



Boston Bar

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Member Guidelines

The Boston Bar Association and Foundation are pleased to open our door to the legal community. We strive to create a welcoming and safe environment for all of our Members and guests.

The following guidelines have been established to protect and advance the interests of the BBA/BBF and its Members, and they are applicable to all Members and guests attending any BBA/BBF programs or events.

- The BBA is an organization where members of the legal community can come together to serve the public interest and further their professional goals. As such, all members and guests of the BBA are expected to act in a professional manner.
- All members should help ensure that the BBA is inclusive of all people regardless of gender, gender identity, race, color, ethnic origin and heritage, national origin, immigration status, religion, class, sexual orientation, marital or parental status, age, or disability.
- Networking, discussions and Q&A before and after programs are key benefits of the BBA and BBF programs. We ask that all Members be mindful of the time of our volunteers and speakers as well as other program attendees.
- In order to encourage the free flow of discussion, Members are asked to be respectful of all opinions and persons participating in the discussion.
- To the extent possible, Members are asked to pre-register for BBA and BBF events so we can meet the needs of all program participants.
- Members may utilize designated spaces in the BBA building when the schedule allows. Members must check in with the front desk in order to reserve this space.
- Members and guests are prohibited from using the Boston Bar Association as a space to solicit for any outside political or personal interests.
- The BBA and BBF staff should be treated with respect and civility. Any concerns about a staff member should be brought to the attention of management.
- When Members attend BBA / BBF programs accompanied by a guest, that Member is responsible for their guest during the duration of their visit.

Please honor our commitment to your participation and professional growth by following these guidelines
Thank you!