



Looking for Mentorship?

If you...	would like to match yourself with other lawyers for a one-hour meeting.	would like to build a one-on-one relationship with a more experienced lawyer.	need one-off help on a substantive legal issue.	are an Indigenous lawyer or articling student.	want to talk to another lawyer who's been in your shoes.
The program you want is...	<p>Mentor Express</p>	<p>Mentor Connect</p>	<p>AdvisorLink</p>	<p>Indigenous Law Mentorship Program</p>	<p>Assist Peer Support</p>
	<p>Mentor Express is like online shopping for mentors.</p> <p>You browse an online gallery to choose the mentors you are interested in meeting.</p> <p>This self-match system lets you seek guidance and insight relevant to your own career development with a variety of mentors based on personal experience and attributes, practice areas, interests and geography.</p> <p>Over the course of the program year, you build your professional network by meeting with multiple mentors for one hour each.</p>	<p>Mentor Connect matches you with a mentor based on areas of law, geographical proximity, personal experience and similar interests.</p> <p>A successful mentoring relationship helps you to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Become the kind of lawyer you want to be. • Develop practical skills. • Increase your knowledge of legal customs and the 'unwritten' rules that guide the best lawyers in their decision-making. • Discuss career options. <p>Mentees drive the conversations. Mentors ask questions.</p>	<p>AdvisorLink (previously known as the Practice Advisor Mentor Program) is a service linking lawyers or articling students with more experienced counsel, and is aimed at ensuring that the public continues to receive quality legal services.</p> <p>The program carries on the long-standing tradition of the Alberta Bar providing assistance to professional colleagues.</p> <p>These volunteer advisors answer your one-off substantive law inquiries in a wide range of practice areas.</p>	<p>This program provides an opportunity for Indigenous students to meet and connect with experienced Indigenous counsel.</p> <p>Students meet one-on-one with their mentor for advice, guidance and connections. Mentors and mentees are paired by Law Society staff based on similar interests and backgrounds.</p>	<p>Assist's Peer Support program connects a lawyer facing a personal or professional issue with a trained volunteer lawyer with experience in, or insight into, that issue. The goal is to prevent problems from becoming larger issues in the lawyer's life. Volunteers help achieve this by providing support and resources and encouraging lawyers to seek help early.</p> <p>Assist's volunteers adhere to principles of strict confidentiality, within legal and ethical boundaries, in all situations. All interactions are discreet, confidential, and respectful.</p>
Contact...	<p>https://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/resource-centre/programs/mentor-express/</p> <p>Call Toll-free 1.800.661.9003 or Email: Mentor Express</p>	<p>https://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/resource-centre/programs/mentor-connect</p> <p>Call Toll-free 1.800.661.9003 or Email: Mentor Connect</p>	<p>https://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/resource-centre/programs/advisor-network/</p> <p>Call 587.390.8462 or Toll-free: 1.866.440.4640 or Online Request Form</p>	<p>https://www.lawsociety.ab.ca/about-us/key-initiatives/indigenous-initiatives/indigenous-law-mentorship-program/</p> <p>Email: Andrea Menard, Indigenous Initiatives Liaison</p>	<p>http://albertalawyersassist.ca/peer-support/</p> <p>Call 403.537.5508 or Toll-free: 1.877.737.5508</p>