



Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association

Membership Application

(Effective 3/7/2015)

Contact Information

Your membership is effective upon approval of application and receipt of annual membership dues. Please allow two to four weeks for confirmation and certificate receipt.

Mr. Ms. Mrs.

Name (first, middle, last) _____ Date of Birth* _____ Ethnicity* _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

County _____ Phone _____ Fax _____

Company _____ Email _____ Website _____

Bar Card Number/Date _____ Affiliate Association _____

* These questions are optional and for internal statistics only. The information provided will not be distributed at any time.

Nominating Endorsement (must be completed for new members)

As a current member of TCDLA, I believe this applicant to be a person of professional competency, integrity and good moral character.

Printed Name of Endorser _____ Signature of Endorser _____

Communication Preferences (legislative, SDRs, seminars, events, and other announcements related to criminal defense)

Exclude me from fax communication Exclude me from email communication

Membership Category

Please check appropriate category. Prices are for one year.

- First-time member **REG** • \$100 for each of the first two years
- Voluntary sustaining member (required for TCDLA officers and directors) **VS** • \$330
- TCDLA past president member **PPRES** • \$100
- Law student member **STU** • \$20
- Affiliate member **AFF** • \$80
 - Paralegal **PARAL** Investigator **INV** Expert **EXP** Other (law professors and other persons approved by the board of directors)
- Regular member (renewal) **REG** • \$180
- Sustaining member (required for TCDLA associate directors) **SUS** • \$230
- Distinguished member (70+) **DIS** • \$80
- Public defender member (must be a PD employee) **PD** • \$60
 - Texas or Federal
- I would like to donate to the TCDLEI scholarship fund, 501(c)(3) organization, in the amount of \$_____.

Tax Notice: Dues to TCDLA are not deductible as a charitable contribution. As an ordinary business expense the non-deductible portion of membership dues is 25% in accordance with IRC sec. 6033.

Lawyer Locator

- Yes! Include me in the online Lawyer Locator.* You may list up to three areas of specialty in criminal defense law for public access (example: DWI, sexual assault, appeals).

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Payment Method

- Automatic Renewal**—save \$20 annually in select categories (regular, sustaining & voluntary sustaining members). As the account holder at the financial institution I have designated for Automatic Draft, I authorize TCDLA to automatically draft the account I have designated and I authorize my financial institution to debit my payments automatically from the Draft Account on the date that the payment is due. I further understand and agree as follows: This authorization will remain in effect until TCDLA receives a written notification of cancellation at least 10 business days in advance of the next payment due date.
- Check payable to TCDLA Credit card (Visa, Mastercard, Amex, or Discover)

Credit Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Name on Card _____ Signature _____

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