



Colorado Defense Lawyers Association

Board of Directors: Call for Nominations

The Colorado Defense Lawyers Association (CDLA) invites all members to submit nominations for upcoming Board of Directors vacancies.

Serving on the Board is a powerful opportunity to add invaluable leadership skills to your CV, give back to your legal community, and shape the future of civil defense. CDLA's success is built on the contributions of its past Board members—now it's your turn to make an impact.

Board members enjoy benefits such as free registration and hotel accommodations for the Annual Conference, along with other perks throughout the year.

The CDLA Nominating Committee is reviewing candidates for open positions with terms starting in October 2025. Submit your nomination today and help guide the next chapter of CDLA's legacy.

Email your name, bio or CV, along with position(s) of interest to: bo@codla.org. You may submit for more than one position.

Important Dates and Deadlines

- **Nomination Deadline: May 1, 2025**
- The Nominating Committee will review all submissions and recommend a slate of candidates to the current Board. *Nominees can expect to hear back in early summer 2025.*

For questions, contact Nominating Committee Chair, Stephanie Montague at montagues@hallevans.com or Executive Director, Bo Donegan at bo@codla.org.

2025 Open Positions

- Community Outreach Director
- At-Large Director
- Racial Justice, Equity & Diversity Director

Descriptions and term limits on the following page.



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MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Community Outreach Director, Term: 2 years

CDLA is looking for a dynamic and service-minded member to take on the role of Community Outreach Director, *a two-year leadership position focused on philanthropy and fundraising through the CDLA Foundation.*

In this role, you will manage the Foundation's budget, organize fundraising initiatives, and oversee charitable programs that give back to our community. You will lead efforts to strengthen CDLA's impact, ensuring our outreach efforts make a tangible difference.

If you're ready to use your leadership skills to drive fundraising, outreach, and community engagement, we invite you to apply. Submit your name, bio or CV to Bo Donegan, bo@codla.org.

JOIN CDLA LEADERSHIP

At-Large Director, Term: 2 years

CDLA seeks a dedicated leader to serve as an At-Large Director for a two-year term. As a junior At-Large Director, you'll assist in planning the Trial Academy, then step up as the senior director to lead this essential program.

This role offers the chance to mentor future trial lawyers, contribute to CDLA's educational efforts, and gain valuable leadership experience.

Ready to get involved? Step up and lead!

Submit your name, bio or CV to Bo Donegan, bo@codla.org.

LEAD THE CHARGE FOR INCLUSION

Racial Justice, Equity & Diversity Director, Term: 2 years

CDLA is seeking a committed leader for the Racial Justice, Equity, and Diversity (RJED) Director role. This two-year term is central to our mission of fostering inclusiveness in the legal profession.

Collaborate with bar associations, law schools, and nonprofits to advance diversity and inclusion initiatives within CDLA. Shape programs, drive discussions, and make a tangible impact on the future of the profession.

Dedicated to equity? Step up and lead the charge. Submit your name, bio or CV to Bo Donegan, bo@codla.org.

**For more information on CDLA's Board and Committees,
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