

Oregon State Bar House of Delegates Election Information

On the following pages you will find the House of Delegates candidate statement. The following points are very important when filling out the form:

- (1) *Please restrict your information to the front side of the form.*
- (2) *Although March 16, 2012 is the deadline for submitting your statement, please respond as early as possible to assist us in our printing and mailing workload.*
- (3) *Your candidate statement will be reproduced as submitted without any revisions or retyping.*
- (4) *Please send a current digital photograph to Danielle Edwards at dedwards@osbar.org. A printed photograph no larger than 2" x 3" is also acceptable and can be included with your candidate statement and nominating petition.*
- (5) *Please note that the bar now conducts its elections and preference polls online. Your candidate statement will be made available on the bar's website throughout the election period.*
- (6) *Contact lists for the bar members in your HOD region are available for your campaign mailings at a cost of \$20.00 per list. The lists can be e-mailed to you in electronic format so you can create your own customized mailing labels and other campaign materials using standard word processing programs (e.g., MSWord, WordPerfect, etc.). Please allow 3-5 days lead time and e-mail your request to listsales@osbar.org, or call us at 503.431.6411, or toll-free in Oregon at 800.452.8260, ext. 411.*

If you have any questions about the election, please contact Danielle Edwards at dedwards@osbar.org.

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House of Delegates Positions

Statewide and Out-of-State positions: three-year term.

2012 Election Schedule

March 16

Deadline for filing candidate statements with the bar office by 5:00 p.m.

March 29

Ballots and candidate statements sent to members

April 16

Ballots due by 5:00 p.m.

April 17

Ballots canvassed and candidates informed of election results. Delegate's term begins.

Terms

Delegates serve for terms of three years. An elected delegate may not serve as a member of the Board of Governors, as a section chairperson or as a county bar association president during the delegate's term.

Candidate Statement

1. Candidate statements are limited to the front page of the form provided by Member Services.
2. The completed HOD candidate statement must arrive at the bar office not later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 16, 2012. Faxed or email versions of these forms are acceptable.
3. Except where editing is necessary for compliance with the rules, candidate statements will be duplicated as received by Member Services, and will accompany the ballots when made available to the active membership.

Ballots

Ballots will contain the name of each candidate for whom a candidate statement is properly and timely filed.

Vacancies

The number of delegates is subject to change due to admission of new members, status changes and relocation of offices. In accordance with OSB Bylaw 3.2, the final determination will be made on February 1, 2012.

The number of delegates per region as of February 1, 2012 is:

Region	Members in Region	Delegates Allowed	Delegates Needed
Region 1	764	8	3
Region 2	928	9	2
Region 3	705	7	4
Region 4	1,571	16	5
Region 5	5,636	56	18
Region 6	1,528	15	2
Region 7	957	10	2
Out-of-State	2,416	24	5

Forms

Forms are available for download on the bar's website (www.osbar.org) or through the OSB Member Services Department: Danielle Edwards: (503) 431-6426 or toll-free in Oregon (800) 452-8260, ext. 426, or dedwards@osbar.org

Return completed forms to:

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503-598-6994 (fax)

References

1. Oregon State Bar Bylaw, Articles 3 and 9.
2. State Bar Act, ORS Chapter 9.

House of Delegates

Candidate Statement

for Region Number _____

Candidate's Name

Law Firm Name (If Applicable)

Principal Office Address (Street, City, Zip)

Law School from which graduated

Date Admitted to OSB

Please email
a current full-face
digital photograph to
Danielle Edwards,
dedwards@osbar.org.

List of candidate's professional and community activities, professional history and other pertinent information.

Candidate's Signature

Date