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[Filing Office Operations and Search Logic Task Force](#)

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The ABA Joint Task Force on Filing Office Operations and Search Logic will hold a panel discussion on Saturday afternoon, April 18th, from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. to consider the filing office operations of the PPSA filing offices in common law Canada, with particular emphasis on British Columbia, and the filing office procedures in civil law Quebec. Attention will be directed to the major differences and similarities between the Canadian filing offices and the requirements of filing office operations under the Uniform Commercial Code. To add a bit of humor and to highlight non-uniform procedures under the Uniform Commercial Code, the filing office of the District of Columbia will also be discussed. Practitioners and service providers with extensive knowledge of the respective filing offices will comprise the panel.