Race and Justice Community
*An online forum for the Minnesota legal community*

In this guide, you’ll find instructions on how to join the community and use the features for meaningful discussion and collaboration around issues of race and justice.

**Joining the Race and Justice Community**

**If you are a member of the MSBA:**

1. Click on [http://my.mnbar.org/home](http://my.mnbar.org/home)
   a. You will be asked to log in.
   b. If you have not used the my.mnbar.org communities site before, you will be asked to agree to the Code of Conduct.
2. On the grey bar near the top of the home page, click on the drop-down menu for Communities > All Communities.
3. Find “Race and Justice” and click on blue “join” button on the right of the screen.
4. Choose how you want to receive email from the community and then click “Yes join the community.”

**If you are not a member of the MSBA:**

1. First let’s check if you may already have a profile in our database. [Click here](http://my.mnbar.org/home), fill in the requested information, and click “Next.”
2. If you do have a profile, click on [http://my.mnbar.org/home](http://my.mnbar.org/home) and proceed with the same steps for login as a member (2-4 above).
3. If you do not have a profile, create a Login and then click on “save and return.”
   a. Now proceed with the same steps for login as a member (1-4 above). (If the communities website does not immediately recognize you as a member, please allow 24 hours for update of the member database, and then try again. If you continue to have problems, please contact Sherri Knuth, 612-278-6330.)
Using the Race and Justice Community

After you have joined the Race and Justice Community, you will be able to use

- The discussion forum
  - You can post a message on the community webpage or
  - via email to MNBAR_raceandcriminaljustice_fd33ef65-ad88-4efa-ac8b-5c292e1c0542@ConnectedCommunity.org

- A document library which connects with the discussion forum, so email attachments are included in the library. You can post actual documents or links to websites, videos, etc.
- An event calendar
- A blog where members can post
- Member profiles

For more information on how to use the Communities website and features, visit MSBA News/How-to Guides. The guides include instructions on how to post a blog or share a document with community members. You may also contact Sherri Knuth with questions. Sknuth@mnbar.org or 612-278-6330.