

RESOURCES FOR NEW BANKRUPTCY PRACTITIONERS

1. Join the OSB Debtor-Creditor Section, <https://debtorcreditor.osbar.org/>. Attend CLEs and meetings, participate in the Section listserv, and check the Section home page frequently for news, announcements, court updates, and recent opinions.
2. Access OSB Debtor-Creditor Section Resources: <https://debtorcreditor.osbar.org/resources/>.
3. Read the OSB Debtor-Creditor Section Newsletter, available online at <https://debtorcreditor.osbar.org/>.
4. Attend CLEs. Oregon State Bar programs are recorded and accessible online: <http://osbar.inreachce.com/> or available on CD/DVD: <http://osbarcle.org/Catalog.html>. The Oregon Law Institute, http://law.lclark.edu/continuing_education/, and Multnomah Bar Association, <https://www.mbabar.org/education/all-cle-classes/list/>, are also good resources for bankruptcy-related CLEs. Check the Professional Liability Fund (PLF) Web site for additional programs, www.osbplf.org.
5. Familiarize yourself with possible malpractice traps, new legislation, or cases of note by perusing past articles from the PLF publication, *In Brief*, available on the PLF Web site, www.osbplf.org.
6. Spend some time reviewing the resources on the United States Bankruptcy Court Web site <http://www.orb.uscourts.gov/>. Local bankruptcy forms are available here: <http://www.orb.uscourts.gov/rules>. To learn more about electronic case filing (ECF), click on the ECF navigation link on the home page.

Also see ECF Tips and Tricks, <https://debtorcreditor.osbar.org/files/2016/03/ecftipsandtricks.pdf>, and ECF Common Mistakes and Solutions, <https://debtorcreditor.osbar.org/files/2016/03/ecfcommonmistakes.pdf>, posted on the OSB Debtor-Creditor Section Web site.

7. Consider contacting a bankruptcy resource lawyer. A list of bankruptcy resource lawyers may be found on the debtor/creditor section website at, <https://debtorcreditor.osbar.org/files/2016/03/bankruptcyresourcelist.pdf>.

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