

**APR 3(b) Admission
by Bar Examination**

**APR 3(c)(1)
Admission by
Motion**

**APR 3(c)(2)
Military Spouse
Admission by
Motion**

**APR 3(d)
Admission by
Uniform Bar
Exam Score
Transfer**

LICENSE TYPE	Lawyer License	Lawyer License	Lawyer License	Lawyer License
ELIGIBILITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > J.D. from ABA-accredited law school; OR > Completion of the Washington Supreme Court APR 6 Law Clerk Program; OR > J.D. from any U.S. law school + LL.M. degree that meets the requirements of Washington Supreme Court APR 3 from an ABA-accredited law school; OR > Graduation from a foreign university or law school with a degree in law that qualifies the applicant to practice law in that jurisdiction and earned an LL.M. degree that meets the requirements of Washington Supreme Court APR 3 from an ABA-approved law school; OR Admission to practice of law in any jurisdiction where the common law of England is the basis of its jurisprudence and has legal experience for at least 3 of the 5 years immediately preceding the filing of the application. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Admitted to the practice of law with current good standing in other state or territory of the U.S., or D.C.; AND > Proof of active legal experience (as defined by APR 1(e)(1) for at least one of the past three years. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Spouse of an active-duty service member of the U.S. Uniformed Services, who is, or will be, stationed in Washington within 6 months of filing application; AND > Applicant resides or will reside in Washington as the spouse of the U.S. Uniformed Services member within 6 months of filing the application; AND > Admitted to the practice of law with current good standing in other state or territory of the U.S., or D.C.; AND > Applicant has no lawyer disciplinary sanctions or pending lawyer disciplinary or incapacity matters in any jurisdiction in which applicant has been admitted. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Transcript of receiving UBE score equal to or greater than 266 AND not more than 40 months since date of UBE in which score was earned; AND > Transcript of receiving MPRE score equal to or greater than 85 AND not more than 3 years prior or 40 months later than date of UBE in which earned UBE score being transferred.
APPLICATION FEE	<p>\$595 (non-lawyers) \$645 (lawyers) + NCBE exam fee + Technology fee + NCBE investigation fee, if applicable + \$300 late fee, if applicable</p>	<p>\$970.00 + NCBE investigation fee</p>	<p>\$970.00</p>	<p>\$595 (non-lawyers) \$645 (lawyers) + NCBE investigation fee, if applicable</p>
OTHER INFORMATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Apply starting Feb. 1 (summer exam) or Sept. 1 (winter exam). > All character and fitness issues must be resolved at least 18 days prior to sitting for the bar exam. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Applicants have one year from date of submission to complete the admission process, including preadmission requirements. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > NCBE investigation report is not required. > Required to provide proof of marital status, active legal duty, and admission. > Applicants have one year to complete the admission process, including preadmission requirements. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Applicants have one year to complete the admission process, including preadmission requirements.
APPROX. PROCESSING TIME	<p>Varies; applicants notified whether granted permission to sit for exam no later than 18 days before exam</p>	<p>4-6 months</p>	<p>1-2 months</p>	<p>2-3 months or, if NCBE investigation report required, then 4-6 months</p>