



# Standing Committee on Legal Technology

## The Mission of the [ISBA Standing Committee on Legal Technology](#):

To advise ISBA members on the implementation of technology in their law practices; to advise other ISBA section and committees on proposed projects; to advise other legal entities on the development of programs and systems to better circulate information to the public and expedite the practice of law on all levels; to develop a communications network for use of ISBA members, with membership on the system available upon membership in the ISBA; to serve as a clearinghouse for technical information; and to serve as a liaison between the ISBA and other bar associations, as well as non-legal entities which address technology issues.

## General:

- ◆ Section dues are \$30 per year.
- ◆ To join, go to [www.isba.org/sections](http://www.isba.org/sections)

## [Continuing Legal Education](#)

The Section sponsored the following program(s) during the year:

- ◆ The Ethics of Technology (6/15/18)

Section members also receive discounts on section-sponsored CLE programs.

## [Newsletters](#)

During the 2017-18 bar year, the Section published 4 newsletters.

Articles included:

- ◆ Technology at end-of-life: Estate planning for Millennials (July 2017)
- ◆ Legal technology resources for your practice (July 2017)
- ◆ iPad Pro – expensive but worth it if it meets your needs! Two versions to choose from (July 2017)
- ◆ Virtual reality devices & the legal profession (Nov. 2017)
- ◆ I moved my time & billing and practice management to the cloud
- ◆ Jan 2018 (Nov. 2017)
- ◆ Is the self-driving car an outlier of an automated judiciary? (Nov. 2017)
- ◆ Embrace technology to enrich your legal practice in 2018 (Nov. 2017)
- ◆ Lawyers may not secretly track sent emails, says ISBA opinion (Apr. 2018)
- ◆ E-filing in Illinois: A progress report from downstate (Apr. 2018)

## [Legislation](#)

The Section Council reviews proposed legislation that may affect their members' practice area. Highlights of the most recent legislative session include:

1. Number of bills reviewed: 16
2. Significant legislation:
  - a. Senate Bill 3053 - Amends the Biometric Information Privacy Act
  - b. House Bill 4367 - Amends the Personal Information Protection Act

## [ISBA Central](#)

- ◆ Members of the ISBA section get free access to the section's community on ISBA Central. The ISBA Central community allows section members to pose questions, answer questions, and share information with fellow section members from around the state.