

Practice Specialty Organizations

One of the best ways to target your credentials – and contacts – is to join practice specialty organizations. Below is a list to get your started:

ORGANIZATION	FOCUS	WEBSITE	STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS?	JOB BOARD?
ABA Section of Public Contract Law	Administrative/Government	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/public_contract_law.html	Free	Yes
Administrative Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Administrative/Government	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/administrativelaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Infrastructure and Regulated Industries Section	Administrative/Government	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/infrastructure-regulated-industries.html	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice	Administrative/Government	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/administrative_law.html	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of State and Local Government Law	Administrative/Government	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/state_local_government.html	Free	Yes
Agriculture Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Agriculture Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/agriculture/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Agricultural Law Association	Agriculture Law	https://www.aglaw-assn.org/	\$30	
American Arbitration Association	Alternative Dispute Resolution	https://www.adr.org/	NA	
American Bar Association Section of Dispute Resolution	Alternative Dispute Resolution	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/dispute_resolution.html	Free	Yes
Association for Conflict Resolution	Alternative Dispute Resolution	https://www.acrnet.org/	\$50	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Dispute Resolution Section	Alternative Dispute Resolution	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124743	Free	Yes
Dispute Resolution Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Alternative Dispute Resolution	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/disputeresolution/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Animal Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Animal Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/animallaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Animal Legal Defense Fund	Animal Law	http://aldf.org/	UGA law student chapter	

Equine Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Animal Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/equinelaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Antitrust Law	Antitrust Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/antitrust_law.html	Free	Yes
Antitrust Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Antitrust Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/antitrust/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Appellate Practice Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Appellate Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/appellatepractice/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Aviation Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Aviation Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/aviation/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Lawyers-Pilots Bar Association	Aviation Law	http://www.lpba.org/	\$49	
American Bankruptcy Institute	Bankruptcy Law	https://www.abi.org/	Yes	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Bankruptcy Section	Bankruptcy Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124499	Free	Yes
Bankruptcy Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Bankruptcy Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/bankruptcy/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Creditors' Rights Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Bankruptcy Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/creditorsrights/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Business Law Section	Business Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/business_law.html	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Business and Finance Section	Business Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124739	Free	Yes
Business Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Business Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/business/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Franchise and Distribution Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Business Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/franchiseanddistributionlaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Civil Rights and Social Justice	Civil Rights Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/crsj.html	Free	Yes

Individual Rights Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Civil Rights Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/individualrights/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law	Civil Rights Law	https://lawyerscommittee.org/	Yes	Yes
Constitutional Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Constitutional Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/constitutionallaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Construction Law Section	Construction Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124740	Free	Yes
Consumer Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Consumer Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/consumerlaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Criminal Justice Section	Criminal Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/criminal_justice.html	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Criminal Law Section	Criminal Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124742	Free	Yes
Criminal Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Criminal Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/criminal/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Georgia Public Defender Council	Criminal Law	http://www.gapubdef.org/index.php/our-mission/	NA	Yes
National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers	Criminal Law	https://www.nacdl.org/	\$65	Yes
National District Attorneys Association	Criminal Law	http://www.ndaa.org/	Yes	Yes
Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of Georgia	Criminal Law	http://www.pacga.org/	NA	Yes
Education Law Association	Education Law	https://educationlaw.org/	\$75	
School and College Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Education Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/schoolandcollegelaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Elder Law Section	Elder Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124744	Free	Yes
Elder Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Elder Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/elder/index.cfm	Free	Yes
National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys	Elder Law	https://www.naela.org/	\$85	
American Bar Association Section of Labor and Employment Law	Employment Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/labor_law.html	Free	Yes

Atlanta Bar Association Labor & Employment Law Section	Employment Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124750	Free	Yes
Employee Benefits Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Employment Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/employeebenefits/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Labor and Employment Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Employment Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/laborandemploymentlaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
National Employment Lawyers Association	Employment Law	https://www.nela.org/		\$20
Entertainment & Sports Law Section of the Georgia Bar	Entertainment Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/entertainmentandsports/index.cfm	Free	Yes
International Association of Entertainment Lawyers	Entertainment Law	http://www.iael.org/	100 euros	
American Bar Association Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources	Environmental Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/environment_energy_resources.html	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Environmental & Toxic Tort Section	Environmental Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124745	Free	Yes
Environmental Law Institute	Environmental Law	https://www.eli.org/	Free	Yes
Environmental Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Environmental Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/environmentallaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law	Estate Planning Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/real_property_trust_estate.html	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Estate Planning & Probate Section	Estate Planning Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=135619	Free	Yes
Fiduciary Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Estate Planning Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/fiduciarylaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Family Law	Family Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/family_law.html	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Family Law Section	Family Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124746	Free	Yes

Family Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Family Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/familylaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Sole Practitioner/Small Firm Section	General Practice	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124757	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Health Law Section	Health Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/health_law.html	Free	Yes
Health Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Health Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/healthlaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
The American Health Lawyers Association	Health Law	https://www.healthlawyers.org/	Free	Yes
American Immigration Lawyers Association	Immigration Law	http://www.aila.org/	\$50	Yes
Immigration Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Immigration Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/immigrationlaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Association of Corporate Counsel	In-House Counsel	http://www.acc.com/	NA	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Corporate Counsel Section	In-House Counsel	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124741	Free	Yes
Corporate Counsel Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	In-House Counsel	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/corporatecounsel/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Intellectual Property Law	Intellectual Property	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/intellectual_property_law.html	Free	Yes
American Intellectual Property Law Association	Intellectual Property	https://www.aipla.org/	Yes	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Intellectual Property Law Section	Intellectual Property	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124747	Free	Yes
Intellectual Property Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Intellectual Property	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/intellectualproperty/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of International Law	International Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/international_law.html	Free	Yes
American Society of International Law	International Law	https://www.asil.org/	\$60	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association International Law Section	International Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124748	Free	Yes

International Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	International Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/internationallaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Child Protection and Advocacy Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Juvenile Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/childprotectionandadvocacy/index.cfm	Free	Yes
National Legal Aid & Defenders Association	Legal Aid	http://www.nlada.org/	\$35	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Litigation	Litigation	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/litigation.html	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Tort Trial and Insurance Practice	Litigation	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/tort_trial_insurance_practice.html	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Environmental & Toxic Tort Section	Litigation	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124745	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Litigation Section	Litigation	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124751	Free	Yes
Product Liability Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Litigation	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/productliability/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Tort & Insurance Practice Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Litigation	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/tortandinsurancelaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Military/Veterans Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Military Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/militaryveterans/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Professional Liability Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Professional Liability	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/professionalliabilitysection/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Public Interest Law Section	Public Interest	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124758	Free	Yes
Nonprofit Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Public Interest	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programs/sections/sections/nonprofitlaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law	Real Estate Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/real_property_trust_estate.html	Free	Yes

Atlanta Bar Association Real Estate Law Section	Real Estate Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124753	Free	Yes
Real Property Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Real Estate Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/realpropertylaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Entertainment & Sports Law Section of the Georgia Bar	Sports Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/entertainmentandsports/index.cfm	Free	Yes
The Sports Lawyers Association	Sports Law	https://www.sportslaw.org/	\$100	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Taxation	Tax Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/taxation.html	Free	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Tax Law Section	Tax Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124754	Free	Yes
Taxation Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Tax Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/taxationlaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
American Bar Association Section of Science & Technology Law	Technology Law	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/science_technology.html	Free	Yes
Privacy and Technology Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Technology Law	http://gaprivacytech.org/	Free	Yes
American Association for Justice	Trial Law	https://www.justice.org/	\$15	Yes
General Practice and Trial Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Trial Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/generalpracticeandtriallaw/index.cfm	Free	Yes
Georgia Trial Lawyers Association	Trial Law	https://www.gtla.org/	UGA law student chapter	Yes
Atlanta Bar Association Workers' Compensation Law Section	Workers' Compensation Law	http://www.atlantabar.org/members/group.aspx?id=124756	Free	Yes
Workers' Compensation Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia	Workers' Compensation Law	https://www.gabar.org/committees/programssections/sections/workerscompensation/index.cfm	Free	Yes