



Pro Bono Law Saskatchewan & Law Society of Saskatchewan

Pro Bono Service Award



In recognition of the contribution of lawyers in Saskatchewan to supporting access to justice for persons of limited means, Pro Bono Law Saskatchewan and the Law Society of Saskatchewan have established an annual award to recognize outstanding pro bono service.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the Pro Bono Service Award, an individual must:

- Be a resident of Saskatchewan;
- Be a member in good standing of the Law Society of Saskatchewan;
- Have demonstrated outstanding contribution in the area of pro bono work, including any or all of the following activities:
 - Delivering pro bono legal services;
 - Assisting with the establishment of pro bono programs;
 - Coordinating pro bono services;
 - Education and advocacy to promote a pro bono culture.

Presentation

The Award will be presented annually during the Lawyer's Charity Gala, sponsored by The Law Society of Saskatchewan, the Saskatchewan Branch of the Canadian Bar Association, and the University of Saskatchewan College of Law. The Charity Gala is taking place on January 27, 2012 at TCU Place in Saskatoon.

Nomination Procedure

Using the Nomination Form, please provide a summary of the nominee's pro bono service detailing why the nominee is deserving of this Award. Every nomination must be supported by the signatures of three members in good standing of the Law Society of Saskatchewan. Completed Nominations should be submitted to:

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t: (306) 569-3098
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Deadline for Nominations

January 3, 2012

Selection Process

Selection of the award recipient will be made by a jury of three people: the Executive Director of Pro Bono Law Saskatchewan, the Executive Director of the Law Society of Saskatchewan, and the immediate Past President of the Law Society of Saskatchewan. More than one award may be considered in any one year and no award may be granted in any one year.

Award

The winner shall receive a commemorative work of art. The award recipient will be announced in a news release and a tribute will be published in the *Benchers' Digest* and on the Pro Bono Law Saskatchewan website.