



# DALLAS

## LEGAL JOB SEARCH STRATEGY

### EMPLOYMENT WEB SITES

Many geographic specific job postings are listed on local sites, including:

<https://texas.gov>

<http://www.dallasjobs.com>

<https://dallascityhall.com/Pages/default.aspx>

### SPECIALTY BAR ASSOCIATIONS

Joining an association gives you access to like-minded attorneys as well as bulletins, directories, newsletters and other resources.

State Bar of Texas

<https://www.texasbar.com>

State Bar of Texas (Computer & Technology)

<https://sbot.org>

Texas District and County Attorney Association

<https://www.tdcaa.com>

Dallas Bar Association

<http://www.dallasbar.org>

Dallas Asian American Bar Association

<https://www.daaba.org>

Dallas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association

<https://dcdla.com>

Plano Bar Association

<https://www.planobar.org>

Texas Academy of Family Law Specialists

<https://www.tafls.org>

### PERIODICALS

Newspapers can be a great source for job listings and information about the local business environment:

Attorney at Law Magazine

<https://attorneyatlawmagazine.com/dallas>

Texas Lawyer

<https://www.law.com/texaslawyer/>

Dallas Morning News

<https://www.dallasnews.com>

Dallas Observer

<https://www.dallasobserver.com>

### REQUEST RECIPROCITY

NALP member law schools provide job search assistance and access to career resources for students at other member schools. Local schools that grant requests include:

Southern Methodist University School of Law

<https://www.smu.edu/Law/Career-Services>



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### TOP FIRMS

Vinson & Elkins LLP  
Baker Botts L.L.P.  
Kirkland & Ellis LLP  
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP  
Sidley Austin LLP  
Jones Day  
Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP  
Norton Rose Fulbright LLP  
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP  
Haynes and Boone, LLP  
Locke Lord LLP  
Bracewell LLP  
Thompson & Knight LLP  
Jackson Walker  
Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP  
Winston & Strawn LLP  
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP  
McKool Smith  
Baker & Hostetler LLP  
Winstead PC  
Reed Smith LLP  
Foley Gardere  
Kelly Hart & Hallman LLP  
Polsinelli PC  
Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr P.C.

### TOP CORPORATIONS

American Airlines  
Bank of America Corp.  
Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Co.  
Texas Instruments Inc.  
JP Morgan Chase & Co.  
Southwest Airlines

### LOCAL CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE

Dallas Regional Chamber  
North Dallas Chamber of Commerce  
Dallas Black Chamber of Commerce  
Greater Dallas Hispanic Chamber of Commerce  
Texas Chamber of Commerce Executives