



Mentor Program

The Idaho State Bar invites you to join our Mentor Program. This program is designed to assist new lawyers in the transition from law school to a successful law practice. The program pairs new lawyers with experienced lawyers in their local community. The experienced lawyer mentors have agreed to respond to general questions from the new lawyers and to give suggestions and offer guidance where appropriate about the practical aspects of practicing law.

The mentor serves as a valuable resource for practical advice, professional contacts, and support to guide new lawyers as they begin their legal careers. We ask that the mentor make the initial contact with the new lawyer. After that contact, the pair can agree upon the best method for communicating and the frequency of communication desired. It is recommended that the pair communicate at least monthly for a one-year period.

If you are interested in participating in the program, please complete the application and return it to the Idaho State Bar. You may be contacted for further information. You will be notified as soon as possible of your mentor assignment.

We hope that this program will provide a valuable resource to meet the challenges of entering the practice of law. The program has been developed with the goal to promote professionalism and collegiality among the members of the Bar.

Further questions can be directed to Teresa Baker, Program and Legal Education Director, (208) 334-4500 or tbaker@isb.idaho.gov.

Mentor Program Application

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Indicate the city and/or geographical area where you plan to practice:

Indicate the practice area/areas in which you plan to focus:

List any additional factors you believe are relevant to selecting a mentor for you:

Return this form to:

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