawak, The Chief Judge of the High Court of Sabah and the Chief Justice of the High Court of Sarawak respectively, are empowered to make rules regulating the practice and etiquette of the profession in the relevant state, the method for the keeping of accounts and disciplinary proceedings.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The Malaysian Bar Website <a href="http://www.malaysianbar.org.my/governing_laws/">http://www.malaysianbar.org.my/governing_laws/</a>  Sabah Law Association Website <a href="http://www.sabahbar.org.my">http://www.sabahbar.org.my</a>  Advocates' Association of Sarawak <a href="http://www.sarawak-advocates.org.my">http://www.sarawak-advocates.org.my</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	West Malaysia: The Bar Council handles all matters pertaining to disciplinary investigations and actions.  East Malaysia: In Sabah and Sarawak, the Chief Judge of the High Court of Sabah and the Chief Justice of the High Court of Sarawak handle all disciplinary proceedings.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The Malaysian Bar Website <a href="http://www.malaysianbar.org.my/governing_laws/">http://www.malaysianbar.org.my/governing_laws/</a>  Sabah Law Association Website <a href="http://www.sabahbar.org.my">http://www.sabahbar.org.my</a>  Advocates' Association of Sarawak <a href="http://www.sarawak-advocates.org.my">http://www.sarawak-advocates.org.my</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Profession Act 1976 ("LPA") generally governs the legal practice in West Malaysia.  Practice in Sabah and Sarawak is governed respectively by the Advocate Ordinance Sabah 1953 and the Advocate Ordinance Sarawak 1953.

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## MALI

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Mali
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Mali
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Mali BP E 2231 Bamako Mali Tel. 00 223 222 78 63 Facsimile. 00 223 202 18 508 <a href="mailto:barreau-mali@afribonr.net.mt">barreau-mali@afribonr.net.mt</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Mali
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Mali BP E 2231 Bamako Mali Tel. 00 223 222 78 63 Facsimile. 00 223 202 18 508 <a href="mailto:barreau-mali@afribonr.net.mt">barreau-mali@afribonr.net.mt</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Mali
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats du Mali BP E 2231 Bamako Mali Tel. 00 223 222 78 63 Facsimile. 00 223 202 18 508 <a href="mailto:barreau-mali@afribonr.net.mt">barreau-mali@afribonr.net.mt</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi n°94-042 portant création et organisation de la profession d'Avocat

## MALTA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Malta
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avakut (Advocate)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Chamber of Advocates
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.avukati.org/">http://www.avukati.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Chamber of Advocates, Commission for the Administration of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Marie Therese Cuschieri marietherese@avukati.org +35621248601
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Committee for Advocates and Legal Procurators, Commission for the Administration of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciarymalta.gov.mt/commission-for-the">http://www.judiciarymalta.gov.mt/commission-for-the</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Profession (Advocates) Regulation Act, 2012. *Note: This bill is not yet in force. It is envisaged that the bill shall be enacted into law in the coming months.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://justiceservices.gov.mt/DownloadDocument.aspx?app=lp&amp;itemid=23966&amp;l=1">http://justiceservices.gov.mt/DownloadDocument.aspx?app=lp&amp;itemid=23966&amp;l=1</a>

## MAURITANIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Mauritania
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ordre National des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.onamauritania.mr/fr/">http://www.onamauritania.mr/fr/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ordre National des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.onamauritania.mr/fr/">http://www.onamauritania.mr/fr/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ordre National des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.onamauritania.mr/fr/">http://www.onamauritania.mr/fr/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi n° :95-24 du 19 juillet 1995 abrogeant et remplaçant l'ordonnance 86-112 du 12 juillet 1986 portant institution de l'ordre national des avocats.

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## MAURITIUS\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Republic of Mauritius
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/barrister
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Council of Vocational Legal Education, Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://supremecourt.govmu.org/scourt/pub/siteMap.jsp">http://supremecourt.govmu.org/scourt/pub/siteMap.jsp</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Code of Ethics promulgated by the Mauritius Law Society.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Advocates' Association of Sarawak – <a href="http://www.sarawak-advocates.org.my">http://www.sarawak-advocates.org.my</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Mauritius Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mauritiustlawsociety.com/">http://www.mauritiustlawsociety.com/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law Practitioners Act 1984 (amended 2011)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mauritiustlawsociety.com/documents-of-mls/law-practitioners-act">http://www.mauritiustlawsociety.com/documents-of-mls/law-practitioners-act</a>

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## MEXICO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Mexico
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a (lawyer); Licenciado/a en Derecho
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ministry of Public Education through the General Office of Professions
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sep.gob.mx/wb/sep1/sep1_Direccion_General_de_Profesioness_#.VmDC43YrKUk">http://www.sep.gob.mx/wb/sep1/sep1_Direccion_General_de_Profesioness_#.VmDC43YrKUk</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Mexican Bar Association (Barra Mexicana Colegio de Abogados) Illustrious and National College of Attorneys (Ilustre y Nacional Colegio de Abogados )
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bma.org.mx/index.php">http://www.bma.org.mx/index.php</a> <a href="http://www.incam.org/">http://www.incam.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Honour Tribunal of the Mexican Bar Association, but MBA is voluntary. Mexican Prosecutor and Judiciary (in cases of crimes related to advocacy practice)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bma.org.mx/index.php">http://www.bma.org.mx/index.php</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Federal Law on the Practice of Professions in the Federal District (Ley Reglamentaria del Artículo 5o. Constitucional, Relativo al Ejercicio de las Profesiones en el Distrito Federal). 1945, revised 2010.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.diputados.gob.mx/LeyesBiblio/pdf/208.pdf">http://www.diputados.gob.mx/LeyesBiblio/pdf/208.pdf</a>

## MOLDOVA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Moldova
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Advocates Licensing Commission of Moldovan Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.avocatul.md/comisia-de-licentiere-a-profesiei-de-avocat">http://www.avocatul.md/comisia-de-licentiere-a-profesiei-de-avocat</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Moldovan Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.avocatul.md/">http://www.avocatul.md/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Commission for Ethics and Discipline of Moldovan Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.avocatul.md/comisia-pentru-etica-si-disciplina">http://www.avocatul.md/comisia-pentru-etica-si-disciplina</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Law On Legal Profession of 19 July 2002 as last amended in 7 December 2012

## MONTENEGRO\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Montenegro
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Advokatska Komora Crne Gore (Bar Association of Montenegro)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatskakomora.me/naslovna.html">http://www.advokatskakomora.me/naslovna.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Advokatska Komora Crne Gore (Bar Association of Montenegro)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatskakomora.me/naslovna.html">http://www.advokatskakomora.me/naslovna.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Advokatska Komora Crne Gore (Bar Association of Montenegro)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatskakomora.me/naslovna.html">http://www.advokatskakomora.me/naslovna.html</a>

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## MOROCCO\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Morocco
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Registration of both individual lawyers and law firms is undertaken by the relevant local Bar Associations (Ordres des Avocats).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The largest are: Ordre des Avocats, 94, rue Prince Moulay Abdallah, Casablanca, Maroc (Tél. 00 212 22 27 71 06) Ordre des Avocats Cour d'Appel de Rabat, Rabat, Maroc (Tél. 00 212 37 76 41 23 - 00 212 37 72 39 60
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Local Bar Associations
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The largest are: Ordre des Avocats, 94, rue Prince Moulay Abdallah, Casablanca, Maroc (Tél. 00 212 22 27 71 06) Ordre des Avocats Cour d'Appel de Rabat, Rabat, Maroc (Tél. 00 212 37 76 41 23 - 00 212 37 72 39 60
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Local Bar Associations
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The largest are: Ordre des Avocats, 94, rue Prince Moulay Abdallah, Casablanca, Maroc (Tél. 00 212 22 27 71 06) Ordre des Avocats Cour d'Appel de Rabat, Rabat, Maroc (Tél. 00 212 37 76 41 23 - 00 212 37 72 39 60
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Dahir (Royal Decree) n° 1-08-101 on Law no. 28-08 of 20 October 2008 on 'Organising the exercise of the lawyer's profession'
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.justice.gov.ma/lg-1/metiers/metier-7.aspx#av1">http://www.justice.gov.ma/lg-1/metiers/metier-7.aspx#av1</a>

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## MOZAMBIQUE\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Mozambique
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Mozambique Bar Association (Ordem dos Advogados de Moçambique)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oam.org.mz/">http://www.oam.org.mz/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Mozambique Bar Association (Ordem dos Advogados de Moçambique)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oam.org.mz/">http://www.oam.org.mz/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Mozambique Bar Association (Ordem dos Advogados de Moçambique)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oam.org.mz/wp-content/Docs/2-Regulamento/Regulamento-Disciplinar.pdf">http://www.oam.org.mz/wp-content/Docs/2-Regulamento/Regulamento-Disciplinar.pdf</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law on the Bar Association Law no. 7/94 of 14 September 1994 (Updated 30/9/09)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oam.org.mz/leis-e-normas/">http://www.oam.org.mz/leis-e-normas/</a>

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## MYANMAR

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Myanmar
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate: A Higher Grade Pleaders after three years of practice may apply to the Myanmar Bar Council to become an Advocate. Higher Grade Pleader: A Higher Grade Pleader is entitled to practise in all Civil and Criminal Courts subordinate to the High Courts.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Practising certificates are issued by Myanmar Bar Council. The administration of practising certificates is carried out by the administration office of the Supreme Court based in Nay Pyi Taw.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.unionsupremecourt.gov.mm/">http://www.unionsupremecourt.gov.mm/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Myanmar Bar Council is the regulatory body. The Supreme Court of Myanmar produces and maintain the Court Manual.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.unionsupremecourt.gov.mm/">http://www.unionsupremecourt.gov.mm/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Myanmar Bar Council.
<b>Other Bodies</b>	There are a number of bar associations but these associations do not have regulatory powers derived from statutes.
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Bar Council Act 1929 The Law Amending the Bar Council Act (1989) The Legal Practitioners Act 1880.

## NAMIBIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Namibia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Namibia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietynamibia.org/">http://lawsocietynamibia.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Namibia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietynamibia.org/">http://lawsocietynamibia.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Namibia. Ethical Code includes the Legal Practitioners Act and the Rules of the Law Society of Namibia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietynamibia.org/">http://lawsocietynamibia.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	LEGAL PRACTITIONERS ACT 15 OF 1995 (as amended 1997 and 2002)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietynamibia.org/content/tariffs/regularoty/amended-practitioners-act">http://lawsocietynamibia.org/content/tariffs/regularoty/amended-practitioners-act</a>

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## NEPAL

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Nepal
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Baristha Adhivakta (Senior Advocate) Adhivakta (Advocate) Abhivakta (Pleader) Abhikarta (Agent) The first two categories of legal practitioners can appear and argue before any court including Supreme Court. The later two can appear before up to Court of Appeal excluding the Supreme Court.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Nepal Bar Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nepalbar.org/">http://www.nepalbar.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Nepal Bar Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nepalbar.org/">http://www.nepalbar.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Nepal Bar Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nepalbar.org/">http://www.nepalbar.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Nepal Bar Council Act 2050 [1993]
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawcommission.gov.np/index.php?option=com_remository&amp;func=fileinfo&amp;id=599&amp;Itemid=14&amp;lang=en">http://www.lawcommission.gov.np/index.php?option=com_remository&amp;func=fileinfo&amp;id=599&amp;Itemid=14&amp;lang=en</a>

## NETHERLANDS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Netherlands
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocaat (registered lawyer) Notaris/Kandidaat Notaris (civil law notary) The Netherlands Bar has no responsibility for civil law notaries. Their professional organization is the KNB ( <a href="http://www.knb.nl/homepage">http://www.knb.nl/homepage</a> ) and their regulator is the BFT ( <a href="http://www.bureauft.nl">www.bureauft.nl</a> )
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	A advocaat is sworn in by the one of the 11 courts. Before being sworn in the advocaat has to provide the local Bar council all information required by law (article 2 of the Act on Advocates). The local Bar council has the power to intervene (article 4 of the Act on Advocates). After being sworn in the advocaat is admitted to the roll of lawyers by the secretary-general of The Netherlands Bar (article 8 of the Act on Advocates).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Local Bar Council <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde</a> The Netherlands Bar <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/vind-uw-advocaat">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/vind-uw-advocaat</a> Roll of lawyers <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The local Bar president is the regulator for advocaten in his own district. There are 11 districts in total. The local Bar president is assisted by the local Bar council, a local supporting staff and by a department within The Netherlands Bar.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Local Bar president <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde</a> More information about regulation (in Dutch): <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/11282/advocaten/toezicht-en-handhaving-door-de-deken.html?thema=toezicht&amp;themaID=2738">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/11282/advocaten/toezicht-en-handhaving-door-de-deken.html?thema=toezicht&amp;themaID=2738</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Local Bar president <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde</a> More information about regulation (in Dutch): <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/11282/advocaten/toezicht-en-handhaving-door-de-deken.html?thema=toezicht&amp;themaID=2738">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/11282/advocaten/toezicht-en-handhaving-door-de-deken.html?thema=toezicht&amp;themaID=2738</a>
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Local Bar president <a href="https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde">https://www.advocatenorde.nl/8347/advocaten/ledenlijst-raad-van-de-orde</a> Disciplinary board <a href="http://www.raadvandiscipline.nl/site/">http://www.raadvandiscipline.nl/site/</a> Disciplinary court <a href="http://www.hofvandiscipline.nl">www.hofvandiscipline.nl</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The Netherlands Bar led by the general council is responsible for all legislation for lawyers There also is a Supervisory Board of which The president of The Netherlands Bar is president and with two other member who are appointed by government (article 36a-36c and 45i of the Act on Advocates). The task of this new Supervisory Board is to oversee the performance of the Local Bar President in his (new) supervising role and in handling of complaints. The Supervisory Board can in the end suspend or relieve the Local Bar President of his tasks, in the exceptional case of neglecting his duties.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The Netherlands Bar <a href="http://www.advocatenorde.nl">www.advocatenorde.nl</a> The Supervisory Board <a href="http://www.collegevantoezichtnova.nl">www.collegevantoezichtnova.nl</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Act on Advocates (Advocatenwet) The Decision on legal requirements of lawyers (Besluit beroepsvereisten advocatuur) The bye-law on advocates (Verordening op de advocatuur) The code of conduct (Gedragsregels) 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://regelgeving.advocatenorde.nl/">http://regelgeving.advocatenorde.nl/</a>

## NEW ZEALAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	New Zealand
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister/Solicitor of the High Court of New Zealand
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	New Zealand Council of Legal Education, New Zealand Law Society and High Court of New Zealand
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.nz/for-lawyers/joining-the-legal-profession/admission">http://www.lawsociety.org.nz/for-lawyers/joining-the-legal-profession/admission</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	New Zealand Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.nz/for-lawyers/regulatory-requirements">http://www.lawsociety.org.nz/for-lawyers/regulatory-requirements</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Lawyers Standards Committees operated by the New Zealand Law Society Complaints Service; Lawyers Complaints Review Officer; Lawyers and Conveyancers Disciplinary Tribunal.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.nz/home/for_lawyers/regulatory/complaints">http://www.lawsociety.org.nz/home/for_lawyers/regulatory/complaints</a> <a href="http://www.justice.govt.nz/tribunals/legal-complaints-review-officer">http://www.justice.govt.nz/tribunals/legal-complaints-review-officer</a> <a href="http://www.justice.govt.nz/tribunals/lawyers-and-conveyancers-disciplinary-tribunal">http://www.justice.govt.nz/tribunals/lawyers-and-conveyancers-disciplinary-tribunal</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.justice.govt.nz">http://www.justice.govt.nz</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Lawyers and Conveyancers Act 2006:
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legislation.govt.nz/act/public/2006/0001/latest/DLM364939.html?search=ts_act_lawyers&amp;sr=1">http://www.legislation.govt.nz/act/public/2006/0001/latest/DLM364939.html?search=ts_act_lawyers&amp;sr=1</a>

## NICARAGUA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Nicaragua
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni">http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni">http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni">http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Ley No. 260 LEY ORGÁNICA DEL PODER JUDICIAL DE LA REPÚBLICA DE NICARAGUA 1998
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni/arc-pdf/LOPJ.pdf">http://www.poderjudicial.gob.ni/arc-pdf/LOPJ.pdf</a>

## NIGER

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Niger
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau-niger.com/">http://www.barreau-niger.com/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau-niger.com/">http://www.barreau-niger.com/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau-niger.com/">http://www.barreau-niger.com/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Loi n° 2004-42 du 8 juin 2004 réglementant la profession d'avocat (Journal Officiel spécial n° 14 du 20 août 2004)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.barreau-niger.com/index.php/documentation.html">http://www.barreau-niger.com/index.php/documentation.html</a>



## NIGERIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Nigeria
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Body of Benchers, a body of legal practitioners of the highest distinction in the legal profession in Nigeria, are responsible for the formal call to the Bar of any persons seeking to become legal practitioners. Council of Legal Education; Supreme Court of Nigeria; The Registrar of the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://bob.gov.ng/">http://bob.gov.ng/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Bar Council of the Nigerian Bar Association; Body of Benchers; Nigerian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/">http://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Legal Practitioners Disciplinary Committee (Art. 11 - Legal Practitioners Act, CAP L11, LFN 2004)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/">http://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Legal Practitioners Re-numeration Committee charged with making orders regulating the fees charged by legal practitioners. S.15 Legal Practitioners Act, CAP L11, LFN 2004
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/">http://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Act, CAP L11, LFN 2004
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nigeria-law.org/Legal%20Practitioners%20Act.htm">http://www.nigeria-law.org/Legal%20Practitioners%20Act.htm</a>

## NORWAY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Norway
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advokat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supervisory Counsel for Legal Practice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://tilsynet.no">http://tilsynet.no</a> <a href="http://tilsynet.no/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/s%C3%B8knad-advokatbevilling-2015.pdf">http://tilsynet.no/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/s%C3%B8knad-advokatbevilling-2015.pdf</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Norwegian Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.advokatforeningen.no/">http://www.advokatforeningen.no/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Investigating and prosecuting lawyers: Supervisory Counsel for Legal Practice; Remove lawyer from the register: Advokatbevillingsnemnden
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://tilsynet.no">http://tilsynet.no</a> <a href="http://tilsynet.no/om-advokatbevillingsnemnden/">http://tilsynet.no/om-advokatbevillingsnemnden/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Domstolsloven (Courts of Justice Act) 1915.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wipo.int/wipolex/en/details.jsp?id=3257">http://www.wipo.int/wipolex/en/details.jsp?id=3257</a>

## OMAN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Oman
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.om">http://www.moj.gov.om</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.om">http://www.moj.gov.om</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ministry of Justice. Ethical Code: Lawyers Act.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.om">http://www.moj.gov.om</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Omani Law on Advocacy (Royal Decree no.108/1996)

## PAKISTAN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Pakistan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate Simplicitor/ Advocate of the High Courts/ Advocate of Supreme Court
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Pakistan Bar Council admit persons, fulfilling the requirements of law, as Advocates entitled to practice before the Supreme Court of Pakistan.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/">http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Provincial Bar Councils regulate advocates within their respective regions, with the Pakistan Bar Council supervision this regulation.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/provincial/">http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/provincial/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Disciplinary Committee of the Pakistan Bar Council will make all disciplinary decisions regarding advocates within the country, including removal from the roll.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/committees/">http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/committees/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Supreme Court of Pakistan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.gov.pk/web/">http://www.supremecourt.gov.pk/web/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners and Bar Councils Act, 1973 and Pakistan Legal Practitioners and Bar Councils Rules, 1976.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/category/acts-rules/">http://pakistanbarcouncil.org/category/acts-rules/</a>

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## PANAMA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Panama
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.organojudicial.gob.pa/">http://www.organojudicial.gob.pa/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.organojudicial.gob.pa/">http://www.organojudicial.gob.pa/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.organojudicial.gob.pa/">http://www.organojudicial.gob.pa/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Colegio Nacional de Abogados for its own membership; "Intendencia de Sujetos Obligados No Financieros" of the Ministry of Economy of Finance in the case of legal partnerships which provide services as resident agents of panamanian corporations for example.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cnapanama.com;">www.cnapanama.com</a> ; <a href="http://www.mef.gob.pa/es/direcciones/IntendenciaSujetosNoFinancieros/Paginas/mision-y-vision.aspx">http://www.mef.gob.pa/es/direcciones/IntendenciaSujetosNoFinancieros/Paginas/mision-y-vision.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law 9 (April 18, 1984), as amended by Law 8 (1993)

## PAPUA NEW GUINEA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Papua New Guinea
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Court admits lawyers and the Papua New Guinea Law Society issues certificates to lawyers who are on the roll maintained by the registrar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/papua-new-guinea">http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/papua-new-guinea</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Papua New Guinea Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/papua-new-guinea">http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/papua-new-guinea</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Papua New Guinea Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/papua-new-guinea">http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/papua-new-guinea</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Lawyers Act 1986
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.paclii.org/pg/legis/consol_act/lar1990260.rtf">http://www.paclii.org/pg/legis/consol_act/lar1990260.rtf</a>

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## PARAGUAY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Paraguay
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pj.gov.py/">http://www.pj.gov.py/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pj.gov.py/">http://www.pj.gov.py/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pj.gov.py/">http://www.pj.gov.py/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Codigo de Organización Judicial. Ley 879/81 - 2001
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cej.org.py/files/cod_org_judicial.pdf">http://www.cej.org.py/files/cod_org_judicial.pdf</a>

## PERU\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Peru
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Local bar associations
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.hg.org/bar-associations-peru.asp">https://www.hg.org/bar-associations-peru.asp</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Junta de Decanos de los Colegios de abogados del Peru (Board of Deans of law Associations of Peru)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.cal.org.pe/junta_decanos_peru.html">http://www.cal.org.pe/junta_decanos_peru.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Superior Court of Lima and Bar Association of Peru
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.peru.gob.pe/transparencia/pep_transparencia_lista_planes.asp?id_entidad=10051&amp;id_tema=1#.VaZdKfIViko">http://www.peru.gob.pe/transparencia/pep_transparencia_lista_planes.asp?id_entidad=10051&amp;id_tema=1#.VaZdKfIViko</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Superior Court of Lima
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.peru.gob.pe/transparencia/pep_transparencia_lista_planes.asp?id_entidad=10051&amp;id_tema=1#.VaZdKfIViko">http://www.peru.gob.pe/transparencia/pep_transparencia_lista_planes.asp?id_entidad=10051&amp;id_tema=1#.VaZdKfIViko</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The 1997 Código de Ética y Responsabilidad Profesional del Abogado (Code of Ethics and Professional Responsibility for Lawyers) updated in 2012. This Code regulates all bar associations in the country, in every field of the practice of law. To practise law in Peru it is a requirement to be a member of a bar association in the country.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ramajudicial.pr/reglas-de-conducta/Cap-1a.pdf">http://www.ramajudicial.pr/reglas-de-conducta/Cap-1a.pdf</a>

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## PHILIPPINES\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Philippines
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Counsellor at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://sc.judiciary.gov.ph/">http://sc.judiciary.gov.ph/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court and the Integrated Bar of the Philippines
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://sc.judiciary.gov.ph/">http://sc.judiciary.gov.ph/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://sc.judiciary.gov.ph/">http://sc.judiciary.gov.ph/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Integrated Bar of the Philippines
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ibp.ph/ibp_home.html">http://www.ibp.ph/ibp_home.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Republic Act No 6397 of 17 September 1971 and Supreme Court Rule 139-A, effective 16 January 1973
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ibp.ph/downloads/pdf/RepublicAct6397.pdf">http://www.ibp.ph/downloads/pdf/RepublicAct6397.pdf</a>

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## POLAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Poland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Adwokat (Advocate)/ Radca Prawny (Legal Adviser); There are two equal regulated legal professions in Poland – advocates and legal advisers. Each profession is regulated by a separate Bar Association: Polish Bar Council for advocates and National Council of Legal Advisers for legal advisers. Both Bars were established by the acts of Parliament.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	For legal advisers – Krajowa Rada Radców Prawnych – National Council of Legal Advisers For advocates - Naczelna Rada Adwokacka - Polish Bar Council It must be noted that 24 Regional Bar Councils and 19 Regional Chambers of Legal Advisers are responsible for keeping the registers of advocates and legal advisers. Both the Polish Bar Council and the National Council of Legal Advisers publish the national database of lawyers (for legal advisers: <a href="http://www.rejestradcow.pl">www.rejestradcow.pl</a> , for advocates: <a href="http://www.rejestradwokatow.pl">www.rejestradwokatow.pl</a> )
<b>Contact/URL</b>	National Council of Legal Advisers - <a href="http://www.kirp.pl">www.kirp.pl</a> Polish Bar Council - <a href="http://www.nra.pl">http://www.nra.pl</a> National Council of Legal Advisers: Al. Ujazdowskie 41 lok 2 00-540 Warszawa, Poland Phone: +48 22 319 56 01, fax: +48 22 319 56 16. e-mail: <a href="mailto:kirp@kirp.pl">kirp@kirp.pl</a> Polish Bar Council: Naczelna Rada Adwokacka ul. Świętojerska 16, 00-202 Warszawa Phone: +48 22 505 25 01 Fax: +48 22 505 25 08
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	For legal advisers – National Council of Legal Advisers For advocates - Polish Bar Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	National Council of Legal Advisers - <a href="http://www.kirp.pl">www.kirp.pl</a> Polish Bar Council - <a href="http://www.nra.pl">http://www.nra.pl</a> National Council of Legal Advisers: Al. Ujazdowskie 41 lok 2 00-540 Warszawa, Poland Phone: +48 22 319 56 01, fax: +48 22 319 56 16. e-mail: <a href="mailto:kirp@kirp.pl">kirp@kirp.pl</a> Polish Bar Council: Naczelna Rada Adwokacka ul. Świętojerska 16, 00-202 Warszawa Phone: +48 22 505 25 01 Fax: +48 22 505 25 08 e-mail: <a href="mailto:nra@nra.pl">nra@nra.pl</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	For legal advisers: First instance - Disciplinary Spokespersons and Regional Disciplinary Courts associated with Regional Chambers of Legal Advisers. As second instance: Main Disciplinary Spokesperson and Higher Disciplinary Court associated with the National Council of Legal Advisers Legal basis: Code of ethics of legal adviser ( <a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0">http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0</a> ) For advocates: First instance - Disciplinary Spokespersons and Disciplinary Courts associated with Regional Chambers of Advocates. As second instance: Disciplinary Spokesperson of the Bar and Higher Disciplinary Court associated with the Polish Bar Council. Legal basis: Code of ethics for advocates ( <a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0">http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0</a> )
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0">http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0</a> <a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0">http://www.ccbe.eu/index.php?id=107&amp;L=0</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Act of Parliament on Legal Advisers (ustawa z dnia 6 lipca 1982 r. o radcach prawnych) The Law on Advocates (ustawa z dnia 26 maja 1982 r. Prawo o adwokaturze)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_poland_law_on_adv1_1188889310.pdf">http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_poland_law_on_adv1_1188889310.pdf</a>

## PORTUGAL\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Portugal
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advogado (lawyer)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ordem dos Advogados (Portuguese Bar Association)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oa.pt/">http://www.oa.pt/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ordem dos Advogados (Portuguese Bar Association)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oa.pt/">http://www.oa.pt/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ordem dos Advogados (Portuguese Bar Association)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oa.pt/">http://www.oa.pt/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law 49/2004 of 24 August: Lawyers' Act.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oa.pt/Conteudos/Artigos/detalhe_artigo.aspx?idc=30819&amp;idsc=22812">http://www.oa.pt/Conteudos/Artigos/detalhe_artigo.aspx?idc=30819&amp;idsc=22812</a>

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## **QATAR\***

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Qatar
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer/Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Lawyer Acceptance Committee, Ministry of Justice.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.qa/d-9.php">http://www.moj.gov.qa/d-9.php</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.qa">www.moj.gov.qa</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.qa">www.moj.gov.qa</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Law on Lawyers, No. 23 of 2006.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.almeezan.qa/LawArticles.aspx?LawTreeSectionID=9136&amp;lawId=2563&amp;language=en">http://www.almeezan.qa/LawArticles.aspx?LawTreeSectionID=9136&amp;lawId=2563&amp;language=en</a>

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## ROMANIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Romania
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	There are 42 local bar associations that make up the National Association of Romanian Bars. The relevant local bar awards lawyers admission to the profession.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://unbr.ro/en/narb/bars/">http://unbr.ro/en/narb/bars/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Romanian National Union of Bar Associations
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://unbr.ro/en/narb/narb/">http://unbr.ro/en/narb/narb/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The National Association of Romanian Bars has the Central Disciplinary Commission, which handles disciplinary proceedings, alongside the local bars rules and processes.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://unbr.ro/en/narb/central-disciplinary-commission/">http://unbr.ro/en/narb/central-disciplinary-commission/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Any proposal for amendment of any law shall be voted by the Lawyers' Congress that convenes annually.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://unbr.ro/ro/">http://unbr.ro/ro/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law No. 51/1995; The Legal Profession Bylaws; The Lawyers' Pensions Law
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://unbr.ro/ro/legea-nr-511995/">http://unbr.ro/ro/legea-nr-511995/</a>

## RUSSIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Russia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	адвокат (Advocate)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The status of a Russian advocate may be granted by the special qualification commission of each regional Chamber of Advocates. Ministry of Justice issues the practicing certificates.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.fparf.ru">http://www.fparf.ru</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Federal Chamber of Lawyers of the Russian Federation
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.fparf.ru">http://www.fparf.ru</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Councils of the regional Chambers of Lawyers and Qualifications Commissions of the regional Chambers
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.fparf.ru">http://www.fparf.ru</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://government.ru/en/department/99/events/">http://government.ru/en/department/99/events/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The principal regulation for advocates is the Federal Law "On Advocates' Activities and Advocacy in the Russian Federation" of 31 May 2002

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## RWANDA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Rwanda
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Bar Association (Preliminary admission: setting admission criteria, preparation of entry exam) and Supreme Court of Rwanda (admission: swearing in before the Chief Justice)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://rwandabar.org.rw/">http://rwandabar.org.rw/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Council of the Rwanda Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://rwandabar.org.rw/">http://rwandabar.org.rw/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the Rwanda Bar Association.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://rwandabar.org.rw/">http://rwandabar.org.rw/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	LAW N°83/2013 OF 11/09/2013 ESTABLISHING THE BAR ASSOCIATION IN RWANDA AND DETERMINING ITS ORGANIZATION AND FUNCTIONING
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://rwandabar.org.rw/wp-content/uploads/2014/07/Rwanda-Bar-Association-Law-Official_Gazette_no_44_of_04.11.2013.pdf">http://rwandabar.org.rw/wp-content/uploads/2014/07/Rwanda-Bar-Association-Law-Official_Gazette_no_44_of_04.11.2013.pdf</a>

## SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Federation of Saint Kitts and Nevis
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Bar Association of Saint Kitts and Nevis
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/members/st-kitts-nevis">http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/members/st-kitts-nevis</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Bar Association of Saint Kitts and Nevis
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/members/st-kitts-nevis">http://www.oecsbar.org/index.php/en/members/st-kitts-nevis</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:offices@eccourts.org">offices@eccourts.org</a> For link to disciplinary rules: <a href="http://www.eccourts.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/S.I.-17-of-2014.pdf">http://www.eccourts.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/S.I.-17-of-2014.pdf</a>

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## SAINT LUCIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Saint Lucia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Saint Lucia Bar Association
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Saint Lucia Bar Association
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:offices@eccourts.org">offices@eccourts.org</a> For link to disciplinary rules: <a href="http://www.eccourts.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/S.L.-_17-of-2014.pdf">http://www.eccourts.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/S.L.-_17-of-2014.pdf</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act Cap. 2:04; Supreme Court (Legal Profession Disciplinary Procedure) Rules No. 17 of 2014.

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## SAMOA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Independent State of Samoa
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Barrister or Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of Samoa
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mjca.gov.ws/">http://www.mjca.gov.ws/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Samoa Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Samoa Law Society PO Box 6421 Mulimuu Street Apia, Samoa Ph: +685 29 291 Email: <a href="mailto:saoalawsociety@samoaaonline.ws">saoalawsociety@samoaaonline.ws</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Samoa Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Samoa Law Society PO Box 6421 Mulimuu Street Apia, Samoa Ph: +685 29 291 Email: <a href="mailto:saoalawsociety@samoaaonline.ws">saoalawsociety@samoaaonline.ws</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Act 1976
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.imolin.org/doc/amlid/Samoa/Samoa_Law_Practitioners_Act_1976.pdf">https://www.imolin.org/doc/amlid/Samoa/Samoa_Law_Practitioners_Act_1976.pdf</a>

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## SAUDI ARABIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Saudi Arabia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer/Advocate ( محام )
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Registration of lawyers is undertaken by the Lawyers Registration and Admission Committee, which comprises the Deputy Minister of Justice, a representative from the Board of Grievances and a practising lawyer appointed by the Minister of Justice.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Ministry of Justice- P. O Box 7775 Riyadh 11427
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Ministry of Justice- P. O Box 7775 Riyadh 11427 <a href="http://www.moj.gov.sa/arsa/ministry/Pages/mojssystems.aspx">http://www.moj.gov.sa/arsa/ministry/Pages/mojssystems.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Board, under the supervision of the Ministry of Justice.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.saudiembassy.net/about/country-information/laws/Board_of_grievances_law.aspx">https://www.saudiembassy.net/about/country-information/laws/Board_of_grievances_law.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Code of Law Practice
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://boe.gov.sa/ViewSystemDetails.aspx?lang=en&amp;SystemID=126&amp;VersionID=156">https://boe.gov.sa/ViewSystemDetails.aspx?lang=en&amp;SystemID=126&amp;VersionID=156</a>

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## SEYCHELLES\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Seychelles
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of the Seychelles and the Bar Association of the Seychelles
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bas.sc/qualifying-as-a-seychelles-lawyer">http://www.bas.sc/qualifying-as-a-seychelles-lawyer</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of the Seychelles
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bas.sc/seychelles-legal-system/the-judiciary/the-supreme-court-of-seychelles">http://www.bas.sc/seychelles-legal-system/the-judiciary/the-supreme-court-of-seychelles</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court of Seychelles
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.bas.sc/seychelles-legal-system/the-judiciary/the-supreme-court-of-seychelles">http://www.bas.sc/seychelles-legal-system/the-judiciary/the-supreme-court-of-seychelles</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	LEGAL PRACTITIONERS ACT 1994 (as amended up to 2013)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://greybook.seylii.org/se/CAP111">http://greybook.seylii.org/se/CAP111</a>

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## SIERRA LEONE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Sierra Leone
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	2nd Floor, No. 7 Walpole Street, Freetown. <a href="mailto:generallegalcouncil@gmail.com">generallegalcouncil@gmail.com</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	2nd Floor, No. 7 Walpole Street, Freetown. <a href="mailto:generallegalcouncil@gmail.com">generallegalcouncil@gmail.com</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	General Legal Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	2nd Floor, No. 7 Walpole Street, Freetown. <a href="mailto:generallegalcouncil@gmail.com">generallegalcouncil@gmail.com</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The General Legal Council is the sole body responsible for regulating the conduct of Lawyers in Sierra Leone
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Legal Practitioners Act No. 15 of Legal Practitioners (Code of Conduct) Statutory Instrument No.1 of 2011 made pursuant to section 53 of the Legal Practitioners Act 2000 supra 2000 (LPA) 2010
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sierra-leone.org/Laws/2000-15.pdf">http://www.sierra-leone.org/Laws/2000-15.pdf</a>

## SINGAPORE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Republic of Singapore
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate/Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Singapore
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Singapore Institute of Legal Education (SILE), The Law Society of Singapore (Law Society) and the Attorney-General's Chambers (AGC). - SILE ensures that every person who wishes to seek admission met the qualifications for admission before a petition for admission hearing is scheduled. The Law Society and the AGC assess fitness of character for admission as an advocate and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Singapore after the petition for admission has been filed in the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.mlaw.gov.sg/content/minlaw/en/practising-as-a-lawyer/AdmissionRequirements.html">https://www.mlaw.gov.sg/content/minlaw/en/practising-as-a-lawyer/AdmissionRequirements.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Legal Services Regulatory Authority ("LSRA") was established as a department under the Ministry of Law on 18 November 2015. The LSRA performs the following key functions, previously undertaken by the Attorney-General's Chambers' Legal Profession Secretariat and the Law Society: Licenses or registers all law practice entities; Sets and reviews the business criteria and licence conditions relevant to different law practice structures; Oversees the compliance by law practice entities of the business criteria and licence conditions; Approves collaborative arrangements of Singapore Law Practices involving foreign ownership, profit-sharing or concurrent partnership; and Registers foreign-qualified lawyers and regulated non-practitioners
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.mlaw.gov.sg/content/minlaw/en/our-work/legal-services-regulatory-authority.html">https://www.mlaw.gov.sg/content/minlaw/en/our-work/legal-services-regulatory-authority.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society receives complaint of professional misconduct for both local lawyers as well as foreign lawyers registered with LSRA to practise foreign law in Singapore. When a complaint against a lawyer for professional misconduct under Section 85(1) Legal Profession Act is received by the Law Society, the Council of the Law Society is required to refer the complaint to the Chairman of the Inquiry Panel (an independent panel appointed by the Chief Justice) for review by a Review Committee. If a complaint involves a foreign lawyer, a registered foreign lawyer is involved in every stage of the disciplinary proceedings save for the Court of 3 Judges.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.supremecourt.gov.sg/default.aspx?pgID=81">https://www.supremecourt.gov.sg/default.aspx?pgID=81</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Professional Conduct Council This is a new institution chaired by the Chief Justice with representatives drawn from the Judiciary, Law Society and the Attorney-General's Chambers to review and redraft conduct rules applicable to both local and foreign lawyers.
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act (Chapter 161) Legal Profession (Professional Conduct) Rules Legal Profession (International Services) Rules 2008 Legal Profession (Qualified Persons) Rules Legal Profession (Admission) Rules Legal Profession (Law Practice Entities) Rules 2015 Legal Profession (Regulated Individuals) Rules 2015 Legal Profession (Modified Application of Act for International Services) Rules 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://statutes.agc.gov.sg/aol/home.w3p">http://statutes.agc.gov.sg/aol/home.w3p</a>

## SLOVAKIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Slovakia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advokát/Komerčný právnik
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Slovak Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.sak.sk/blox/cms/en">https://www.sak.sk/blox/cms/en</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Slovak Bar Association and the Parliament of Slovakia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.sak.sk/blox/cms/en">https://www.sak.sk/blox/cms/en</a> <a href="http://www.nrsr.sk/web/default.aspx?lang=en">http://www.nrsr.sk/web/default.aspx?lang=en</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Slovak Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.sak.sk/blox/cms/en">https://www.sak.sk/blox/cms/en</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Parliament of Slovakia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nrsr.sk/web/default.aspx?lang=en">http://www.nrsr.sk/web/default.aspx?lang=en</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Parliamentary Act No. 586/2003 Coll. on the Legal Profession and an Amending Act No. 455/1991 Coll. on the Business and Self-Employment Services (Business Licensing Act) as amended
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccbe.org/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_slovak_rep_parlia1_1188889665.pdf">http://www.ccbe.org/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_slovak_rep_parlia1_1188889665.pdf</a>

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## SLOVENIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Slovenia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Odvetnik (Attorney at Law)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Slovene Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.odv-zb.si/">www.odv-zb.si/</a> <a href="mailto:info@odv-zb.si">info@odv-zb.si</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Slovene Bar Association under supervision of the Constitutional Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.odv-zb.si/en/regulations/bar-act">http://www.odv-zb.si/en/regulations/bar-act</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.odv-zb.si/predpisi">www.odv-zb.si/predpisi</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Constitutional Court of Slovenia as the most higher instance of the control of human rights protection. Within SBA exists an independent body by title: "disciplinski tožilec", e.g. "Disciplinary prosecutor" who runs procedure against lawyer. Than: the Disciplinary commission of the 1. instance -it passes a disciplinary measures against lawyers. The Disciplinary commission of the 2. instance: complaints Board. Than: The Disciplinary Court : an independent Board within SBA which consists of two judges of the Supreme Court and three lawyers. It controls the decisions of the 2. instance regarding the control of the worst sanctions against lawyer (removing from the register, suspension).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Constitutional Court of Slovenia: <a href="http://www.us-rs.si/en/">www.us-rs.si/en/</a> Supreme Court: <a href="http://www.sodisce.si/vsrs/">www.sodisce.si/vsrs/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Bar Act was adopted in 1993 and amended in 1996,2001,2008,2014 (Decisions of the Constitutional Court: Official Gazette Nr. 24/01,54/08,35/09)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.odv-zb.si/predpisi">www.odv-zb.si/predpisi</a> <a href="http://www.odv-zb.si/en/regulations/">www.odv-zb.si/en/regulations/</a>



## SOLOMON ISLANDS\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Solomon Islands
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Chief Justice
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Rules Committee and Chief Justice
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	When needed, a disciplinary committee will be appointed by the Chief Justice
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners (Admission) Rules 1996
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.paclii.org/sb/legis/consol_act/lpa207.rtf">http://www.paclii.org/sb/legis/consol_act/lpa207.rtf</a>

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## SOUTH AFRICA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	South Africa
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Admission exam is administered by the South African Law Society Currently regulated under the Attorneys Act, no. 53 of 1979 by the following four provincial Law Societies: LSNP, KZN, Cape & Free State Once the Legal Practice Act, No. 40 of 2014 becomes operational in 2017/2018, there will be only one responsible national regulator.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lssa.org.za/?q=con,92,How%20to%20become%20an%20attorney">http://www.lssa.org.za/?q=con,92,How%20to%20become%20an%20attorney</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Currently 4 Statutory Provincial Law Societies: 1. Law Society of the Northern Provinces (Gauteng, Limpopo, North West and Mpumalanga) 2. Cape Law Society (Western Cape, Eastern Cape and Northern Cape) 3. Kwa Zulu Natal Law Society 4. Law Society of the Free State
<b>Contact/URL</b>	1. Law Society of the Northern Provinces <a href="http://www.northernlaw.co.za/">http://www.northernlaw.co.za/</a> 2. Cape Law Society <a href="http://www.capelawsoc.law.za/">http://www.capelawsoc.law.za/</a> 3. Kwa Zulu Natal Law Society <a href="https://www.lawsoc.co.za/">https://www.lawsoc.co.za/</a> 4. Law Society of the Free State <a href="http://www.fs-law.co.za/">http://www.fs-law.co.za/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Provincial Law Societies hold disciplinary enquiries and where applicable application (serious misconduct, e.g. theft of client funds) is made to The High Court to have the defaulting attorney struck from the Roll.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The various High Courts where attorneys apply to be admitted to the Roll of Practicing attorneys: <a href="http://www.justice.gov.za/about/sa-courts.html">http://www.justice.gov.za/about/sa-courts.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Attorney's Act of 1979, as amended
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lssa.org.za/?q=con,368,Legal%20Practice%20Act%2028%20of%202014">http://www.lssa.org.za/?q=con,368,Legal%20Practice%20Act%2028%20of%202014</a> The Legal profession in South Africa is currently in transition with the Consolidation of the Attorneys and Advocate profession under one (1) regulatory authority, in Terms of the Legal Practice Act (LPA) of 2014 and this will replace the Attorneys Act of 1979 when all provisions of the LPA are brought into effect. Legal Practice Act: <a href="http://www.justice.gov.za/legislation/acts/2014-028.pdf">http://www.justice.gov.za/legislation/acts/2014-028.pdf</a>

## SPAIN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Spain
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Consejo General de la Abogacia Espanola. Additionally must be registered with local bar association to practice. There are 83 local bars.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/ejercicio-de-la-abogacia/">http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/ejercicio-de-la-abogacia/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Regional Bars, local bar association and Consejo General de la Abogacia Espanola
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/normativa-profesional/">http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/normativa-profesional/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Board of local Bar with appeal to the Regional Bar or the Consejo General de la Abogacia Espanola directly, in case there is no Regional Bar in the concrete Region. There are 10 regional bars.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.abogacia.es/">http://www.abogacia.es/</a> <a href="http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/colegios-y-consejos/">http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/colegios-y-consejos/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mjusticia.gob.es/cs/Satellite/Portal/es/inicio">http://www.mjusticia.gob.es/cs/Satellite/Portal/es/inicio</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Organic Law 6 /1985 of 1 July, the Judicial Branch. Title II: Lawyers and Attorneys, Royal Decree 658/2001 of 22 June, which approves the General Statute of the Spanish Bar, Law 34/2006 of October 30, on access to the professions of lawyer or solicitor of the Courts. Royal Decree 775/2011 of 3 June, which approves the Regulations of Law 34/2006, of October 30, on access to the professions of lawyer or solicitor of the Courts., Law 17/2009 of 13 November, on the free access to the services activities and their practice, Royal Decree 36/2006, of 17 November.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_spain_bylaw_spdf1_1188889840.pdf">http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_spain_bylaw_spdf1_1188889840.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/normativa-profesional/">http://www.abogacia.es/conozcanos/la-institucion/normativa-profesional/</a>

## SRI LANKA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Sri Lanka
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of Sri Lanka
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.lk/index.php">http://www.supremecourt.lk/index.php</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Sri Lanka
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.lk/index.php">http://www.supremecourt.lk/index.php</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court of Sri Lanka
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.lk/index.php">http://www.supremecourt.lk/index.php</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Sri Lanka Law College
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sllc.ac.lk/index.html">http://www.sllc.ac.lk/index.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Administration of Justice Law, No. 44 of 1973 and Part VII of the Rules of the Supreme Court Rules, 1978 published in the Government Gazette No. 9/10 of November 08, 1978
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.commonlii.org/lk/legis/num_act/aojl44o1973330/">http://www.commonlii.org/lk/legis/num_act/aojl44o1973330/</a>

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## SUDAN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Sudan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	1. Lawyer 2. Counsellor (Ustaz- ذانتسأل) for lawyers with more than 10 years experience
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Advocates Admission Committee
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Mr. Abdel-Azim Mehdi Ahmed Hemit Secretary of the Committee +249 91230 7944
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Sudanese Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Mr. Eltayib Haron ALI The President of the Bar Tel: +249 91230 5195 <a href="http://www.sudaadvoc.net/en/index.php">http://www.sudaadvoc.net/en/index.php</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Complaints Committee
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Mr. Abdel-Azim Mehdi Ahmed Hemit Secretary of the Committee +249 91230 7944
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Organization of the Legal Profession Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	The Head of the Council is the Minister of Justice and the President of the Bar is a member of the Council Mr. Eltayib Haron ALI The President of the Bar Tel: +249 91230 5195 <a href="http://www.lpc.gov.sd">http://www.lpc.gov.sd</a> email: <a href="mailto:lpc@lpc.gov.sd">lpc@lpc.gov.sd</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Sudan's Advocacy Act 1983 (2014 Amendments)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://moj.gov.sd/content/laws4/4/6.htm">http://moj.gov.sd/content/laws4/4/6.htm</a>

## SWAZILAND\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Swaziland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Advocate/Conveyancer/Notary/Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The High Court of Swaziland
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/index.php/membership">http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/index.php/membership</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Swaziland and the Attorney General (in relation to trust accounts)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/images/Legal%20Practitioners%20act%20of%201964.pdf">http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/images/Legal%20Practitioners%20act%20of%201964.pdf</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Swaziland
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/images/Legal%20Practitioners%20Disciplinary%20Proceedings.pdf">http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/images/Legal%20Practitioners%20Disciplinary%20Proceedings.pdf</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Law Society of Swaziland
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/">http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Act 1964
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/images/Legal%20Practitioners%20act%20of%201964.pdf">http://lawsocietyofswaziland.co.sz/images/Legal%20Practitioners%20act%20of%201964.pdf</a>

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## SWEDEN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Sweden
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advokat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of the Swedish Bar Association (register kept by the Secretariat of the Swedish Bar Association)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Membership-and-registration/">https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Membership-and-registration/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Swedish Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Membership-and-registration/">https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Membership-and-registration/</a> <a href="https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Documents/Advokatsamfundet_eng/Code_of_Professional_Conduct_with_Commentary.pdf">https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Documents/Advokatsamfundet_eng/Code_of_Professional_Conduct_with_Commentary.pdf</a> <a href="https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Rules-and-regulations/">https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Rules-and-regulations/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Board of Disciplinary Committee of the Swedish Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Complaints-about-lawyers/">https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Advokatsamfundet-engelska/Complaints-about-lawyers/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Swedish Code of Judicial Procedure (CJP), Chapter 8, the Charter of the Swedish Bar Association and the Code of Professional Conduct for Members of the Swedish Bar Association.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Documents/Advokatsamfundet_eng/Excerpt%20Code%20of%20Judicial%20Procedure.DOC">https://www.advokatsamfundet.se/Documents/Advokatsamfundet_eng/Excerpt%20Code%20of%20Judicial%20Procedure.DOC</a>

## SWITZERLAND\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Federal movement but cantonal regulation
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avokat/Rechtsanwalt
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	All lawyers who are listed in a cantonal register can practice.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sav-fsa.ch/en/anwaltsrecht/anwaltsregister.html">http://www.sav-fsa.ch/en/anwaltsrecht/anwaltsregister.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Regulation is conducted by legislation with the canton (26) of practice.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sav-fsa.ch/en/anwaltsrecht/gesetze-kantone.html">http://www.sav-fsa.ch/en/anwaltsrecht/gesetze-kantone.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Judicial organization in each canton (26).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sav-fsa.ch/en/anwaltsrecht/aufsichtsbehoerden.html">http://www.sav-fsa.ch/en/anwaltsrecht/aufsichtsbehoerden.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Federal Act on the Freedom of Movement for Lawyers (FAFML) of 23 June 2000. There is local legislation in each canton which grants them the right to determine the requirements for obtaining a license to practise law in their territory and the right to authorise lawyers, accredited with its cantonal license, to represent parties before its own judicial authorities as opposed to the Federal courts.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_switzerland_feder1_1188890158.pdf">http://www.ccbe.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/NTCdocument/en_switzerland_feder1_1188890158.pdf</a>

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## TAIWAN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Taiwan (Chinese Taipei)
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Lü shi
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Bar examination is conducted by the Examination Yuan, the Ministry of Justice is responsible for lawyers admission
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.moj.gov.tw/mp095.html">http://www.moj.gov.tw/mp095.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Ministry of Justice and local district courts
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.twba.org.tw/en/Regulation.htm">http://www.twba.org.tw/en/Regulation.htm</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Attorney Disciplinary Committee of Taiwan bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.twba.org.tw/en/Report.htm">http://www.twba.org.tw/en/Report.htm</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Taiwan Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.twba.org.tw/en/Report.htm">http://www.twba.org.tw/en/Report.htm</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law of Lawyers Attorneys Act 1948

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## TAJIKISTAN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Tajikistan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	(1) Union of Advocates of the Republic of Tajikistan (2) the Qualification Commission under the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Tajikistan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ijozat.tj/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=19&amp;Itemid=15&amp;lan">http://www.ijozat.tj/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=19&amp;Itemid=15&amp;lan</a> <a href="http://www.minjust.tj/index.php?lang=eng=en">http://www.minjust.tj/index.php?lang=eng=en</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	(1) Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Tajikistan, and (2) Union of Advocates of the Republic of Tajikistan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ijozat.tj/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=19&amp;Itemid=15&amp;lan">http://www.ijozat.tj/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=19&amp;Itemid=15&amp;lan</a> <a href="http://www.minjust.tj/index.php?lang=eng=en">http://www.minjust.tj/index.php?lang=eng=en</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	(1) Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Tajikistan, and (2) Union of Advocates of the Republic of Tajikistan
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ijozat.tj/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=19&amp;Itemid=15&amp;lan">http://www.ijozat.tj/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=19&amp;Itemid=15&amp;lan</a> <a href="http://www.minjust.tj/index.php?lang=eng=en">http://www.minjust.tj/index.php?lang=eng=en</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Law of the Republic of Tajikistan on Advocacy 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://mmk.tj/ru/legislation/legislation-base/271/">http://mmk.tj/ru/legislation/legislation-base/271/</a>

## TANZANIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Tanzania
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Judiciary/High Court of Tanzania
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.go.tz/">http://www.judiciary.go.tz/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Tanganyika Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://tls.or.tz/about-tls/">http://tls.or.tz/about-tls/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ethics Committee of the Law Society and the Advocates Disciplinary Committee.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://tls.or.tz/rules/">http://tls.or.tz/rules/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Council of Legal Education
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Advocates Act (1 January 1955 as updated)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://tls.or.tz/laws/">http://tls.or.tz/laws/</a>

## THAILAND\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Thailand
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	'Tha Nai Kwam' which means registered "Lawyer" or "Barrister". 'Ni Ti Korn' are Thai nationals with some legal training but who are unregistered and working in-house, in academia or government.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Thailand
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.thailawforum.com/articles/charununlegal2.html">http://www.thailawforum.com/articles/charununlegal2.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Thailand
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.thailawforum.com/articles/charununlegal3.html">http://www.thailawforum.com/articles/charununlegal3.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Thailand
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.thailawforum.com/articles/charununlegal3.html">http://www.thailawforum.com/articles/charununlegal3.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	The Thailand Lawyers Act B.E. 2528 (1985)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.imolin.org/doc/amlid/Thailand_Lawyers%20Act.pdf">https://www.imolin.org/doc/amlid/Thailand_Lawyers%20Act.pdf</a>

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## TOGO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Togolese Republic
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats Palais de Justice BP 3657 Lomé Togo Tel. 00 228 222 08 82 Facsimile. 00 228 221 67 52 <a href="mailto:ordreavocat_tg@yahoo.fr">ordreavocat_tg@yahoo.fr</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats Palais de Justice BP 3657 Lomé Togo Tel. 00 228 222 08 82 Facsimile. 00 228 221 67 52 <a href="mailto:ordreavocat_tg@yahoo.fr">ordreavocat_tg@yahoo.fr</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Le Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Conseil de l'Ordre des Avocats Palais de Justice BP 3657 Lomé Togo Tel. 00 228 222 08 82 Facsimile. 00 228 221 67 52 <a href="mailto:ordreavocat_tg@yahoo.fr">ordreavocat_tg@yahoo.fr</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Ordonnance 80-11 du 9 Janvier 1980 relative à l'exercice de la profession d'avocat
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legitogo.gouv.tg/annee_txt/1980/Pages%20from%20jo_1980-010-2.pdf">http://www.legitogo.gouv.tg/annee_txt/1980/Pages%20from%20jo_1980-010-2.pdf</a>

## TONGA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Tonga
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Law Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Lord Chief Justice is to enroll a person on the Roll of Law Practitioners
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:lawsoc@kalianet.to">lawsoc@kalianet.to</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Tonga Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:lawsoc@kalianet.to">lawsoc@kalianet.to</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the Tonga Law Society
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:lawsoc@kalianet.to">lawsoc@kalianet.to</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	South Pacific Lawyers Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/kingdom-tonga">http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/member/kingdom-tonga</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law Practitioners Act 1989
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://crownlaw.gov.to/cms/images/LEGISLATION/AMENDING/1989/1989-0021/LawPractitionersAct1989.pdf">http://crownlaw.gov.to/cms/images/LEGISLATION/AMENDING/1989/1989-0021/LawPractitionersAct1989.pdf</a>

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## TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Trinidad and Tobago
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney-at-Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Registrar of the High Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ttlawcourts.org/index.php/supreme-court-27/registry">http://www.ttlawcourts.org/index.php/supreme-court-27/registry</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Association of Trinidad and Tobago
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawassociationtt.com/general/homepage.aspx">http://www.lawassociationtt.com/general/homepage.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the Law Association and the High Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawassociationtt.com/general/category.aspx?categoryID=22">http://www.lawassociationtt.com/general/category.aspx?categoryID=22</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Profession Act, Act 21 of 1985
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://rgd.legalaffairs.gov.tt/laws2/alphabetical_list/lawspdfs/90.03.pdf">http://rgd.legalaffairs.gov.tt/laws2/alphabetical_list/lawspdfs/90.03.pdf</a>

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## TUNISIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Tunisia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avocat
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Council of the Tunisian National Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://avocat.org.tn/">http://avocat.org.tn/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Council of the Tunisian National Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://avocat.org.tn/">http://avocat.org.tn/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Council of the Tunisian National Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://avocat.org.tn/">http://avocat.org.tn/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law No 87/1989 on the Organisation of the Legal Profession.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jurisitetunisie.com/tunisie/codes/avocat/av1040.htm">http://www.jurisitetunisie.com/tunisie/codes/avocat/av1040.htm</a>

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## TURKEY\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Turkey - single jurisdiction but local registration and regulation
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Avukat (attorney)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Local Bar registers trainee attorneys and enrolls fully qualified Turkish attorneys
<b>Contact/URL</b>	There are 74 local bars in Turkey - their details can be found at <a href="http://eski.barobirlik.org.tr/eng/content.aspx?page=17">http://eski.barobirlik.org.tr/eng/content.aspx?page=17</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Lawyers must remain registered with their local bar and comply with the Professional Rules of the Union of Bar Associations of Turkey and the Prohibition of Publicity Regulations.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://eski.barobirlik.org.tr/eng/content.aspx?page=17">http://eski.barobirlik.org.tr/eng/content.aspx?page=17</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Committee of the Union of Turkish Bar Associations. Additionally, each regional bar has its own Disciplinary Committee.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://eski.barobirlik.org.tr/eng/content.aspx?page=16#3">http://eski.barobirlik.org.tr/eng/content.aspx?page=16#3</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Attorneyship Law no.1136 of 19 March 1969

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## UGANDA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Uganda
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Registrar of the High Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judicature.go.ug/data/ladvocates/106/Advocates.html">http://www.judicature.go.ug/data/ladvocates/106/Advocates.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Council of Uganda (a statutory agency)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	5 George Street Georgian House 7th Floor (Former Amamu House) Kampala, 7538, Uganda
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Council of Uganda
<b>Contact/URL</b>	5 George Street Georgian House 7th Floor (Former Amamu House) Kampala, 7538, Uganda
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Law Society of Uganda (Representative body - promotes good standards)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.uls.or.ug/">http://www.uls.or.ug/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Advocates Act c.267
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ulii.org/ug/legislation/consolidated-act/267">http://www.ulii.org/ug/legislation/consolidated-act/267</a>

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## UKRAINE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Ukraine
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Qualification and Disciplinary Bar Commission of the Bar of the region - examination Regional Bar Council - licensing, entry in the Unified Register of Attorneys of Ukraine (1st level)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://vkdkka.org/en/about-commission/">http://vkdkka.org/en/about-commission/</a> <a href="http://en.unba.org.ua/for-advocates">http://en.unba.org.ua/for-advocates</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Congress of Advocates of Ukraine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://en.unba.org.ua/for-advocates">http://en.unba.org.ua/for-advocates</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Qualification and Disciplinary Bar Commission of the Bar of the region - first level Higher Qualification and Disciplinary Commission of the Bar Ukraine - appeal level
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://vkdkka.org/en/about-commission/">http://vkdkka.org/en/about-commission/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Bar Council of Ukraine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://en.unba.org.ua/activity">http://en.unba.org.ua/activity</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law No. 5076-VI, "On the Bar and Practice of Law" dated 5 July 2012 (with further amendments) and general legislation which regulates economic activity of attorneys in Ukraine: Civil Code of Ukraine No. 435-IV dated 16 January 2003; Commercial Code of Ukraine No. 436-IV dated 16 January 2003 and Law No. 249-IV On Preventing and Counteracting the Legalization (Laundering) of Criminally-Obtained Proceeds or Terrorism Financing dated 28 November 2002, Codes of Procedure
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://en.unba.org.ua/assets/uploads/legislations/pologennya/law-of-ukraine-on-the-bar-and-practice-of-law-new.pdf">http://en.unba.org.ua/assets/uploads/legislations/pologennya/law-of-ukraine-on-the-bar-and-practice-of-law-new.pdf</a>

## UNITED ARAB EMIRATES – ABU DHABI\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	UAE (Abu Dhabi)
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Executive Affairs Authority
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.eaa.gov.ae/Sites/EAA/Navigation/EN/root.html">http://www.eaa.gov.ae/Sites/EAA/Navigation/EN/root.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Executive Affairs Authority
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.eaa.gov.ae/Sites/EAA/Navigation/EN/AdvisoryUnits/legal-affairs.html">http://www.eaa.gov.ae/Sites/EAA/Navigation/EN/AdvisoryUnits/legal-affairs.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Executive Affairs Authority
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.abudhabi.ae/portal/public/ar/homepage?_adf.ctrl-state=oq6jtpo4h_4&amp;_afLoop=2112445212093284">https://www.abudhabi.ae/portal/public/ar/homepage?_adf.ctrl-state=oq6jtpo4h_4&amp;_afLoop=2112445212093284</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://ejustice.gov.ae/portal/page/portal/eJustice%20MOJ%20Portal/About%20Us/MOJ_AD">http://ejustice.gov.ae/portal/page/portal/eJustice%20MOJ%20Portal/About%20Us/MOJ_AD</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Federal Law no. 23 on the Regulation of the Legal Profession (16 December 1991)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jstor.org/stable/3381588?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents">http://www.jstor.org/stable/3381588?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents</a>

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## UNITED ARAB EMIRATES – DUBAI\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	UAE (Dubai)
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Advocate and Legal Consultant
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Department of Legal Affairs
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://dubai.ae/en/Lists/GovernmentDepartments/DispForm.aspx?ID=49&amp;category=Government">http://dubai.ae/en/Lists/GovernmentDepartments/DispForm.aspx?ID=49&amp;category=Government</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Department of Legal Affairs
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://dubai.ae/en/Lists/GovernmentDepartments/DispForm.aspx?ID=49&amp;category=Government">http://dubai.ae/en/Lists/GovernmentDepartments/DispForm.aspx?ID=49&amp;category=Government</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Department of Legal Affairs
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://legal.dubai.gov.ae/ar/pages/default.aspx">http://legal.dubai.gov.ae/ar/pages/default.aspx</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://dubai.ae/en/Lists/GovernmentDepartments/DispForm.aspx?ID=49&amp;category=Government">http://dubai.ae/en/Lists/GovernmentDepartments/DispForm.aspx?ID=49&amp;category=Government</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Federal Law no. 23 on the Regulation of the Legal Profession (16 December 1991) and Executive Council Resolution no.22 of 2011
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jstor.org/stable/3381588?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents">http://www.jstor.org/stable/3381588?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents</a>

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## UNITED KINGDOM – ENGLAND AND WALES

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	England and Wales
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Solicitor; Barrister, (NB. the Legal Services Act 2007 also authorises legal executives, notaries, patent attorneys, trademark attorneys and licensed conveyancers for the conduct of certain legal activities that are reserved in statute)
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Solicitors: Solicitors Regulation Authority (SRA); Barristers: Barristers must be called by one of the Inns of Court (Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn, Middle Temple, Inner Temple, Gray's Inn) which hold the right to administer the title of barrister; Bar Standards Board (for issuance of practising certificate)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sra.org.uk">www.sra.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.barstandardsboard.org.uk">www.barstandardsboard.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.lincolnsinn.org.uk/">http://www.lincolnsinn.org.uk/</a> <a href="http://www.innertemple.org.uk/">http://www.innertemple.org.uk/</a> <a href="http://www.middletemple.org.uk/">http://www.middletemple.org.uk/</a> <a href="https://www.graysinn.org.uk/">https://www.graysinn.org.uk/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Solicitors: Solicitors Regulation Authority Barristers: Bar Standards Board for the setting and administration of the code of conduct, practice requirements and annual licensing but. barristers must join and remain members of one of the Inns of Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sra.org.uk">www.sra.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.barstandardsboard.org.uk">www.barstandardsboard.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.lincolnsinn.org.uk/">http://www.lincolnsinn.org.uk/</a> <a href="http://www.innertemple.org.uk/">http://www.innertemple.org.uk/</a> <a href="http://www.middletemple.org.uk/">http://www.middletemple.org.uk/</a> <a href="https://www.graysinn.org.uk/">https://www.graysinn.org.uk/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Solicitors Regulation Authority (solicitors); Bar Standards Board (Barristers) (Nb. the Four Inns of Court also play a role in disciplinary arrangements)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sra.org.uk">www.sra.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.barstandardsboard.org.uk">www.barstandardsboard.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.lincolnsinn.org.uk/">http://www.lincolnsinn.org.uk/</a> <a href="http://www.innertemple.org.uk/">http://www.innertemple.org.uk/</a> <a href="http://www.middletemple.org.uk/">http://www.middletemple.org.uk/</a> <a href="https://www.graysinn.org.uk/">https://www.graysinn.org.uk/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Legal Services Board (Oversight regulator set up by the Legal Services Act 2007 - responsible for approving independence and functioning of regulatory arrangements in accordance with Legal Services Act 2007 and approving rule changes proposed); Legal Ombudsman (LeO) - responsible for complaints about service (not conduct which is the responsibility of the regulators); Legal Services Consumer Panel - a body set up under the Legal Services Act 2007 to advise the LSB on the interests of the users of legal services; the Law Society of England and Wales (statutory body for regulation of solicitors but with a purely titular role as regulatory tasks must be delegated to its independent regulatory arm (SRA)); Bar Council of England and Wales (statutory body for regulation of barristers which has now delegated all of its regulatory tasks to its independent regulatory arm (BSB))
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legalservicesboard.org.uk">www.legalservicesboard.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.legalombudsman.org.uk">www.legalombudsman.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.legalservicesconsumerpanel.org.uk">www.legalservicesconsumerpanel.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.uk">www.lawsociety.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.barcouncil.org.uk">www.barcouncil.org.uk</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Services Act 2007 (Amending and updating Solicitors Act 1974, Administration of Justice Act 1985, Courts and Legal Services Act 1990, Access to Justice Act 1999)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2007/29/contents">http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2007/29/contents</a>

## UNITED KINGDOM – NORTHERN IRELAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Northern Ireland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Solicitor; Barrister
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Northern Ireland (Solicitors); Honourable Society of the Inn Court of Northern Ireland (Barrister)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsoc-ni.org">http://www.lawsoc-ni.org</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Northern Ireland; The Bar Council of Northern Ireland
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsoc-ni.org/role-of-the-law-society/regulation/">http://www.lawsoc-ni.org/role-of-the-law-society/regulation/</a> <a href="http://www.barofni.com/page/regulation">http://www.barofni.com/page/regulation</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Law Society of Northern Ireland/ Solicitors' Disciplinary Tribunal
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsoc-ni.org/making-a-complaint/stage-5/">http://www.lawsoc-ni.org/making-a-complaint/stage-5/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Solicitors (Northern Ireland) Order 1976, as amended 16 July 2009.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawsoc-ni.org/download/fs/doc/Solicitors%20Order%201976%20as%20amended%2016%20July%202009/doc/">http://www.lawsoc-ni.org/download/fs/doc/Solicitors%20Order%201976%20as%20amended%2016%20July%202009/doc/</a>

## UNITED KINGDOM – SCOTLAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Scotland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Solicitor; Advocate
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Society of Scotland (Solicitors); The Faculty of Advocates (advocates)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawscot.org.uk">www.lawscot.org.uk</a> and <a href="http://www.advocates.org.uk">www.advocates.org.uk</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Society of Scotland (Solicitors); The Faculty of Advocates (advocates)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawscot.org.uk">www.lawscot.org.uk</a> and <a href="http://www.advocates.org.uk">www.advocates.org.uk</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Scotland (Solicitors); Scottish Solicitors Discipline Tribunal (Solicitors); The Faculty of Advocates (advocates)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lawscot.org.uk">www.lawscot.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.ssd.org.uk">http://www.ssd.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.advocates.org.uk">www.advocates.org.uk</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Scottish Legal Complaints Commission – solicitors and advocates
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.scottishlegalcomplaints.org.uk">www.scottishlegalcomplaints.org.uk</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Solicitors (Scotland) Act 1980, Council of the Law Society of Scotland Act 2003, The Legal Profession and Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 2010, Legal Services (Scotland) Act 2010
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.legislation.gov.uk/asp/2010/16/contents">http://www.legislation.gov.uk/asp/2010/16/contents</a>



## UNITED STATES – ALABAMA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	United States (Alabama)
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Alabama State Bar under the authority of the State Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.alabar.org/">http://www.alabar.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Alabama State Bar with oversight by the Alabama Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.alabar.org/">http://www.alabar.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Disciplinary Commission of the Alabama State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.alabar.org/membership/committees/dc/">https://www.alabar.org/membership/committees/dc/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Alabama Rules of Professional Conduct 2012
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://judicial.alabama.gov/library/rules_bar_conduct.cfm">http://judicial.alabama.gov/library/rules_bar_conduct.cfm</a>

## UNITED STATES – ALASKA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Alaska
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Alaska Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.alaskabar.org/">http://www.alaskabar.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Alaska Supreme Court (Order 1680, effective 15 April 2009).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.alaska.gov/rules/bar.htm#10">http://courts.alaska.gov/rules/bar.htm#10</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Disciplinary Board of the Alaska Bar Association carries out and oversees the investigation, and then recommends discipline to the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:info@alaskabar.com">info@alaskabar.com</a> <a href="https://www.alaskabar.org/servlet/feedback">https://www.alaskabar.org/servlet/feedback</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Alaska Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/ak/code/AK_CODE.HTM">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/ak/code/AK_CODE.HTM</a>

## UNITED STATES - ARIZONA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Arizona
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	State Bar of Arizona (under supervision of Arizona Supreme Court)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.azcourts.gov/cld/AttorneyAdmissions/AdmissionbyUBEtestinginArizona/HowtoApplyforAdmission.aspx">http://www.azcourts.gov/cld/AttorneyAdmissions/AdmissionbyUBEtestinginArizona/HowtoApplyforAdmission.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	State Bar of Arizona (under supervision of Arizona Supreme Court)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.azbar.org/ethics/rulesofprofessionalconduct">http://www.azbar.org/ethics/rulesofprofessionalconduct</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	All formal complaints of misconduct are filed by the State Bar of Arizona with the Disciplinary Clerk, Office of the Presiding Disciplinary Judge. The hearing panel, including the Presiding Disciplinary Judge, a lawyer member and a public member, can dismiss the charges, order diversion, admonition, probation, costs, reprimand, suspension, or disbarment.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.azbar.org/LawyerConcerns/DisciplineProcess">http://www.azbar.org/LawyerConcerns/DisciplineProcess</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Arizona Rules of Professional Conduct, 2004
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.azbar.org/ethics/rulesofprofessionalconduct/">http://www.azbar.org/ethics/rulesofprofessionalconduct/</a>

## UNITED STATES – ARKANSAS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Arkansas
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Arkansas Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.arkansas.gov/professional_conduct">http://www.courts.arkansas.gov/professional_conduct</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Arkansas Supreme Court Committee on Professional Conduct
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://courts.arkansas.gov/rules-and-administrative-orders/%5Bcurrent%5D-arkansas-rules-of-professional-conduct">https://courts.arkansas.gov/rules-and-administrative-orders/%5Bcurrent%5D-arkansas-rules-of-professional-conduct</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Arkansas Supreme Court Committee on Professional Conduct
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://courts.arkansas.gov/administration/professional-conduct">https://courts.arkansas.gov/administration/professional-conduct</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Arkansas Rules of Professional Conduct, 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://courts.arkansas.gov/rules-and-administrative-orders/%5Bcurrent%5D-arkansas-rules-of-professional-conduct">https://courts.arkansas.gov/rules-and-administrative-orders/%5Bcurrent%5D-arkansas-rules-of-professional-conduct</a>

## UNITED STATES – CALIFORNIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	California
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	California Supreme Court; The State Bar of California (serving as an arm of the California Supreme Court.)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.calbar.ca.gov">http://www.calbar.ca.gov</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	California Supreme Court; The State Bar of California (serving as an arm of the California Supreme Court.)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.calbar.ca.gov">http://www.calbar.ca.gov</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	California Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Home.aspx">http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Home.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	California Rules of Professional Conduct, 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://rules.calbar.ca.gov/Rules/RulesofProfessionalConduct.aspx">http://rules.calbar.ca.gov/Rules/RulesofProfessionalConduct.aspx</a>

## UNITED STATES – COLORADO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Colorado
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Colorado State Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.coloradosupremecourt.com/">http://www.coloradosupremecourt.com/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Colorado Supreme Court and its appointed Attorney Regulation Counsel
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.coloradosupremecourt.com">http://www.coloradosupremecourt.com</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Attorney Regulation Counsel of the Colorado Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.coloradosupremecourt.com/Regulation/Regulation.asp">https://www.coloradosupremecourt.com/Regulation/Regulation.asp</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct, 2012
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.cobar.org/index.cfm/ID/22119/CETH/Colorado-Rules-of-Professional-Conduct/">https://www.cobar.org/index.cfm/ID/22119/CETH/Colorado-Rules-of-Professional-Conduct/</a>

## UNITED STATES – CONNECTICUT

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Connecticut
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Superior Court, State of Connecticut Judicial Branch
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jud.ct.gov/external/super/default.htm">http://www.jud.ct.gov/external/super/default.htm</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Superior Court, State of Connecticut Judicial Branch
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.jud.ct.gov/sgc/">https://www.jud.ct.gov/sgc/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Chief Disciplinary Counsel, Statewide Grievance Committee, Superior Court, State of Connecticut Judicial Branch
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.jud.ct.gov/sgc/">https://www.jud.ct.gov/sgc/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Connecticut Rules of Professional Conduct, 2007
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/ct/code/CT_CODE.HTM">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/ct/code/CT_CODE.HTM</a>

## UNITED STATES – DELAWARE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Delaware
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Delaware Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.delaware.gov">http://www.courts.delaware.gov</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Delaware Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.delaware.gov">http://www.courts.delaware.gov</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Disciplinary Counsel, Supreme Court of Delaware
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.delaware.gov/odc/">http://www.courts.delaware.gov/odc/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Delaware Rules of Professional Conduct, 2010
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.delaware.gov/rules/DLRPCFebruary2010.pdf">http://courts.delaware.gov/rules/DLRPCFebruary2010.pdf</a>



## UNITED STATES – DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Washington, District of Columbia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Committee on Admissions, DC Court of Appeals
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.dccourts.gov/internet/appellate/admincommittee/main.jsf">http://www.dccourts.gov/internet/appellate/admincommittee/main.jsf</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	District of Columbia Court of Appeals
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.dccourts.gov/internet/legal/main.jsf">http://www.dccourts.gov/internet/legal/main.jsf</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The DC Courts Board on Professional Responsibility has the authority to adjudicate cases of attorney misconduct and the responsibility for administering the disciplinary system.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.dcbar.org/attorney-discipline/board-on-professional-responsibility/bprmission.cfm">http://www.dcbar.org/attorney-discipline/board-on-professional-responsibility/bprmission.cfm</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	DC Rules of Professional Conduct, 2006 revised 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.dcbar.org/bar-resources/legal-ethics/amended-rules/">https://www.dcbar.org/bar-resources/legal-ethics/amended-rules/</a>

## UNITED STATES - FLORIDA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Florida
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, Florida Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.floridabarexam.org/">https://www.floridabarexam.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Florida Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.floridabar.org/tfb/TFBLawReg.nsf/9dad7bbda218afe885257002004833c5/4586762990367be185256e4300524284!OpenDocument">https://www.floridabar.org/tfb/TFBLawReg.nsf/9dad7bbda218afe885257002004833c5/4586762990367be185256e4300524284!OpenDocument</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Florida Bar, Florida Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.floridabar.org/tfb/TFBConsum.nsf/0a92a6dc28e76ae58525700a005d0d53/dbac6623cf5c015f85257a3f0060b781!OpenDocument">http://www.floridabar.org/tfb/TFBConsum.nsf/0a92a6dc28e76ae58525700a005d0d53/dbac6623cf5c015f85257a3f0060b781!OpenDocument</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Florida Rules of Professional Conduct, 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/fl/code/FL_CODE.HTM">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/fl/code/FL_CODE.HTM</a>

## UNITED STATES - GEORGIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Georgia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Supreme Court of Georgia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gasupreme.us/court-information/attorney-admissions/">http://www.gasupreme.us/court-information/attorney-admissions/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	State Bar of Georgia, Supreme Court of Georgia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gabar.org/barrules/ethicsandprofessionalism/">http://www.gabar.org/barrules/ethicsandprofessionalism/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	State Disciplinary Board, State Bar of Georgia, Supreme Court of Georgia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gabar.org/barrules/handbookdetail.cfm?what=rule&amp;id=63">http://www.gabar.org/barrules/handbookdetail.cfm?what=rule&amp;id=63</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Georgia Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.gabar.org/barrules/georgia-rules-of-professional-conduct.cfm">http://www.gabar.org/barrules/georgia-rules-of-professional-conduct.cfm</a>

## UNITED STATES - GUAM

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Guam
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer/Attorney/Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Board of Law Examiners of Guam
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.guamsupremecourt.com/BrdLawExam/board.html">http://www.guamsupremecourt.com/BrdLawExam/board.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Guam
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.guamcourts.org/supreme.html">http://www.guamcourts.org/supreme.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The 7-member Guam Bar Ethics Committee reviews results of investigations conducted by the Ethics Prosecutor; formal charges are then heard by the 7-member Adjudication Panel of the Committee; recommendations for discipline greater than private reprimand are then submitted to Supreme Court. Both bodies are lawyers appointed by the Guam Bar President and approved by the Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.guamcourts.org/supreme.html">http://www.guamcourts.org/supreme.html</a> <a href="http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/Rules%20for%20the%20Discipline%20of%20Attorneys%20122299.pdf">http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/Rules%20for%20the%20Discipline%20of%20Attorneys%20122299.pdf</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Guam Rules for the Discipline of Attorneys; Guam Rules of Professional Conduct; Guam Rules of Governing Admission to the Practice of Law
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/Rules%20for%20the%20Discipline%20of%20Attorneys%20122299.pdf">http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/Rules%20for%20the%20Discipline%20of%20Attorneys%20122299.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/GuamRulesofProfessionalConductwithoutComments.pdf">http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/GuamRulesofProfessionalConductwithoutComments.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/GRGAPL%2020150625.pdf">http://www.guamcourts.org/Rules/images/GRGAPL%2020150625.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES - HAWAII

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Hawaii
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney, Counselor, Solicitor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Hawaii Board of Bar Examiners, Supreme Court of Hawaii
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.hi.us/legal_references/bar_application.html">http://www.courts.state.hi.us/legal_references/bar_application.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Hawaii
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.hi.us/legal_references/rules/rulesOfCourt.html">http://www.courts.state.hi.us/legal_references/rules/rulesOfCourt.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Board of the Hawaii Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.hi.us/courts/supreme/professionalism.html">http://www.courts.state.hi.us/courts/supreme/professionalism.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Hawaii Rules of Professional Conduct, 2013
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.hi.us/docs/court_rules/rules/hrpcond.htm">http://www.courts.state.hi.us/docs/court_rules/rules/hrpcond.htm</a>

## UNITED STATES – IDAHO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Idaho
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Idaho State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.isb.idaho.gov">http://www.isb.idaho.gov</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Idaho Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://isb.idaho.gov/pdf/rules/ibcr.pdf">https://isb.idaho.gov/pdf/rules/ibcr.pdf</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Bar Counsel, Idaho State Bar and The Professional Conduct Board
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://isb.idaho.gov/bar_counsel/bc_info_atty.html">https://isb.idaho.gov/bar_counsel/bc_info_atty.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Idaho Rules of Professional Conduct, 2014
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://isb.idaho.gov/general/rules/irpc.html">https://isb.idaho.gov/general/rules/irpc.html</a>

## UNITED STATES – ILLINOIS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Illinois
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Illinois Supreme Court's Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/default.asp">http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/default.asp</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Illinois Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/default.asp">http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/default.asp</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Illinois Supreme Court's Disciplinary Commission
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/default.asp">http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/default.asp</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Illinois Rules of Professional Conduct, 2010
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/supremecourt/rules/art_viii/default_new.asp">http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/supremecourt/rules/art_viii/default_new.asp</a>

## UNITED STATES – INDIANA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Indiana
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Indiana Board of Law Examiners, Indiana Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.in.gov/judiciary/ble/">http://www.in.gov/judiciary/ble/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Indiana Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.in.gov/judiciary/rules/prof_conduct/">http://www.in.gov/judiciary/rules/prof_conduct/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Commission, Indiana Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.in.gov/judiciary/discipline/2336.htm">http://www.in.gov/judiciary/discipline/2336.htm</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Indiana Rules of Professional Conduct, 2015
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.in.gov/judiciary/rules/prof_conduct/">http://www.in.gov/judiciary/rules/prof_conduct/</a>



## UNITED STATES – IOWA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Iowa
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney and Counsellors
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Iowa Board of Law Examiners, Iowa Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.iowacourts.gov/For_Attorneys/Bar_Information_Admissions/index.asp">http://www.iowacourts.gov/For_Attorneys/Bar_Information_Admissions/index.asp</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Iowa Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.iowacourts.gov/">http://www.iowacourts.gov/</a> <a href="http://www.iowacourts.gov/For_Attorneys/Bar_Information_Admissions/index.asp">http://www.iowacourts.gov/For_Attorneys/Bar_Information_Admissions/index.asp</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Attorney Disciplinary Board and the Grievance Commission of the Supreme Court of Iowa.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.iowacourts.gov/For_Attorneys/Attorney_Standards_Discipline/Disciplinary_Procedures/">http://www.iowacourts.gov/For_Attorneys/Attorney_Standards_Discipline/Disciplinary_Procedures/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Iowa Rules of Professional Conduct, 2012
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/ACO/CourtRulesChapter/12-31-2012.32.pdf">https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/ACO/CourtRulesChapter/12-31-2012.32.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – KANSAS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Kansas
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	State of Kansas Board of Law Examiners, Kansas Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kscourts.org/appellate-clerk/board-of-law-examiners/">http://www.kscourts.org/appellate-clerk/board-of-law-examiners/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Kansas Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kscourts.org/rules/rule-list.asp?r1=Rules+Relating+to+Discipline+of+Attorneys">http://www.kscourts.org/rules/rule-list.asp?r1=Rules+Relating+to+Discipline+of+Attorneys</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of the Disciplinary Administrator, Kansas Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kscourts.org/rules-procedures-forms/attorney-discipline/">http://www.kscourts.org/rules-procedures-forms/attorney-discipline/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Kansas Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kscourts.org/rules/rule-list.asp?r1=Rules+Relating+to+Discipline+of+Attorneys">http://www.kscourts.org/rules/rule-list.asp?r1=Rules+Relating+to+Discipline+of+Attorneys</a>

## UNITED STATES – KENTUCKY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Kentucky
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Office of Bar Admissions, Kentucky Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kyoba.org/">http://www.kyoba.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Kentucky Bar Association under the Supreme Court of Kentucky
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kybar.org/?SCR3">http://www.kybar.org/?SCR3</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of the Bar Counsel, Kentucky Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kybar.org/?page=attdis">http://www.kybar.org/?page=attdis</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Kentucky Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.kybar.org/?page=Rulesprofessional">http://www.kybar.org/?page=Rulesprofessional</a>

## UNITED STATES – LOUISIANA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Louisiana
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Counsellor at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Louisiana Supreme Court Committee on Bar Admission
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.lascba.org/">https://www.lascba.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Louisiana Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.lasc.org/la_judicial_entities/disciplinary_board.asp">http://www.lasc.org/la_judicial_entities/disciplinary_board.asp</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Louisiana Attorney Disciplinary Board
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ladb.org/index.aspx">https://www.ladb.org/index.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Louisiana Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ladb.org/Resources/Publications/">https://www.ladb.org/Resources/Publications/</a>

## UNITED STATES – MAINE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Maine
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	State of Maine Board of Bar Examiners, Maine Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://mainebarexaminers.org/">http://mainebarexaminers.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Board of Overseers of the Bar, State of Maine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mebaroverseers.org/">http://www.mebaroverseers.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Board of Overseers of the Bar, State of Maine
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mebaroverseers.org/attorney_regulation/maine_conduct_rules.html">http://www.mebaroverseers.org/attorney_regulation/maine_conduct_rules.html</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Maine Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mebaroverseers.org/attorney_regulation/maine_conduct_rules.html">http://www.mebaroverseers.org/attorney_regulation/maine_conduct_rules.html</a>

## UNITED STATES – MARYLAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Maryland
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Maryland State Board of Law Examiners, Maryland Court of Appeals
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mdcourts.gov/ble/">http://www.mdcourts.gov/ble/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Maryland Court of Appeals
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://mdcourts.gov/lawyers/">http://mdcourts.gov/lawyers/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Attorney Grievance Commission of Maryland, Office of Bar Counsel, investigates and prosecutes lawyers for disciplinary violations. The Court of Appeals of Maryland makes decisions regarding disciplinary sanctions to be imposed and other matters affecting licensure of lawyers.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://mdcourts.gov/attygrievance/">http://mdcourts.gov/attygrievance/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Maryland Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.md.us/attygrievance/rules.html">http://www.courts.state.md.us/attygrievance/rules.html</a>

## UNITED STATES – MASSACHUSETTS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Massachusetts
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Overseers and the Office of the Bar Counsel
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mass.gov/obcbbo">www.mass.gov/obcbbo</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Board of Bar Overseers and the Office of the Bar Counsel
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mass.gov/obcbbo">www.mass.gov/obcbbo</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Board of Bar Overseers and the Office of the Bar Counsel
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mass.gov/obcbbo">www.mass.gov/obcbbo</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Massachusetts Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mass.gov/obcbbo/RPC.pdf">http://www.mass.gov/obcbbo/RPC.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – MICHIGAN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Michigan
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	State Board of Law Examiners, Michigan Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.mi.gov/courts/michigansupremecourt/ble/pages/default.aspx">http://courts.mi.gov/courts/michigansupremecourt/ble/pages/default.aspx</a> <a href="http://www.michbar.org/professional/home">http://www.michbar.org/professional/home</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Michigan Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.mi.gov/courts/michigansupremecourt/rules/documents/michigan%20rules%20of%20professional%20conduct.pdf">http://courts.mi.gov/courts/michigansupremecourt/rules/documents/michigan%20rules%20of%20professional%20conduct.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.agcmi.com/">http://www.agcmi.com/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Michigan Attorney Discipline Board is the adjudicative arm of the Michigan Supreme Court for discharge of its exclusive constitutional responsibility to supervise and discipline Michigan attorneys. The Attorney Grievance Commission is the investigative and prosecutorial arm of the Michigan Supreme Court for allegations of attorney misconduct.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.adbmich.org/">http://www.adbmich.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.mi.gov/courts/michigansupremecourt/rules/documents/michigan%20rules%20of%20professional%20conduct.pdf">http://courts.mi.gov/courts/michigansupremecourt/rules/documents/michigan%20rules%20of%20professional%20conduct.pdf</a>



## UNITED STATES – MINNESOTA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Minnesota
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Minnesota State Board of Law Examiners, Minnesota Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ble.state.mn.us/">https://www.ble.state.mn.us/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Lawyer Professional Responsibility Board, Minnesota Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lprb.mncourts.gov/rules/Pages/MRPC.aspx">http://lprb.mncourts.gov/rules/Pages/MRPC.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Lawyer Professional Responsibility Board, Minnesota Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://lprb.mncourts.gov/Pages/Default.aspx">http://lprb.mncourts.gov/Pages/Default.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Minnesota Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://lprb.mncourts.gov/rules/Pages/MRPC.aspx">http://lprb.mncourts.gov/rules/Pages/MRPC.aspx</a>

## UNITED STATES – MISSISSIPPI

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Mississippi
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Mississippi Board of Bar Admissions, Mississippi State Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.ms.gov/baradmissions/baradmissions.html">http://courts.ms.gov/baradmissions/baradmissions.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Mississippi Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://courts.ms.gov/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules_of_professional_conduct.pdf">https://courts.ms.gov/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules_of_professional_conduct.pdf</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Mississippi Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.ms.gov/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules_of_discipline.pdf">http://courts.ms.gov/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules_of_discipline.pdf</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Mississippi Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://courts.ms.gov/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules_of_professional_conduct.pdf">https://courts.ms.gov/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules_of_professional_conduct.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – MISSOURI

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Missouri
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Counsellor at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Missouri Board of Law Examiners, Missouri Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.mble.org/home">https://www.mble.org/home</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Advisory Committee, Missouri Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://molegalethics.org/">http://molegalethics.org/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Chief Disciplinary Counsel, Missouri Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.courts.mo.gov/page.jsp?id=217">https://www.courts.mo.gov/page.jsp?id=217</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Missouri Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.mo.gov/page.jsp?id=707">http://www.courts.mo.gov/page.jsp?id=707</a>

## UNITED STATES – MONTANA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Montana
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Licensed Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, Montana Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.mt.gov/supreme/boards/examiners">http://courts.mt.gov/supreme/boards/examiners</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Commission on Practice, Montana Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://courts.mt.gov/supreme/boards/cop">http://courts.mt.gov/supreme/boards/cop</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office on Disciplinary Counsel, Montana Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.montanaodc.org/">http://www.montanaodc.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Montana Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/mt/code/MT_CODE.HTM">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/mt/code/MT_CODE.HTM</a>

## UNITED STATES – NEBRASKA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Nebraska
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Nebraska State Bar Commission, Nebraska Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/2577/nebraska-state-bar-commission">https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/2577/nebraska-state-bar-commission</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Attorney Services Division of the Nebraska Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/13448/attorney-services-division-nebraska-supreme-court">https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/13448/attorney-services-division-nebraska-supreme-court</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office for the Counsel of Discipline, Nebraska Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/4805/counsel-discipline">https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/4805/counsel-discipline</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Nebraska Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/supreme-court-rules/ch3/art5">https://supremecourt.nebraska.gov/supreme-court-rules/ch3/art5</a>

## UNITED STATES – NEVADA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Nevada
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Admissions Department of the State Bar of Nevada
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nvbar.org/content/admissions">http://www.nvbar.org/content/admissions</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Nevada
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.leg.state.nv.us/courtrules/RPC.html">http://www.leg.state.nv.us/courtrules/RPC.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Bar Counsel, State Bar of Nevada
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nvbar.org/content/ethics-discipline">http://www.nvbar.org/content/ethics-discipline</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Nevada Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.leg.state.nv.us/CourtRules/RPC.html">https://www.leg.state.nv.us/CourtRules/RPC.html</a>

## UNITED STATES – NEW HAMPSHIRE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	New Hampshire
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	New Hampshire Board Bar Examiners, NH Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.nh.us/nhbar/">http://www.courts.state.nh.us/nhbar/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	New Hampshire Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.nh.us/supreme/">http://www.courts.state.nh.us/supreme/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	New Hampshire Supreme Court Attorney Discipline System
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.nh.us/bar">www.courts.state.nh.us/bar</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	New Hampshire Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.nh.us/rules/pcon/">http://www.courts.state.nh.us/rules/pcon/</a>

## UNITED STATES – NEW JERSEY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	New Jersey
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	New Jersey Board of Bar Examiners, New Jersey Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.njbarexams.org/home">https://www.njbarexams.org/home</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	1. The body responsible for regulating lawyers is the Supreme Court of New Jersey. 2. The body responsible for investigating and prosecuting lawyers for disciplinary violations is the Office of Attorney Ethics. The Disciplinary Review Board is the intermediate appellate tribunal for disciplinary matters. Our website address is <a href="http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/oae">www.judiciary.state.nj.us/oae</a>
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/oae/">http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/oae/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Disciplinary Review Board Counsel, New Jersey Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/drb/index.htm">http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/drb/index.htm</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	New Jersey Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/nj/code/NJ_CODE.HTM">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/nj/code/NJ_CODE.HTM</a>



## UNITED STATES – NEW MEXICO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	New Mexico
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	New Mexico Board of Bar Examiners
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://nmexam.info/">http://nmexam.info/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	New Mexico Bar Association under the guidance of the Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nmbar.org/nmstatebar/AboutUs/Nmstatebar/About%20Us/Overview.aspx?hkey=17a9ff1f-c7cc-4222-8b74-af5ac0ff0211">http://www.nmbar.org/nmstatebar/AboutUs/Nmstatebar/About Us/Overview.aspx?hkey=17a9ff1f-c7cc-4222-8b74-af5ac0ff0211</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court of New Mexico
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nmdisboard.org/">http://www.nmdisboard.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	New Mexico Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/nm/code/NM_CODE.htm">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/nm/code/NM_CODE.htm</a>

## UNITED STATES – NEW YORK

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	New York
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Counsellor at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	New York State Board of Law Examiners, New York State Court of Appeals
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nybarexam.org/">http://www.nybarexam.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	New York State, Unified Court System
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nycourts.gov/rules/jointappellate/ny-rules-prof-conduct-1200.pdf">http://www.nycourts.gov/rules/jointappellate/ny-rules-prof-conduct-1200.pdf</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Attorney Grievance Committee,
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nycourts.gov/attorneys/grievance/complaints.shtml">http://www.nycourts.gov/attorneys/grievance/complaints.shtml</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	New York Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.nycourts.gov/rules/jointappellate/ny-rules-prof-conduct-1200.pdf">http://www.nycourts.gov/rules/jointappellate/ny-rules-prof-conduct-1200.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – NORTH CAROLINA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	North Carolina
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law/Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	North Carolina Board of Bar Examiners
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://ncble.org/">https://ncble.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	North Carolina State Bar, North Carolina Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ncbar.gov/rules/rpcsearch.asp">http://www.ncbar.gov/rules/rpcsearch.asp</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	North Carolina State Bar Grievance Committee, Disciplinary Hearing Commission
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ncbar.gov">http://www.ncbar.gov</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	North Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ncbar.com/rules/rpcsearch.asp">http://www.ncbar.com/rules/rpcsearch.asp</a>

## UNITED STATES – NORTH DAKOTA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	North Dakota
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Law Examiners, North Dakota Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ndcourts.gov/court/committees/barbd/board.asp">http://www.ndcourts.gov/court/committees/barbd/board.asp</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Joint Committee on Attorney Standards, North Dakota Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ndcourts.gov/court/committees/disc_brd/Information.htm">https://www.ndcourts.gov/court/committees/disc_brd/Information.htm</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Disciplinary Counsel, Disciplinary Board, North Dakota Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.ndcourts.gov/court/committees/disc_brd/committee.asp">https://www.ndcourts.gov/court/committees/disc_brd/committee.asp</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	North Dakota Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ndcourts.gov/rules/conduct/frameset.htm">http://www.ndcourts.gov/rules/conduct/frameset.htm</a>

## UNITED STATES – OHIO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Ohio
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Office of Bar Admissions, Ohio Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/AttySvcs/admissions/default.aspx">http://www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/AttySvcs/admissions/default.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Utah Supreme Court; Ethics and Discipline Committee of the Utah Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.utcourts.gov/">http://www.utcourts.gov/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Professional Conduct
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.utahbar.org/opc/">http://www.utahbar.org/opc/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Ohio Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/LegalResources/Rules/ProfConduct/pr ofConductRules.pdf">http://www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/LegalResources/Rules/ProfConduct/pr ofConductRules.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – OKLAHOMA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Oklahoma
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Oklahoma Board of Bar Examiners
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.okbbe.com/default.aspx?AspxAutoDetectCookieSupport=1">http://www.okbbe.com/default.aspx?AspxAutoDetectCookieSupport=1</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Professional Responsibility Commission, Oklahoma Bar Association supported by the Oklahoma Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.okbar.org/members/GeneralCounsel/PRC.aspx">http://www.okbar.org/members/GeneralCounsel/PRC.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of General Counsel, Oklahoma Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.okbar.org/members/GeneralCounsel.aspx">http://www.okbar.org/members/GeneralCounsel.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Oklahoma Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.oscn.net/applications/oscn/index.asp?ftdb=STOKRUPR&amp;level=1">http://www.oscn.net/applications/oscn/index.asp?ftdb=STOKRUPR&amp;level=1</a>

## UNITED STATES – OREGON

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Oregon
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, Oregon State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.osbar.org/admissions">https://www.osbar.org/admissions</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Oregon State Bar and Oregon Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.osbar.org/rulesregs/">http://www.osbar.org/rulesregs/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Counsel Office, Oregon State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.osbar.org/discipline">https://www.osbar.org/discipline</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Oregon Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.osbar.org/_docs/rulesregs/orpc.pdf">https://www.osbar.org/_docs/rulesregs/orpc.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – PENNSYLVANIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Pennsylvania
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Pennsylvania Board of Bar Examiners
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pabarexam.org/">http://www.pabarexam.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Pennsylvania Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.padisciplinaryboard.org/attorneys/rules/pennsylvania-rules-of-professional-conduct.php">http://www.padisciplinaryboard.org/attorneys/rules/pennsylvania-rules-of-professional-conduct.php</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.padisciplinaryboard.org/">http://www.padisciplinaryboard.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Pennsylvania Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.pacode.com/secure/data/204/chapter81/s81.4.html">http://www.pacode.com/secure/data/204/chapter81/s81.4.html</a>



## UNITED STATES – PUERTO RICO

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Puerto Rico
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, Supreme Court of Puerto Rico
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.prd.uscourts.gov/?q=requirements-bar-admission">http://www.prd.uscourts.gov/?q=requirements-bar-admission</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Puerto Rico
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ramajudicialpr.com/">http://www.ramajudicialpr.com/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court of Puerto Rico
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ramajudicial.pr/sistema/supremo/index.htm">http://www.ramajudicial.pr/sistema/supremo/index.htm</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Puerto Rico Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.prd.uscourts.gov/?q=local-rules">http://www.prd.uscourts.gov/?q=local-rules</a>

## UNITED STATES – RHODE ISLAND

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Rhode Island
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law/Counsellor
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, Rhode Island Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.courts.ri.gov/AttorneyResources/boardofbarexaminers/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.courts.ri.gov/AttorneyResources/boardofbarexaminers/Pages/default.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Rhode Island Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.courts.ri.gov/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.courts.ri.gov/Pages/default.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Disciplinary Counsel, Rhode Island Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.courts.ri.gov/PublicResources/disciplinaryboard/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.courts.ri.gov/PublicResources/disciplinaryboard/Pages/default.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Rhode Island Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/ri/code/">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/ri/code/</a>

## UNITED STATES – SOUTH CAROLINA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	South Carolina
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer, Attorney at Law, Attorney, Councillor at Law are all legal and acceptable titles.
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Law Examiners, South Carolina Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judicial.state.sc.us/bar/">http://www.judicial.state.sc.us/bar/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Rules of Professional Conduct, South Carolina Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sccourts.org/courtreg/">http://www.sccourts.org/courtreg/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Commission on Lawyer Conduct, Office of Disciplinary Counsel, South Carolina Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sccourts.org/discCounsel/commissionLC.cfm">http://www.sccourts.org/discCounsel/commissionLC.cfm</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	South Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.judicial.state.sc.us/courtReg/displayRule.cfm?ruleID=407.0&amp;subRuleID=Preamble&amp;ruleType=APP">http://www.judicial.state.sc.us/courtReg/displayRule.cfm?ruleID=407.0&amp;subRuleID=Preamble&amp;ruleType=APP</a>

## UNITED STATES – SOUTH DAKOTA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	South Dakota
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, South Dakota Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ujls.sd.gov/Board_of_Bar_Examiners/">http://www.ujls.sd.gov/Board_of_Bar_Examiners/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	South Dakota Bar and Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.statebarofsouthdakota.com/p/cm/ld/fid=45">http://www.statebarofsouthdakota.com/p/cm/ld/fid=45</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Disciplinary Board Counsel, South Dakota Bar and Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.sdbar.org">http://www.sdbar.org</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	South Dakota Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/sd/code/SD_CODE.HTM">https://www.law.cornell.edu/ethics/sd/code/SD_CODE.HTM</a>

## UNITED STATES – TENNESSEE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Tennessee
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Tennessee Board of Law Examiners, Tennessee Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.tnble.org/">http://www.tnble.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.tbpr.org/about-the-board">http://www.tbpr.org/about-the-board</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Chief Disciplinary Counsel, Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.tbpr.org/about-the-board">http://www.tbpr.org/about-the-board</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Tennessee Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.tsc.state.tn.us/rules/supreme-court/8">http://www.tsc.state.tn.us/rules/supreme-court/8</a>

## UNITED STATES – TEXAS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Texas
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Texas Board of Law Examiners, Texas Bar Association to Texas Board of Law Examiners, Texas Supreme Court.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ble.state.tx.us/">http://www.ble.state.tx.us/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Texas Bar Association (mandatory membership to practice) and Supreme Court of Texas
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.texasbar.com/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Grievance_Info_and_Ethics_Helpline&amp;Template=/CM/ContentDisplay.cfm&amp;ContentFileID=96">https://www.texasbar.com/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Grievance_Info_and_Ethics_Helpline&amp;Template=/CM/ContentDisplay.cfm&amp;ContentFileID=96</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Chief Disciplinary Counsel, State Bar of Texas
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.texasbar.com/">http://www.texasbar.com/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Texas Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.texasbar.com/Content/NavigationMenu/ForLawyers/GrievanceandEthics/Toll_Free_Ethics_Helpline_for_Lawyers/default.htm">https://www.texasbar.com/Content/NavigationMenu/ForLawyers/GrievanceandEthics/Toll_Free_Ethics_Helpline_for_Lawyers/default.htm</a>

## UNITED STATES – UTAH\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Utah
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Utah State Bar Office of Bar Admission
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.utahbar.org/admissions/">http://www.utahbar.org/admissions/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Utah State Bar Office of Professional Conduct
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.utahbar.org/opc/">http://www.utahbar.org/opc/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Utah State Bar, Office of Professional Conduct
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.utahbar.org/public-services/">http://www.utahbar.org/public-services/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Utah Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.utcourts.gov/resources/rules/ucja/ch13/1_6.htm">https://www.utcourts.gov/resources/rules/ucja/ch13/1_6.htm</a>

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## UNITED STATES – VERMONT

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Vermont
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney and Counsellor at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Vermont Supreme Court; Vermont Board of Bar Examiners
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/bbe.aspx">https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/bbe.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Vermont Supreme Court; Vermont Professional Responsibility Board
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/default.aspx">https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/default.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Disciplinary Counsel; Supreme Court of Vermont
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/default.aspx">https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/default.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Vermont Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/Shared%20Documents/VermontRulesofProfessionalConduct_withamendmentssthroughJune2011.pdf">https://www.vermontjudiciary.org/LC/Shared%20Documents/VermontRulesofProfessionalConduct_withamendmentssthroughJune2011.pdf</a>



## UNITED STATES – VIRGIN ISLANDS

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Virgin Islands
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney/Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Supreme Court of the U.S. Virgin Islands
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.visupremecourt.org/">http://www.visupremecourt.org/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Supreme Court of the U.S. Virgin Islands
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.visupremecourt.org/Court_Rules/">http://www.visupremecourt.org/Court_Rules/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Office of Disciplinary Counsel, V.I. Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.visupremecourt.org/Professional_Regulation/">http://www.visupremecourt.org/Professional_Regulation/</a>

## UNITED STATES – VIRGINIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Virginia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer/Attorney/Counselor at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, Virginia Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://barexam.virginia.gov/">http://barexam.virginia.gov/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Professional Regulation Department, Virginia State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.vsb.org/site/regulation">https://www.vsb.org/site/regulation</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Bar Counsel, Virginia State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.vsb.org/">http://www.vsb.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Virginia Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.vsb.org/docs/2009-10-pg-rpc.pdf">http://www.vsb.org/docs/2009-10-pg-rpc.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – WASHINGTON

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Washington
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer/Attorney/Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Washington State Bar Association, Washington Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wsba.org/Licensing-and-Lawyer-Conduct/Admissions">http://www.wsba.org/Licensing-and-Lawyer-Conduct/Admissions</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Washington State Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wsba.org/Licensing-and-Lawyer-Conduct">http://www.wsba.org/Licensing-and-Lawyer-Conduct</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Chief Disciplinary Counsel Director of the Office of Disciplinary Counsel Washington State Bar Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wsba.org/Licensing-and-Lawyer-Conduct/Discipline">http://www.wsba.org/Licensing-and-Lawyer-Conduct/Discipline</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Washington Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.courts.wa.gov/court_rules/?fa=court_rules.list&amp;group=ga&amp;set=RPC">https://www.courts.wa.gov/court_rules/?fa=court_rules.list&amp;group=ga&amp;set=RPC</a>

## UNITED STATES – WEST VIRGINIA

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	West Virginia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	West Virginia Board of Law Examiners, Supreme Court of Appeals
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courtswv.gov/legal-community/board-of-law-examiners.html">http://www.courtswv.gov/legal-community/board-of-law-examiners.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Office of Disciplinary Council
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wvdc.org/integrity.htm">http://www.wvdc.org/integrity.htm</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Chief Lawyer Disciplinary Counsel; Office of Disciplinary Counsel; Lawyer Disciplinary Board
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wvdc.org/">http://www.wvdc.org/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	West Virginia Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wvdc.org/ropc.htm">http://www.wvdc.org/ropc.htm</a>

## UNITED STATES – WISCONSIN

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Wisconsin
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Bar Examiners, Wisconsin Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wicourts.gov">www.wicourts.gov</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Wisconsin Supreme Court
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wicourts.gov">www.wicourts.gov</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Director Office of Lawyer Regulation
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wicourts.gov">www.wicourts.gov</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Wisconsin Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.wicourts.gov/sc/rules/chap20a.pdf">https://www.wicourts.gov/sc/rules/chap20a.pdf</a>

## UNITED STATES – WYOMING

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Wyoming
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Attorney at Law
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Board of Law Examiners, Wyoming State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="https://www.wyomingbar.org/admissions/">https://www.wyomingbar.org/admissions/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Wyoming State Bar (mandatory membership to practice)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.wy.us/WSC/CourtRule?RuleNumber=42#651">http://www.courts.state.wy.us/WSC/CourtRule?RuleNumber=42#651</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Bar Counsel Wyoming State Bar
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.wyomingbar.org">http://www.wyomingbar.org</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Wyoming Rules of Professional Conduct
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.courts.state.wy.us/WSC/CourtRule?RuleNumber=62">http://www.courts.state.wy.us/WSC/CourtRule?RuleNumber=62</a>

## URUGUAY

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Uruguay
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Ministry of Education and Culture (for recognition of degree)-only for Private Universities and the Supreme Court of Justice (for admission).
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gub.uy/institucional/poder-judicial/suprema-corte-de-justicia.html">http://www.poderjudicial.gub.uy/institucional/poder-judicial/suprema-corte-de-justicia.html</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gub.uy/institucional/poder-judicial/suprema-corte-de-justicia.html">http://www.poderjudicial.gub.uy/institucional/poder-judicial/suprema-corte-de-justicia.html</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Supreme Court of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.poderjudicial.gub.uy/institucional/poder-judicial/suprema-corte-de-justicia.html">http://www.poderjudicial.gub.uy/institucional/poder-judicial/suprema-corte-de-justicia.html</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Colegio de Abogados del Uruguay
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.colegiodeabogados.org/2011/">http://www.colegiodeabogados.org/2011/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law 15.750 - 1985
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.impo.com.uy/bases/leyes/15750-1985">http://www.impo.com.uy/bases/leyes/15750-1985</a>

## VANUATU\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Vanuatu
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The Admissions Committee of the Law Council of Vanuatu
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.paclii.org/vu/legis/consol_act1988/lpa207.rtf">www.paclii.org/vu/legis/consol_act1988/lpa207.rtf</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Council of Vanuatu monitors, enacted by the President and Parliament of the Republic Vanuatu
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.paclii.org/vu/legis/num_act/lpa2005179.rtf">www.paclii.org/vu/legis/num_act/lpa2005179.rtf</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	The Discipline Committee of the Law Council of Vanuatu
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="mailto:ozols@vanuatu.com.vu">ozols@vanuatu.com.vu</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	South Pacific Lawyers Association
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/about">http://www.southpacificlawyers.org/about</a>

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## **VENEZUELA\***

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Venezuela
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Abogado/a
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Local Colegio de Abogados (there are 22) - once admitted practise is Federal
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ilustrecolegiodeabogadosdecaracas.com/">http://www.ilustrecolegiodeabogadosdecaracas.com/</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Local Colegio de Abogados but code of ethics is national
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ilustrecolegiodeabogadosdecaracas.com/">http://www.ilustrecolegiodeabogadosdecaracas.com/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Local Colegio de Abogados
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.ilustrecolegiodeabogadosdecaracas.com/">http://www.ilustrecolegiodeabogadosdecaracas.com/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Federacion de Colegios de Abogados
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Av. La Salle, Torre Inpreabogado, Piso 11, Los Caobos Venezuela
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Ley de Abogados yCodigo Etica, Gaceta Oficial N° 33.357 del 25 de noviembre de 1985 FEDERACIÓN DE COLEGIOS DE ABOGADOS DE VENEZUELA
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://derechovenezolano.com/2012/08/21/ley-de-abogados-y-codigo-de-etica-profesional-del-abogado-venezolano/">http://derechovenezolano.com/2012/08/21/ley-de-abogados-y-codigo-de-etica-profesional-del-abogado-venezolano/</a>

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## VIETNAM\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Divided into municipalities and provinces, and while all are under one central control, local custom does often dictate law practices. Municipalities include: Ha Noi, Ho Chi Minh, Can Tho, Da Nang, and Hai Phong. There are approx. 60 provinces.
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Regulated by the Ministry of Justice and by various bar societies in each province. Vietnam Bar Federation was formed in 2009, and membership is available to all lawyers working in Vietnam. The Bar association of the area in which the lawyer practices issues a license to the member.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx">http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Regulated by the Ministry of Justice and monitored by regional bar societies.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx">http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Ministry of Justice after investigation and recommendation from regional bar society of the accused.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx">http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx">http://moj.gov.vn/en/Pages/home.aspx</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	LAW On Lawyers (No. 65/2006/QH11)
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://moj.gov.vn/vbpq/en/Lists/Vn%20bn%20php%20lut/View_Detail.aspx?ItemID=4766">http://moj.gov.vn/vbpq/en/Lists/Vn%20bn%20php%20lut/View_Detail.aspx?ItemID=4766</a>

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## YEMEN\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Yemen
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Lawyer
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law graduates seeking to become independent advocates (licensed to appear in court) must be a member of the YBA. Law on Advocacy specifies that a three-year training course must be completed, but this seldom occurs. Instead, many law graduates can apply to the YBA for placement at a lawyer's office. After completion, without final exam, trainees can become practicing lawyers. However, some judges permit nonlicensed shari'a agents to appear before the court, as well as husbands or close family members.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Yemeni Bar Association
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	YBA, a quasi-governmental body, is the statutory regulator.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Yemeni Bar Association
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law on Advocacy dictates that the Yemeni Bar Association handles disciplinary matters. Warranted complaints are referred to disciplinary panels headed by Court of Appeal judges.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	Yemeni Bar Association: P.O. Box 2631 Sanaa, Yemen
<b>Other Bodies</b>	Legal Affairs Ministry
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.yemen-nic.info/english_site/ministations/detail.php?ID=70334">http://www.yemen-nic.info/english_site/ministations/detail.php?ID=70334</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Law on Advocacy

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## ZAMBIA\*

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Zambia
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	Law Association of Zambia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.laz.org.zm">www.laz.org.zm</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	Law Association of Zambia
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.laz.org.zm/">http://www.laz.org.zm/</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Legal Practitioners Committee of the Law Association of Zambia.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.laz.org.zm/2014/07/01/legal-practitioners-committee/">http://www.laz.org.zm/2014/07/01/legal-practitioners-committee/</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Act 2006, Cap 30 and Law Association of Zambia Act, Cap 31 ( <a href="http://www.zamlil.org/zm/legislation/consolidated-act/30">http://www.zamlil.org/zm/legislation/consolidated-act/30</a> )
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.zamlil.org/zm/legislation/consolidated-act/30">http://www.zamlil.org/zm/legislation/consolidated-act/30</a>

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## ZIMBABWE

<b>Legal Jurisdiction</b>	Zimbabwe
<b>Lawyer Title(s)</b>	Legal Practitioner/Advocate/Attorney
<b>Regulator(s) of Admission</b>	The High Court of Zimbabwe
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jsc.org.zw/index.php/court-addresses-judges/high-court">http://www.jsc.org.zw/index.php/court-addresses-judges/high-court</a>
<b>Regulator(s) of Practice</b>	The Law Society of Zimbabwe (replaced previous bar association in 1981.) Ethical codes include Section 23 of Legal Practitioners Act.
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.parlzim.gov.zw/attachments/article/114/LEGAL_PRACTITIONERS_ACT_27_07.pdf">http://www.parlzim.gov.zw/attachments/article/114/LEGAL_PRACTITIONERS_ACT_27_07.pdf</a>
<b>Disciplinary Authorities</b>	Law Society of Zimbabwe (Disciplinary and Ethics Committee) Legal Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal. (comprises of Two High Court Judges and Two Legal Practitioners)
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jsc.org.zw/index.php/court-addresses-judges/high-court">http://www.jsc.org.zw/index.php/court-addresses-judges/high-court</a> <a href="http://www.lawsociety.org.zw/">http://www.lawsociety.org.zw/</a>
<b>Other Bodies</b>	The High Court of Zimbabwe
<b>Contact/URL</b>	<a href="http://www.jsc.org.zw/index.php/court-addresses-judges/high-court">http://www.jsc.org.zw/index.php/court-addresses-judges/high-court</a>
<b>Primary Legislative Source</b>	Legal Practitioners Act, Title 27.
<b>URL</b>	<a href="https://www.yumpu.com/en/document/view/25158819/legal-practitioners-act-vol27-no07-zimbabwe-parliament">https://www.yumpu.com/en/document/view/25158819/legal-practitioners-act-vol27-no07-zimbabwe-parliament</a>