

Directory of Family Law Blogs

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With the increasing popularity and awareness of blogs, this month we focus on family law practitioners who blog. A Blog, short for web log, is an Internet-based journal. “Blawgs” are blogs published by or for lawyers. Blogs are updated frequently by the author(s) with posts or postings. Most blogs have a space for comments by those who visit the blog, thus creating a dialogue between the blogger and the audience. Blogs usually include a Blogroll or listing of blogs that the blog owner likes or mentions. This creates reciprocity among bloggers and expands a blogger’s geographic boundaries, which due to our mobile society, can be particularly beneficial to a family lawyer.

My research revealed thirty-seven states with bloggers dedicated to the practice of family law. A number of states including (but not limited to) Alabama, California, Illinois, and Texas have several family law bloggers, while a number of states appear to have no one blogging on family law matters.

For those states in which I was unable to identify a family law blogger (Delaware, Hawaii, Idaho, Louisiana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Tennessee, Vermont, West Virginia, and Wyoming), I included links to state-specific divorce law resources provided by [Cathy Meyer](#), Certified Divorce Coach and Legal Investigator. However, family law covers much more than just divorce, so if you know of a family law blog for the aforementioned states (or would just like to add yours to the list), please let us know. (Email glazerh@staff.abanet.org)

Please note: This directory is not intended to be exhaustive, and we will update the listing periodically. (We will also periodically send out updates of those blogs that we discover.) This directory will soon be posted in our Online Resource Center (<http://www.abanet.org/family>), so be sure to check it out.

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State	Blog	URL
Alabama	Alabama Family Law Blog published by the law firm of Michael Sherman LLC	http://www.alabamafamilylawblog.com/
Alaska	Alaska Family Law published by the law office of Atkinson Conway & Gagnon, Inc.	http://www.alaskalawblog.com/
Arizona	Arizona Divorce and Family Law published by Nirenstein Ruotolo Group, P.L.C.	http://www.azfamilylawblog.com/
Arkansas	Kevin Hickey Law Blog by attorney Kevin Hickey	http://www.kevinhickeylaw.com/blog/
California	California Divorce and Family Law published by the law office of Jeffrey Lalloway	http://oc-divorce.typepad.com/california_divorce_and_fa/
Colorado	Colorado Family Law Blog published by attorney Jennifer L. Rice	http://www.coloradofamilylaw.blogspot.com/
Connecticut	Connecticut Family Law Blog published by attorney Samuel V. Schoonmaker, IV	http://www.connecticutfamilylawblog.com/
Delaware		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/usstatedivorcelaws/a/delaware_law.htm

State	Blog	URL
Florida	Florida Divorce * Child Custody * Domestic Violence Law Lawyer by the law office of Janet Langjahr P.A.	http://fladivorceblog.com/
Georgia	Georgia Family Law Blog published by attorney Stephen Worrall at the Law Firm of Mullin & Worrall	http://www.gafamilylawblog.com/
Hawaii		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/understandingstatelaws/a/hawaii_laws.htm
Idaho		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/usstatedivorcelaws/p/idaho_laws.htm
Illinois	Illinois Divorce Law Blog published by attorney Michael F. Roe	http://www.illinoisdivorcelawyerblog.com/
Indiana	Indiana Divorce & Family Law Blog published by attorney Sam Hasler	http://haslerlaw2.blogspot.com/
Iowa	Iowa Family Law Blog published by attorney Alexander R. Rhoads	http://www.iadivorce.com/
Kansas	A Family and Criminal Law Blog published by attorney David J. Brown	http://www2.ljworld.com/weblogs/a-family-and-criminal-law-blog/
Kentucky	Kentucky Divorce Law Journal published by attorney Diana L. Skaggs	http://www.kentuckydivorceblog.com/
Louisiana		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/statedivorcelaws/a/LA_laws.htm
Maine	Maine Divorce Law Blog published by attorney Alan R. Nye	http://www.mainedivorceblog.com/
Maryland	Maryland Divorce Legal Crier by James J. Gross, managing partner of Thyden Gross and Callahan	http://mddivorceblog.com/legalcrier/
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Divorce & Family Law Blog by attorney Steven Ballard	http://massachusettsfamilylaw.blogspot.com
Michigan	Updates in Michigan Family Law by attorney Jeanne M. Hannah	http://jeannehannah.typepad.com/blog_jeanne_hannah_traver/
Minnesota	Minnesota Divorce and Family Law by attorney Gerald Williams	http://www.minnesotadivorceblog.com/
Mississippi	Mississippi Family Law Blog published by the Kisselburgh Law Firm	http://www.mississippifamilylawblog.com/
Missouri	Missouri Divorce & Family Law Blog by attorney Mark A. Wortman	http://familylaw.mwortmanlaw.com/
Montana	Family Law Matters by attorney Corbin Howard	http://www.corbinhoward.com/blog/
Nebraska		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/statedivorcelaws/a/nebraska_laws.htm
Nevada	Ciciliano Law Blog by Ciciliano & Associates, LLC	http://www.cicilianolawblog.com/
New Hampshire	New Hampshire Family Law Blog by attorney Kysa M. Crusco	http://www.nhfamilylawblog.com/
New Jersey	New Jersey Family Law Blog published by attorney Charles C. Abut	http://nidivorceblog.typepad.com/new_jersey_divorce_law_me/
New Mexico		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/statedivorcelaws/a/NMexico_Laws.htm
New York	New York Divorce Report by attorney Daniel E. Clement	http://divorce.clementlaw.com/
North Carolina	North Carolina Divorce News by Rosen Law Firm.	http://radio.rosen.com/
North Dakota		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/stateresources/qt/NDakota_resourc.htm
Ohio	Ohio Family Law Blog published by attorney Robert L. Mues	http://www.hcmmlaw.com/blog/
Oklahoma	Oklahoma Family Law Blog published by attorney Dan Nunley	http://www.oklahoma-family-law.com/
Oregon	The Oregon Divorce Blog published by the law firm of Stephens Margolin P.C.	http://oregondivorceblog.com/wordpress/
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania Family Law blog published by Fox Rothschild, LLP attorneys at law	http://pafamilylaw.foxrothschild.com/
Rhode Island	Rhode Island Divorce Attorney by attorney Christopher A. Pearsall	http://www.rhode-island-divorce-attorney.com/
South Carolina	South Carolina Family Law blog published by attorney Ben Stephens	http://www.scfamilylaw.com/
South Dakota		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/stateresources/qt/sdakota_resour.htm
Tennessee		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/statedivorcelaws/a/Tenn_Laws.htm
Texas	Texas Family Law blog published by attorney Chris Schmiedeke	http://www.chrislawyer.blogspot.com/

State	Blog	URL
Utah	Utah Family Law blog published by attorney Rebecca Long Okura	http://www.longokura.com/blog/
Vermont		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/statedivorcelaws/a/Vermont_Laws.htm
Virginia	VA Family Law Blog published by attorney Mary Beth Long	http://www.divorcerichmond.com/blog/
Washington	Lawlady's Divorce Blog published by attorney Stefani Quane	http://lawlady.typepad.com/
West Virginia		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/usstatedivorcelaws/a/wvirenia_law.htm
Wisconsin	Marquette University Law School Faculty Blog (Family Law)	http://law.marquette.edu/facultyblog/category/family-law/
Wyoming		http://divorcesupport.about.com/od/usstatedivorcelaws/a/wyoming_law.htm

Blogging Resources

FYI: Blogs - <http://www.abanet.org/tech/ltrc/fyidocs/fyiblogs.html>

Blog Technology 101 - <http://www.abanet.org/media/youraba/200808/article12.html> (Scroll to bottom of page to read article)

FYI: Feature Comparison - Major Blog Providers - <http://www.abanet.org/tech/ltrc/fyidocs/blogchart.html>