

Best BlackBerry Apps for Lawyers

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Top 10 Applications to Keep You Organized, In Touch, and Online.



Walk into any law firm and chances are you'll find many attorneys carrying around a BlackBerry.

Unlike Apple iPhones, BlackBerrys are the smart phone of choice among lawyers simply because of their texting capabilities. Punching in an email is a breeze.

And now, thanks to some incredible applications, BlackBerrys can cater to lawyers on an even higher level - keeping them more organized and in touch.

Here is a list of the top BlackBerry apps for lawyers as recommended by **The Young Texas Lawyer**.

- 1. <u>The Law Pod</u> View the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, Federal Rules of Evidence and the U.S. Constitution all on your phone.
- 2. **LawPDA** State statutes for California, Texas, and Florida.

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- 3. <u>DateMathica</u> Helps you figure out the date of a deadline so you don't miss it. See how many days you have left until a deadline. Easy to use and accurate.
- 4. <u>BizTrackIt</u> Simple to use, project-based, time tracking tool. Only provides the functionality you really need to track your time painlessly so you don't miss out on a single billable hour. Just select a project from a list you create, clock in and clock out.
- 5. <u>WikiPock</u> Allows you to search and read the wiki encyclopedia articles without an internet connection (offline). All the articles are stored in your mobile phone's memory so there is no need to download anything from the network. Over 2.8 million articles in English
- 6. **Evernote** Allows you to easily capture information in any environment using whatever device or platform you find most convenient, and makes this information accessible and searchable at any time, from anywhere.
- 7. <u>RDM+</u> Remotely access your computer, even through NAT and Firewall from your phone. You can send and receive emails, edit word documents, surf web, manage files and folders and do hundreds of other things that you usually do sitting in front of your home or office computer.
- 8. <u>Google Maps</u> Offers most of what you love about the desktop version—including satellite views, turn-by-turn directions, and local business searching—and adds a GPS-enabled, location-based search component for use with your BlackBerry.
- 9. WorldMate Live Lets you check flight status, book hotels, connect with friends, and share your itineraries right from your phone. There's also a currency converter, a time zone calculator, and BlackBerry Maps integration.
- 10. **Quick Pull** Offers the same functionality as pulling your battery and can even be scheduled to do so at predetermined times. Sometimes your Blackberry will begin to slow down and this is a quick way to reset it and start fresh.

All of these applications can be found at the **Blackberry App World** marketplace - and are guaranteed to get the job done, even for a busy lawyer.

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