



Riverside County Bar Association

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PROTÉGÉ APPLICATION

New Protégé

Renewal Protégé

Print name _____ Title _____

Firm/Business name _____

Office address (include suite #) _____

City/State/Zip _____

If different, mailing address/P.O. Box (include zip):

Work phone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

Areas of practice _____

Date admitted to CA State Bar _____ State Bar # _____

Law school _____ Date graduated _____

1. What characteristics of a potential mentor are important to you?

Rank only those that are important to you, with No. 1 being the most important.

- ___ Size or type of practice
- ___ Location of Mentor
- ___ Type of Work Performed
- ___ Areas of law
- ___ Years in Practice
- ___ Educational Background
- ___ Other

2. It is more important that your mentor (check one):

- Live or work close to you
- Match your interest areas



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3. Size or type of practice: I prefer a mentor who is:

- member of a large firm (40+ attorneys firm wide)
- member of a medium-sized firm (10-39 attorneys)
- member of a small firm (2-9 attorneys)
- solo practitioner (see also No. 10 below)
- in-house counsel
- government attorney
- legal services attorney
- other _____

4. Location of mentor: I prefer a mentor who is located in the following area (check all that apply):

- Western County (Riverside, Corona, Perris, Moreno Valley)
- Southern County (Lake Elsinore, Temecula, Menifee, Murrieta)
- Mid-County (Beaumont, Banning, Hemet, Idyllwild)
- Desert (Palm Springs, Palm Desert, Rancho Mirage, Cathedral City, Indio)
- Blythe

5. Areas of Law. I prefer a mentor who works in the following areas of law (Rank only those that are important to you, with No. 1 being the most important.)

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| _____ administrative / governmental | _____ intellectual property |
| _____ bankruptcy | _____ international practice |
| _____ business / commercial | _____ juvenile law |
| _____ construction | _____ landlord-tenant |
| _____ criminal law | _____ personal injury / property damage |
| _____ elder law | _____ professional liability |
| _____ employment / labor | _____ real estate |
| _____ environmental | _____ securities |
| _____ family law | _____ sports / entertainment |
| _____ general practice | _____ taxation |
| _____ health law | _____ water law |
| _____ immigration | _____ wills & trusts (estate planning) |
| _____ Indian / Tribal law | _____ other: _____ |



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6. Type of Practice / Work performed. I prefer a mentor who engages in the following type(s) of work: Rank only those that are important to you, with No. 1 being the most important.

- ___ trial practice
- ___ litigation
- ___ transactional
- ___ appellate practice
- ___ appearance before regulatory/administrative boards
- ___ other _____

7. Outside Interests

I am currently engaged, or interested in being involved, in the following activities:

- civic activities
- bar-related activities
- Other. Please list: _____

8. Preferred Meeting Time

I prefer to meet:

- before work
- lunchtime
- after work

9. Preferred Means of Communication

I prefer to communicate via (*please check all that apply*):

- email
- telephone (work)
- telephone (cell)
- letter / facsimile



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10. For solo practitioners and/or small firms. I am interested in the following areas (*please rank only those that are important to you, with No. 1 being the most important*)

- _____ bank or client trust accounts
- _____ fee and billing practice
- _____ retainer agreements
- _____ marketing your practice
- _____ budgeting
- _____ business planning
- _____ other: _____

11. Please include any additional information that would assist us in matching you with a mentor. Although we may not be able to match you with a mentor meeting all of your preferences, every effort will be made to make an appropriate match.

Please feel free to attach a current resume.

I understand that the information provided in this application, and any additional information provided by me to the RCBA Mentoring Committee, is **not confidential** and may be shared with the members of the Mentoring Committee and my chosen mentor.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Date received by RCBA _____

Date approved by Mentoring Committee _____

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