

# Rhode Island Bar Association Staff & Responsibilities

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## Casemaker/Computer Assistance

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## Lawyer Referral Service

(401-421-7799) *Susan A. Fontaine*

– Reduced Fee Program

– Referral Service for the Elderly

– Lawyers for the Arts

## Volunteer Lawyer Program

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## Lawyers Helping Lawyers

Confidential assistance for lawyers and their families

Coastline Employee Assistance Program (Coastline EAP) (401-732-9444) or (800-445-1195)

Bar Office *Helen D. McDonald*

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## Legislation

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ABA Members  
Retirement Program 1-800-826-8901  
[abaretirement.com](http://abaretirement.com)

ABA Publications  
Discount Program [ababooks.org](http://ababooks.org)

Business Owners Insurance  
Aon/Affinity Insurance 1-800-695-2970  
[attorneys-advantage.com](http://attorneys-advantage.com)

## Disability Insurance – Guardian Life

Robert J. Gallagher & Assoc. 401-431-0837  
[gallagherassoc.com](http://gallagherassoc.com)

## Law Firm Merchant Account – Credit Card Processing for Attorneys

1-866-376-0950  
[affiniscap.com/ribar](http://affiniscap.com/ribar)

## Legal Career Center

[jobs.ribar.com/home](http://jobs.ribar.com/home)

## Professional Liability Insurance

Aon/Affinity Insurance 1-800-695-2970  
[attorneysadvantage.com/law](http://attorneysadvantage.com/law)

## USI New England

(Blue Cross / Delta Dental) 401-558-3165

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