SELECTIVE LIST OF RARE & ANTIQUARIAN BOOK DEALERS IN LAW
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There are more rare book and antiquarian dealers than have been listed here. To search for rare book dealers in general, or in other subjects, such as Roman law, history, humanities, social sciences, check out the lists below.

I. General Lists & Search Engines

A selection of antiquarian, used, out-of-print and unusual booksellers online. This is only a small sampling.

Abebooks.com
A large, Ebay-like online marketplace for used, rare, and out-of-print books. A great place to search for a particular title, subject, and get quotes from a variety of booksellers. You can also locate a bookseller through this web site. Be aware that rare book dealers often list items for sale at different prices here, than directly on their own websites, often higher.
http://www.abebooks.com/

Alibris Library Service
Considers itself “the leading library supplier of used and hard-to-find books, movies and music.” There is a web page for libraries and one for collectors. This is a very useful site for out-of print materials. No list of booksellers available, though.
http://www.alibris.com/

Antiquarian Booksellers Association of America
Includes list of booksellers in law.
http://abaa.org/

Antiquarian & Used Law Booksellers Around the World
List of rare law book dealers in Belgium, Canada, Denmark, France, Germany, Japan, The Netherlands, United Kingdom, United States, Switzerland. This list has not been updated since 2000, but still useful. Some web pages are unavailable.
http://www.xs4all.nl/~kloof/lawdeal.html

Bibliofind (Amazon.com)
A very large search engine through Amazon.com that searches for antiquarian and used books. Useful if you don’t mind going through Amazon.com.
Biblion.com
Another large search engine in the UK for rare book dealers of all subjects
http://www.biblion.com/

Bibliopoly
A database of rare and antiquarian books for sale from a number of rare book dealers, mostly non-law. Searchable database in English, French, Castilian, German and Italian
http://www.polybiblio.com/

Bookfinder.com
Another large search engine for rare, secondhand, and out-of-print books
http://www.bookfinder.com/

Chapitre.com
A French search engine for rare, secondhand, and out-of-print books
http://chapitre.com/

L'Ex-Libris
Another large French search engine for rare and secondhand books
http://www.lexlibris.com/

Lex Scripta: Legal Publishers around the world (from Australia)
Includes lists of rare book and antiquarian dealers in law in various countries.

II. Rare Books, Antiquarian & Out-of-Print Book Dealers in Law

A few are listed here, and are only accessible through mail order catalogs or by appointment. Most will help with desiderata lists, and sell for you if you have used or rare books to sell.

Bauman Rare Books
1215 Locust Street
Philadelphia, PA 19107
Phone: 215-546-6473
Fax: 215-546-9064
E-Mail general inquiries: brb@baumanrarebooks.com
E-Mail order inquiries: orders@baumanrarebooks.com
http://www.baumanrarebooks.com/nHTML/index.html

Searchable database online, catalogues available
William S. Hein & Co., Inc.
Secondhand book dealer with out-of-print state reports, rare books, secondhand texts
1285 Main Street
Buffalo, NY 14209-1987
Phone: 800-828-7571 or 716-882-2600
Fax: 716-883-8100
E-Mail: mail@wshein.com
Littleton, Colorado Office
10368 West Centennial Road
Littleton, CO 80127
Phone: 888-361-3255 or 303-979-5657
Fax: 303-979-0707
E-Mail: s_jarrett@wshein.com
http://www.wshein.com/

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Juridica Bookstore
New, second hand and rare edition law books
Contact Paul Vanderkelen
Rue Elise 45
1050 Brussels
Phone: 32-2-648.1148
Fax: 32-2-647.05.05
E-Mail: p.vdk@juridica.be
http://jri.web.shphosting.com/JRI_CDML/default.htm

Searchable database online

The Lawbook Exchange, Ltd.
Antiquarian law and legal history
33 Terminal Avenue
Clark, NJ 07066-1321
Phone: 732-382-1800
Phone: 800-422-6686 in USA or Canada
Fax: 732-382-1887
E-Mail: law@lawbookexchange.com
http://www.lawbookexc.com/

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Lawyerviews.com Rare and Antiquarian Law Books
35 Bay State Road, Suite 3R
Boston, MA 02215
Phone: 617-424-1137
Fax: 617-424-9546
http://www.lawyerviews.com/lawsite/basicinfo/rarelawbooks.html
List of books available only. No database available. Provides “a forum for the purchase and sale of rare, out-of-print, scholarly law and legal history books.”

**Librairie Les Dioscures**
French booksellers specializing in law, history, philosophy, theology and religions
11, rue Charlot
75003 Paris France
Phone: 33 01 44 54 90 92
Fax: 33 01 44 54 90 93
E-Mail: libdioscures@wanadoo.fr
http://galaxidion.x-echo.com/dioscures/

**Meyer-Boswell Books, Inc.**
Jordan D. Lutrell
2141 Mission Street
San Francisco, CA 94110
Phone: 415-255-6400
Fax: 415-255-6499
E-Mail: rarelaw@meyerbos.com
http://www.meyerbos.com/

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**Patterson-Smith Antiquarian Bookseller & Publisher**
Antiquarian booksellers “specializing in true crime, gambling, and related subjects.” Include out-of-print and rare books, magazines, and ephemera in detective history, forensic science, frauds and swindles, prisons and prison history, etc.
23 Prospect Terrace
Montclair, NJ 07042
Phone: 973-744-3291
Fax: 973-744-4501
E-Mail: mail@patterson-smith.com
http://www.patterson-smith.com/

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**John Rees Rare Books**
242 Merton Road
London SW18 5JQ
Phone: 44-20-8870-3279
Fax: 44-20-8870-2470
E-Mail: John_Rees@compuserve.com
www.lawbooks.co.uk/

[NOTE: website under construction and not available at this time (07/07/03)]
Robert H. Rubin Books
Antiquarian books in law, economics and Americana
P.O. Box 267
Brookline, MA 02446-0002
Phone: 617-277-7677
Fax: 617-731-5941
E-Mail: rhrubin@rubinbooks.com
http://www.rubinbooks.com/index.html

No databases available online. Selling mostly through “regular printed catalogues, special quotations, and annual bookfairs.” Printed catalogues available online to browse, with some subject classification.

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Lincoln's Inn Archway
Carey Street
London WC2A 2JD
Phone: 44-20-7242-5778
Fax: 44-20-7430-0897

16 Fleet Street, London EC4Y 1AU
Phone: 44-20-7353-3907
Fax: 44-20-7353-4395
E-Mail: enquiries@wildy.com
http://www.wildy.com/

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III. Rare Book, Antiquarian & Out-of-Print Book Dealers With Good Stock in Law

Just a select few dealers who have regular stock in law materials.

Bartleby's Bookshop
Rare & antiquarian materials on American History, Economics, and Law
3034 M Street N.W.
Washington, DC
Phone: 202-298-0486
Fax: 202-686-5697
E-Mail: info@bartlebysbooks.com
http://www.bartlebysbooks.com/

The Brick Row Book Shop
Mainly dealing with literature, but some legal items pop up from time to time
49 Geary Street, #235
San Francisco, CA 94108
Phone: 415-398-0414
Fax: 415-398-0435
E-Mail: books@brickrow.com
www.brickrow.com

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**Buddenbrooks**  
Very expensive, very pricey rare books, some in law  
31 Newbury Street  
Boston, MA 02116  
Phone: 617-536-4433  
Fax: 617-267-1118  
E-Mail: Buddenbrooks@att.net  
http://www.buddenbrooks.com/

Access to this web site requires a username and a password, but a searchable database is available at: [http://www.abaa.org/index.html](http://www.abaa.org/index.html)

**A.R. Heath Rare Books**  
English Books, Pamphlets, Broadsides, Manuscripts, 16th-19th Centuries, some law  
2 Pembroke Road  
Clifton, Bristol BS8 3DX  
Phone: 44-117-9741183  
Fax: 44-117-9732901  
E-Mail: simon@heath-rarebooks.freeserve.co.uk  
http://www.abebooks.com/home/arheath/

**Heritage Bookshop, Inc.**  
Rare book dealer with some stock in law  
8540 Melrose Avenue  
West Hollywood, CA 90069  
Phone: 310-659-3674  
Fax: 310-659-4872  
heritage@heritagebookshop.com  
http://heritagebookshop.com/index.jsp

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**Howes Bookshop**  
Specializes in theology, history, social sciences, literature and law  
Trinity Hall  
Braybrooke Terrace  
Hastings, East Sussex, TN34 1HQ  
Phone: 44-1424-423437  
Fax: 44-1424-460620  
E-Mail: rarebooks@howes.co.uk  
http://www.howes.co.uk/

Catalogues available online
David M. Lesser
18th & 19th century Americana including antiquarian law
One Bradley Road
Woodbridge, CT 06525-2235
Phone: 203-389-8111
Fax: 203-389-9113
E-Mail: dmlesser@pcnet.com
http://www.lesserbooks.com/

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Cover many subjects, good stock in law and Americana
P.O. Box 9536
Philadelphia, PA 19124
Phone: 215-744-6734
Fax: 215-744-6137
E-Mail: rarebks@prbm.com
http://www.prbm.com/

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17th and 18th Century Continental Books, Economics, Social Sciences, Philosophy, History of Ideas, Language
22 Compton Terrace
London, N1 2UN, UK
Phone: 44-20-7704-9845
Fax: 44-20-7354-4202
E-Mail: sfalster@btinternet.com

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Garrett Scott, Bookseller
Specializes in first editions of unusual and “out-of-the-way” 18th & 19th century books and ephemera
P.O. Box 4561
Ann Arbor MI 48106
Phone: 734-741-8605
Fax: 734-741-8606
E-Mail: orders@gsbbooks.com
http://www.gsbbooks.com/

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