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A Young Lawyer Snapshot

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OSBA Releases Draft Futures Report, Attracts Media Attention

The average 2015 Ohio law school grad has approximately \$98,475 in law school debt, and only about 58 percent of those same new JD's are employed in jobs that require bar passage. Those two rather sobering stats, which caught the eye of the [Cleveland Plain Dealer](#), appear in the recently released [draft report](#) from the Ohio State Bar Association Futures Commission, which is up for comment until August 4. What recommendations does the report make for access to justice and for lawyers at all career stages in "a time of great economic, cultural, and technological change?"

Report from Yale and NAPABA Finds Both Progress, Gaps in Asian Americans' Presence in Law

A new report from Yale Law School and the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association contains good news and bad news regarding Asian Americans in the legal profession. The good news: Over the last three decades, Asian Americans have dramatically increased their presence in the legal profession overall and in almost every sector. The bad news: They are still significantly underrepresented in law firm leadership, in government, and in academia. To get a better picture of where Asian Americans are (and aren't) in the profession, check out the digital supplement to [A Portrait of Asian Americans in the Law](#) and download the full report.

New Report Contains Shocking News about Online Video and Engagement

It's almost becoming rare these days to find written content online that isn't accompanied by a video. But are those who include video in their content mix working from a serious misconception about just what kind of video prompts the most engagement? As it turns out, shorter isn't better, according to a startling new report covered at [Adweek](#). Video marketing automation platform TwentyThree found that videos over 15 minutes long account for more than half of all video engagement, despite making up only 8 percent of all video. Both the article and an accompanying infographic will challenge what you thought you knew about people's viewing habits and attention spans.

Wondering What Other Bars are Doing and Thinking about Telecommuting? Bar Leader Has You Covered

Is the best commute no commute at all? Has technology advanced to such a point that some of your employees really could work from anywhere? Is it still best to keep a fairly clear line between work and home? Bar associations seem to be all over the map in terms of how they answer these and other questions. If you're considering whether to allow some amount of telecommuting at your bar or if you're a bar staff member who wishes this were an option, the [July-August issue of Bar Leader](#) offers much food for thought. And don't miss the farewell column by Roseanne Lucianek, who will retire in September as director of the ABA Division for Bar Services!



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