

THE COMMITTEE OF BAR EXAMINERS
OF
THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA
OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS



ADMISSIONS WEBSITE: <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Admissions>

APPLICATION TO TAKE THE FEBRUARY 2019
CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION

*** NOTE ***

Please carefully read the "Instructions for Application to Take the California Bar Examination" before completing this application. All applicants are required to be familiar with and to comply with all such instructions.

CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION AND QUESTIONNAIRE

APPLICATIONS MUST BE TYPEWRITTEN OR LEGIBLY PRINTED IN INK

1.1 EXAMINATION APPLICATION FOR: FEBRUARY 2019 California Bar Examination

1.2 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____

or FILE NUMBER: _____

NCBE ID NUMBER: _____

(Any applicant who either does not have an NCBE number or cannot recall his or her NCBE number can access the NCBE Account Number site at www.ncbex.org/ncbe-number and receive a number or retrieve a number.)

1.3 I AM APPLYING AS A (SELECT ONE):

General Applicant for the General Bar Examination

(You may not apply as a General Applicant if you have ever been admitted to practice law in any jurisdiction, including foreign jurisdictions.)

Attorney Applicant for the General Bar Examination (2-Day Examination)

Attorney Applicant for the Attorneys' Examination (1-Day Examination)

(Foreign attorneys are not eligible for this examination. Please refer to the application instructions for further information regarding eligibility to take this examination.)

1.5 DATE OF BIRTH: _____
Month Day Year

1.6 APPLICANT'S NAME:

Last

First Middle

1.7 MAILING ADDRESS:

(It is the applicant's responsibility to inform the Committee of any address changes. All correspondence will be mailed to the current mailing address on file. To change your address, email and/or telephone number, you must go online to <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Admissions> and log into your Admission Status Screen and select "Change My Profile." Your contact information will be updated within 3 to 5 business days.)

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

City or Non-USA City or Country State Zip (U.S.)

If the above address is different from that stated on any application previously submitted to the Committee, please check here:

Office Use Only EXAM NUMBER

Date Filed: _____
Month Day Year
Eligibility: _____ (Exam)

1.4 REGISTRATION: (A separate form is required.) (Please refer to Rule 4.16(B) of the *Admissions Rules*.)

You must have filed a registration application with the Committee of Bar Examiners (Committee).

Have you registered with the Committee?

Yes No

Name under which you registered if different:

Registration submitted now

1.8 TELEPHONE: () _____

1.9 E-MAIL ADDRESS (Required): _____

If you have an email spam blocker, please add admissions.la@calbar.ca.gov to your contact or safe list. After you submit your application, an email confirmation will be sent to your email address from admissions.la@calbar.ca.gov. You may receive important email notifications from the State Bar of California Office of Admissions regarding the status of your application and/or admissions status at the email address you provide on your application.

2.1 BIRTHPLACE: _____

City

State/Country

2.2 MULTISTATE PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY EXAMINATION:

The Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination (MPRE) is a separate examination administered by the National Conference of Bar Examiners. A bulletin regarding the MPRE, one of the several requirements for admission to practice law in California, is available online at <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Admissions> or upon request. If you have taken the examination and received the required score, you must ensure that your score has been appropriately transferred.

Have you taken the MPRE? YES NO

If yes, indicate the month: _____ and year: _____

If you are awaiting results, please indicate the date the examination was taken: _____

2.3 FORMER NAMES AND ALIASES:

If you have ever been known by another name, state below and provide the effective dates.

Last First Middle

DATES: From _____ To _____

2.4 LEGAL EDUCATION: Please indicate below the law school you are now attending, any previously completed law study and whether or not you are claiming credit for that study.

Name and Location of School or Office	Dates Attended		Date of Graduation or Anticipated Month Year	Degree Type		Claiming Credit? (Y/N)	Law School Student ID
	From	To		JD	LLM		
Law School from which graduating				JD <input type="checkbox"/>	LLM <input type="checkbox"/>		
Other Law Schools attended or other law study completed				JD <input type="checkbox"/>	LLM <input type="checkbox"/>		
				JD <input type="checkbox"/>	LLM <input type="checkbox"/>		

NOTE

After the application is filed, law school certification forms are sent to each law school you have attended if you have not previously taken an examination. If you have completed all of your legal education in a foreign country and have not been admitted to practice law, prior to submitting an application to take the California Bar Examination, refer to the "Qualification for Admission to Practice Law in California by Law Students Receiving Their Legal Education Outside the United States" information, which is posted online at <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Admissions>.

FIRST-YEAR LAW STUDENTS' EXAMINATION (See Rule 4.55 of the Admissions Rules)

2.5 Have you satisfactorily completed the first-year course in a law school approved by the ABA and/or accredited by the Committee and have you completed at least two years of college work (60 semester or 90 quarter units) in a college or university approved by the Committee prior to commencing the study of law?

YES NO

2.6 If NO to question 2.5 above, have you taken and passed the First-Year Law Students' Examination?

YES NO If yes, what was the date of the examination: _____
Month/Year

MORAL CHARACTER DETERMINATION APPLICATION (See Chapter 4 of the Admissions Rules)

3.1 Have you filed an application for determination of moral character? YES NO

a. If yes, when? _____
Month/Year

b. If no, please note that your admission to practice law in California may be delayed pending completion of the processing of the moral character determination application. The application is available online at <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Admissions>. See Chapter 4 of the Admissions Rules for more information.

3.2 PRIOR ADMISSION TO PRACTICE LAW: (Attorney Applicants)

If you have been admitted to practice law in any jurisdiction, you must apply as an attorney applicant. (See instructions)

FIRST ADMISSION: _____ SUBSEQUENT ADMISSIONS: _____
State Month/Year State Month/Year State Month/Year
State Month/Year State Month/Year

3.3 ATTORNEYS' EXAMINATION QUALIFICATION: (Attorney Applicants)

If you are applying to take the Attorneys' Examination, have you been an active member in good standing of the bar of another state or jurisdiction of the United States for four years immediately preceding the first day of the administration of the examination?

YES NO

If yes, in which jurisdiction(s)? _____
State State State State

3.4 TEST CENTER CODE
(See Instructions)

1st Choice _____
2nd Choice _____
3rd Choice _____

3.5 LOCATION NAME

3.6 FEES

SEE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FEE SCHEDULE

Application will not be deemed filed unless the proper fee is enclosed.

Application Fee	\$.00
Laptop Computer Fee	\$.00
Late Filing Fee	\$.00
Total Amount	\$.00

3.7 I WILL (SELECT ONE):

- Handwrite
- Use a laptop computer

3.8 Are you an applicant with a disability who has petitioned or intends to petition for testing accommodations?

YES NO

Were you previously granted testing accommodations for a permanent disability for a California Bar Examination and are you requesting exactly the same testing accommodations for this examination?

YES NO

CAUTION: ALL first-time testing accommodation petitions (petitions), requests for expanded accommodations and petitions filed by applicants with temporary disabilities must be filed separately from the application for the examination. The petition and required documentation and verification must be on the Committee's forms and the complete petition must be received by the State Bar's Office of Admissions in San Francisco no later than the final filing deadline.

3.9 Have you previously applied for and/or taken a California Bar Examination?

YES NO

If YES, which examination: _____
Month/Year

3.10 I authorize the State Bar of California and the Committee of Bar Examiners to publish any of my examination answers, if selected, and understand that any selected answers will be published without identifying information as to the writer/author.

I further authorize the Committee of Bar Examiners (Committee) to grant to such persons or entities as the Committee may choose, permission to publish those of my examination answers as the Committee selects. I understand I will not be compensated for publication or use of my answers by either the Committee or such persons or entities to whom the Committee grants a license.

YES NO

3.11 In the event that I am unsuccessful on the California Bar Examination for which I am applying, I expressly authorize the State Bar of California and the Committee of Bar Examiners to release my bar examination scores to the law school to which I have been or will be allocated for purposes of qualifying to take the California Bar Examination.

YES NO

DECLARATION

The person named as the applicant in the foregoing application and questionnaire declares:

I have carefully read the Instructions for Application to Take the February 2019 California Bar Examination and have answered the questions in this application to Take the February 2019 California Bar Examination truthfully, fully and completely, without mental reservations of any kind.

I hereby authorize educational or other institutions or agencies to release to the Committee of Bar Examiners (Committee) any information, files, transcripts or records requested by the Committee in connection with the processing of this application.

I further authorize the Committee to release information regarding my application to take the bar examination and my bar examination pass/fail status to the law school to which I have been or will be allocated for purposes of qualifying to take the California Bar Examination.

I hereby certify that I understand that I must comply with all of the requirements of Title 4, Division 1 of the *Rules of the State Bar of California (Admissions Rules)* and that the fact that I applied to take this examination may be shared with other bar admission authorities.

I agree to comply with the Committee's application, examination and grading rules and policies, including the Refund of Fees/Withdrawal policy, the examination administration instructions and policies and reconsideration of grades policy.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that my answers to the foregoing questionnaire and all statements made by me herein are true and correct.

I understand that if I am absent for any portion of the examination, I will be considered as having not taken the examination; that my written answers will not be graded; and that, if I intend to take a future administration of the examination, I will be subject to the same application filing deadlines applicable to first-time applicants rather than the deadlines applicable to immediate repeaters.

I fully understand that the Committee is the sole judge of the validity of the examination and, at its discretion, may determine that the result of any test or any part of any test or any individual's score is not valid. Should the Committee invalidate any part of the test, or if any individual's test is declared invalid or cannot be graded, the Committee may, at its discretion, decide to make a pass/fail decision on the basis of the valid portion of the applicant's test product available to the Committee. Should the Committee at any time determine that an insufficient test product is available upon which to base a valid pass/fail decision, the Committee may require the applicant to present himself/herself for re-testing at a place and time designated by the Committee.

NOTE: This application is not an application for taking the First-Year Law Students' Examination and not an Application for Moral Character Determination.

Executed on _____ At _____
(Date) (Street and Number)

(City, State, Zip)

PRINT: _____
(First Name) (Middle Name) (Last Name)

SIGN HERE: _____
(Signature of Declarant)

Before mailing your application, please check the following:

- Is the correct fee included OR
- Is the Credit Card Authorization Form completed and signed?
- Are three (3) test center names and codes correctly indicated on your application?
- Did you enter your NCBE number on the first page?
- Is each question answered fully and completely?
- If you plan to use a laptop, did you sign and attach the Release of Liability Laptop Computer Program form?
- Is the application signed?

Any necessary attachments should be stapled to the front cover of the application.

An application that is not brought to a complete and filed status by the final application filing deadline will be abandoned. No refund of fees will be paid in the event an application is abandoned. The Committee's Refund of Fees Policy is available online at <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Admissions>.

Make personal, cashier's check or money order payable to The State Bar of California or complete the Credit Card Authorization Form, which is posted on the State Bar's website at <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/About-Us/Forms>. A Mastercard, Visa, or personal/cashier's check payment is required for submission and acceptance of this application. For credit/debit card payments, a processing fee of 2.25% will be added to all charges. If your credit/debit card transaction is denied, you will not be able to submit your application until you provide another Mastercard or Visa.

To pay by personal, cashier's check or money order, you must mail the check to the Los Angeles Office of Admissions. Your application will not be considered complete until payment is received. If the personal, cashier's check or money order payment is returned for insufficient funds, your application will be considered incomplete until a valid payment is received. Late charges may be applied and/or the application deadline will be enforced if the payment is not received within the published deadlines. There is no processing fee associated with personal/cashier's check payments.

Please send: 1) COMPLETED APPLICATION, 2) PAYMENT COUPON BELOW, AND 3) FEES OR CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM TO:

Office of Admissions
The State Bar of California
845 S. Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, CA 90017-2515

OFFICE USE ONLY	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Checked
<input type="checkbox"/> Declaration	_____
	(Initials/Date)
<input type="checkbox"/> Signed	<input type="checkbox"/> Data Entered

	(Initials/Date)

.....Payment Coupon.....

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COUPON 2

PLEASE DETACH PAYMENT COUPON, COMPLETE AND ATTACH IT TO THE FRONT OF THE APPLICATION WITH THE APPROPRIATE FEES

Payment Coupon - California Bar Examination
Office of Admissions/The State Bar of California

_____	<u>Application Fees:</u>	
Last Name	General Applicant	\$677.00 (A) _____
_____	Attorney Applicant	\$983.00 (B) _____
First Name and Middle Name	Late Fee (Nov. 2, 2018 – Nov. 30, 2018)	\$ 50.00 (C) _____
_____	Late Fee (Dec. 1, 2018 – Jan. 15, 2019)	\$250.00 (D) _____
Registration (Social Security) Number	Laptop Computer Fee	\$153.00 (E) _____
_____	TOTAL PAID	\$ _____
File Number		

