

ACTNow Initiative — Appointing Critical Talent Now!

There are several CBA Presidential appointments to be made each year to the Association and various law-related committees, boards and commissions. To assist the President, the ACT Now Initiative was created. ACT Now stands for Appoint Critical Talent now. With it, we seek to reach talent that might not otherwise apply. The chart below lists the appointment vacancies for the upcoming year. If you are interested in applying for one of the vacancies, please send a letter of interest with your resume to Jessica Lindzy, jlindzy@cobar.org no later than May 15, 2020. Please feel free to reach out to Jessica with any questions.

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Annual Appointments by CBA President	2020 CBA Presidential Appointment Vacancies	Deadline for Applicants	Date Appointment Will Be Made	Term Starts	Committee Description	Qualifications
CBA/DBA Joint Management Committee	2 appointments will be made and applicants are requested.	Ideally on or before May 1, 2020	June 2020	1 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	<p>The Committee shall make studies and recommendations on all problems involving the joint operation of the CBA and the DBA, including staff salaries and fringe benefits, division of costs, office policies and procedures, and related matters, as well as any special issues referred to it by the President, governing board, or executive council or executive committee of either association.</p> <p>The JMC meets approximately 3-4 times a year.</p> <p>Every year the CBA President appoints 2 members.</p>	<p>CBA Member</p> <p>Prior experience on the CBA Executive Council or Budget committee or DBA Board of Trustees would be noticed but not required under the bylaws.</p>
CBA Legislative Policy Committee	1-2 appointments will be made and applicants are requested.	Ideally on or before May 1, 2020	June 2020	1 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	<p>The Committee shall work with the CBA Director of Legislative Relations to advance the CBA's legislative aims as determined by the Executive Council and Board of Governors.</p> <p>The LPC meets every Tuesday at noon for 60 - 90 minutes during the Legislative session. (Subject to change)</p> <p>Every year the CBA president makes 1 - 2 new appointments.</p>	<p>CBA Member</p> <p>Serving on or chairing the legislative policy committee of a speciality bar association, prior experience working with the CBA legislative policy committee through a CBA section or other CBA entity, or other experience related to the Colorado legislative process will be noticed.</p>
CBA Nominating Committee	2 appointments will be made and applicants are requested.		Oct. 2020	1 Year Term	The committee meets in the fall and once in December each year to select the next CBA President Elect and Region VP's.	CBA Member

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CBA Executive Council	2 appointments will be made and applicants are requested.	Ideally on or before May 1, 2020	June 2020	2 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	<p>The Executive Council shall have and be entitled to exercise all of the power and authority of the Board of Governors between meetings of the Board of Governors.</p> <p>The Executive Council will meet 4 - 8 times a year.</p> <p>Every year the CBA president appoints 2 members.</p>	<p>Appointees must serve on the CBA Board of Governors during their term on the Executive Council.</p> <p>The Speciality Bar Associations each have a representative on the Board of Governors. Each of the 2020-2021 Speciality Bar's representative to the Board of Governors are eligible for appointment to the Executive Council.</p> <p>Any other speciality bar member who will also serve on the Board of Governors for the 2020-2021 year are also eligible. For example, each CBA section has a representative on the Board of Governors. If a speciality bar member was chosen to serve as their section's Board of Governors representative they would be eligible for appointment on the Executive Council.</p>
CBA Budget Committee	<p>2 - 4 appointments will be made in the Fall, 2020</p> <p>CBA President will contact the Speciality Bar's in the fall with updated deadlines for applicants.</p>	TBD	Fall 2020	2 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	<p>This Committee shall study the CBA's financial condition and submit to the Board of Governors a proposed budget for each fiscal year.</p> <p>Committee meets 3 - 4 times a year in March and April.</p> <p>Every year the CBA president appoints 2-4 members.</p>	CBA Member

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The Colorado Lawyer Board of Directors	3 appointments will be made and applicants are requested.	Resumes to Heather Folker	June 2020	3 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	The <i>Colorado Lawyer</i> Board is an advisory committee that generally oversees publication policies. The <i>Colorado Lawyer</i> board of directors are not involved in editing TCL. Applicants with marketing and ideas on refreshing the <i>Colorado Lawyer</i> will be noticed. Every year the CBA President appoints 3-4 board members.	CBA Member
Colorado CLE Board of Directors	2 appointments will be made and applicants are requested.	May 1,2020	June 2020	3 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	CLE in Colorado, Inc. is the nonprofit education arm of the Colorado Bar Association and the Denver Bar Association. The CLE board of directors meets every month.	CBA Member
CBA Treasurer	Position is filled with reappointment of Mary Jo Gross	N/A	N/A	1 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	Every year the CBA President appoints the treasurer who is typically reappointed.	not open at this time

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CBA Amicus Brief Committee	No vacancies for appointment in 2020	N/A	N/A	1 Year Term Term starts on July 1, 2020 Can be reappointed	This committee shall review applications for the CBA to participate as amicus in matters pending before federal and state courts in Colorado. The Committee shall make recommendations to the Executive Council if CBA participation is appropriate and then review and suggest modification to proposed briefs, if necessary.	N/A
ABA House of Delegates	1 position available CBA President will contact the Speciality Bars with more details for these appointments and updated deadlines if vacancies exists	May 1, 2020	June 2020	2 year Term Term Starts after ABA Annual Meeting in August every year	<p>With more than 400,000 members, the ABA is the largest voluntary professional association in the world. The control and administration of the ABA is vested in the House of Delegates, the policy-making body of the association.</p> <p>Duties include traveling to designated cities to attend each House meeting, participating in its proceedings, and discharging the House's responsibilities. Delegates are to keep the CBA informed of House actions and matters pending before the House.</p> <p>The Delegates will travel two times a year to attend the ABA Annual Meeting in August (one to two-day meeting); and ABA Mid-Year Meeting in February (one to two-day meeting) The Delegates also are CBA Board of Governors and will attend the two CBA Board of Governors' meetings each year in May and October/ November.</p> <p>Expenses for travel and a <u>per diem</u> allowance are paid by the CBA for the ABA meetings; expenses are not reimbursed for the Board of Governors meetings.</p>	Does not have to be CBA Member

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Access to Justice Commission	<p>Unknown if vacancies will exist for appointment this year.</p> <p>CBA President will contact the Speciality Bar's in the fall with more details for these appointments and updated deadlines.</p>	TBD	Dec. 2020	<p>3 year term</p> <p>Term starts Jan. 1, 2021</p>	<p>The Colorado Access to Justice Commission is an independent entity formed in 2003 with the support of the Colorado Supreme Court, the Colorado Bar Association and the Statewide Legal Services Group.</p> <p>The Mission of the Access to Justice Commission is to develop, coordinate and implement policy initiatives to expand access to and enhance the quality of justice in civil legal matters for persons who encounter barriers in gaining access to Colorado's civil justice system.</p> <p>The Commission meets every other month.</p>	Does not have to be CBA Member
COLTAF Board of Directors	<p>Unknown if vacancies will exist for appointment this year.</p> <p>CBA President will contact the Speciality Bar's in the fall with more details for these appointments and updated deadlines if vacancies exists.</p>	TBD	Sept. 2020	<p>3 year term</p> <p>Term starts Oct. 1, 2020</p>	<p>The Colorado Lawyer Trust Account Foundation (COLTAF) administers Colorado's Interest on Lawyer Trust Accounts (IOLTA) program. This program is an innovative partnership between the legal community and the banking community, whereby the interest on lawyers' pooled trust accounts is used to improve access to civil justice.</p> <p>The Board of Directors holds four meetings a year, generally on the third Saturday of the months of January, April, August and October</p>	Does not have to be CBA Member
Colorado Legal Services Board of Directors	<p>Unknown if vacancies will exist for appointment this year.</p> <p>CBA President will contact the Speciality Bar's in the fall with more details for these appointments and updated deadlines if vacancies exists.</p>	TBD	Fall 2020	<p>3 year term</p>	<p>Colorado Legal Services is a non-profit corporation that has assisted persons with low income and seniors in the State of Colorado for over 85 years. The mission of Colorado Legal Services is to provide meaningful access to high quality, civil legal services in the pursuit of justice for as many low-income persons and members of vulnerable populations throughout Colorado as possible.</p> <p>The board meets 5 times a year.</p>	Does not have to be CBA Member