



Roberta L. Jamieson '76, has been awarded the David C. Smith Award by the Council of Ontario Universities for her advocacy of aboriginal education in Canada, and her dedication to improving access and increasing career success of Aboriginal learners.

1963

Colin McNairn published *In A Manner of Speaking: Phrases, Expressions and Proverbs and How We Use and Misuse Them* in December 2014.

1966

John Hanselman's law practice has been awarded Delhi District Chamber of Commerce's 2015 Lifetime Achievement Award.

1967

Thomas Melnick retired after a legal career spanning almost 50 years.

1970

Justice Stephen Glithero will preside when Dellen Millard and Mark Smich stand trial for the murder of Tim Bosma.

John Sabine has been appointed Non-Executive Chairman and Director for North American Nickel Inc.

1971

Richard McLaren has been appointed by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) to investigate allegations of widespread, systematic doping and cover-ups in Russia.

1974

James Turner received the Lifetime Achievement honour at the 2015 Canadian General Counsel Awards. The annual awards, founded by ZSA Legal Recruitment and the *National Post*, recognize the top-in house lawyers in the country.

1975

Murray Elston has been appointed Director to the Independent Electricity System Operator, effective January 2015.

Robert Farmer is an author of *The Bammo Ten Card Deal Dossier* which was published in April 2015.



Rosemary McCarney '77 was appointed ambassador and permanent representative of Canada to the Office of the United Nations and the United Nations Conference in Disarmament in Geneva.



Michael Lerner '72 is a newly elected 2015 Bencher.

1976

Ronald Durand has been recognized as one of The Best Lawyers in Canada 2015 for tax law.

Tajdin Mitha was appointed to the Council of the Association of professional Engineers and Geoscientists of the province of BC for a term ending in October 2016.

1978

Charles Graham was appointed in 2014, as a judge of the Family Court Branch in Barrie.

Madam Justice **Lynne C. Leitch** was one of the winners of the 2015 Women of Excellence. Sponsored by the YMCA of Western Ontario, the awards honour women in the community for their outstanding contributions and tireless dedication in their chosen field.



Richard McLaren '71

Hilary McCormack has been appointed Chairperson of the Military Police Complaints Commission of Canada. Ms. McCormack will assume her duties as Commission Chairperson on October 5, 2015 for a term of five years.

1979

Christopher Bredt is a newly elected 2015 Bencher.

Gerald Shields has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the Tower Resources Ltd.

Jerry O'Brien is a Partner at O'Brien, Jacklin, Wickett, Sulman in Chatham.

1980

George W. King was appointed a judge of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice.

The Honourable **Margaret A. McSorley**, a provincial court judge of the Ontario Court of Justice in Woodstock, is appointed a judge of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Family Division in Kingston.

Gabrielle Richards has been elected chair of the Board of Governors of the Canadian Tax Foundation.

1981

Grant Dow was appointed a judge of the Superior Court of Justice, Toronto.

Michael Hibberd has been appointed Non-Executive Vice Chairman of the Sunshine OilSands Ltd.

Philip Squire was elected London city councillor on October 27, 2014.

1982

David Weekes has been recognized as one of The Best Lawyers in Canada 2015 in the area of tax law.

1984

Michael Cooper was a participant in the 2014 Executive Sleep Out, an action to help homeless children.

Ingrid Hibbard was appointed to the Board of Directors of the Lake Shore Gold.



David Ben '87, along with E. S. Andrews is the author of *The Experts at the Card Table* a book about card cheating and techniques to do so with more than 750 photographs. More info on the book can be found at : magicana.com/theexperts. He also published *The Bammo Ten Card Deal Dossier* by Robert Farmer, in April 2015.

1985

James Lawson is CEO of Woodbine Entertainment Group, effective immediately.

Luanna McGowan is the President of The McGowan Group Inc, former National Partner and founder of PricewaterhouseCoopers' Centre for Entrepreneurs and Family Business.

Craig Snelgrove was appointed vice-president of business development at Bulk TV and Internet in Raleigh, N.C.

1986

Marie-Andree Beaudry has been recognized as one of The Best Lawyers in Canada 2015 in tax law.

James Danziger, is a Partner of Operations at IQ Partners, a recruiting company, where he oversees its Toronto, Montreal and Vancouver offices.

Mario Deo was appointed President of the Canadian Condominium Institute, Toronto Chapter.

The Honourable **Pamela L. Hebner** has been appointed a judge of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice.

1987

Ramon Andal was appointed a part-time member to the Social Security Tribunal, a single decision-making body that consolidates the work previously done by four separate tribunals.



Janet Leiper '85 elected Bencher for the Toronto Region was appointed Commissioner to the Ontario Securities Commission for a two-year term.

Kevin Coon was a participant in the 2014 Executive Sleep Out, an action to help homeless children.

Larry Weinberg, head of Cassels Brock & Blackwell LLP Franchise Law Group, has been named franchise law's worldwide "Lawyer of the Year 2015" by Who's Who Legal. Larry was one of the only Canadians honoured at this year's ceremony, which celebrated the world leading practitioners across 34 key legal areas/industries.

1988

Elliott Noss a President and CEO of Tucows is a founder of Ting Mobile – a company that purchases network access from other mobile companies and in turn sells it to consumers.

1989

Heather Evans is a National Managing Partner for tax and member of the Deloitte's Global Tax & Legal Executive.

Gina Papageorgiou is a newly elected 2015 Bencher.

Lionel Smith received a Killam Research Fellowship (killamprogram.canadacouncil.ca) and was appointed to the Sir William C. Macdonald Chair in Law at the Faculty of Law, McGill University.

1990

Ron Baruch has been appointed chair of Board of Directors of North York General Foundation.



Gabrielle Richards '80

Doug Melville '91, former head of the Ombudsman for Banking and Investments, has been appointed principal ombudsman and chief executive for the Channel Islands Financial Ombudsman effective June 1.



Lorna Cuthbert, a partner at Stikeman Elliott, is acknowledged by *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2015* and the *Legal 500 Canada 2014* for her labour and employment law expertise.

Neil Henderson is now a partner at Gowlings LLP after making the move from BLG's Waterloo office which recently closed. Paul is an IP Lawyer and registered patent and trademark agent both in Canada and the U.S.

1991
Sean Kruuv has been appointed CFO for the Oakridge Global Energy Solutions Inc.

1992
Mario Paura, a partner at Stikeman Elliott LLP, is recognized by *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2015* for his expertise in real estate law.

1993
Peter Aziz has been promoted to Counsel at Torys LLP. Peter is a corporate lawyer and a member of the Financial Institutions Practice and the Payments and Cards Practice Group.

Ed Jager was appointed Ambassador of Canada to Mongolia.

Bob Rooney, Talisman Energy, was a finalist in the Lifetime Achievement Deal Making, 2015 Canadian General Counsel Awards.

1994
The Honourable **Annalisa S. Rasaiah** has been appointed a judge of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice.

Peter Aceto, president and CEO of Tangerine, is the author of *Weology: How Everybody Wins When We Comes Before Me*, published in 2015. The book provides an in-depth look into the "people-first" leadership strategies that have made Tangerine Canada's leading direct bank.

1995
Paul Carezza joined Gowlings LLP as a member of the Tax Practice Group.

Mark McElheran, a partner at Stikeman Elliott LLP, has been recognized as one of the *Best Lawyers in Canada 2015* for derivatives and structured finance law.

Robert McEwen has been appointed President & CEO of Ballard Power Systems.

1997
Ghen Laraya is VP, Business and Legal Affairs, Americas and Asia for Digital Turbine. Based in Los Angeles, Digital Turbine is a subsidiary of mobile service provider Mandalay Digital Group.

1998
Shawn Graham was presented with a 2014 Rising Star Award, Leading Lawyer under 40.

1999
Arman Kuyumjian was appointed partner for Haynes Boone LLP, New York office.



Ed Jager '93

Andrew Tam was a finalist in the Lifetime Achievement Mid-Market Excellence, 2015 Canadian General Counsel Awards.

2000
Ritu Bhasin, Founder of Bhasin Consulting Inc., received the City of Toronto's 2014 William P. Hubbard Award for Race Relations.

David Johnson is a winner of the 2014 Rising Star Award from Lexpert.

Zoe Kevork practices entertainment and immigration law. In addition to her law practice, she is involved in the entertainment industry as a concert and film producer.

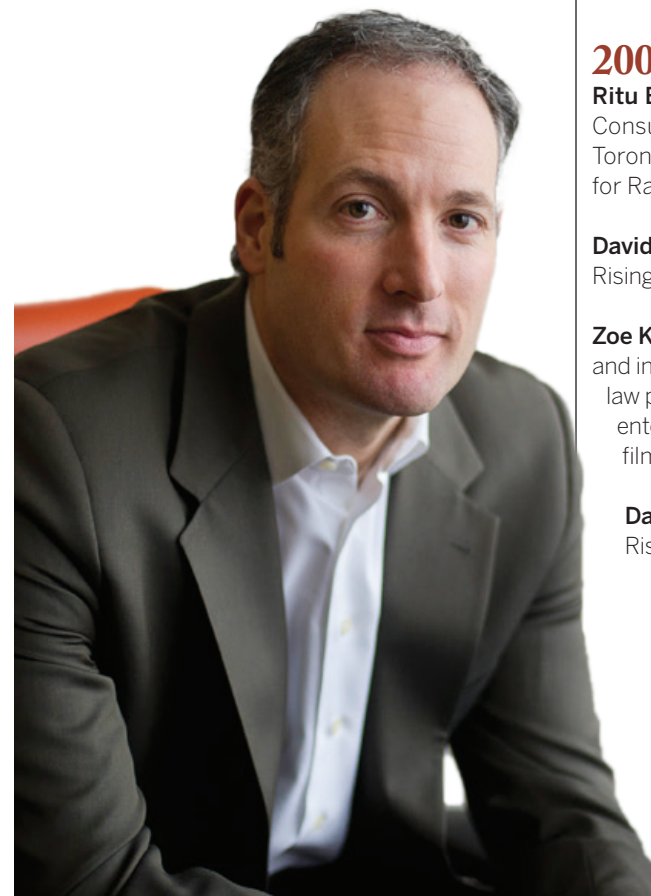
David Magisano is a winner of the 2014 Rising Star Award from Lexpert.

2001
Eva Bellissimo is a winner of the 2014 Rising Star Award from Lexpert.

Amanda Linett has been recognized as one of the *2015 Best Lawyers in Canada* in the areas of mining law and natural resources law.

Matthew Peters joined Cassels Brock LLP as a partner in the Tax Group, where he advises on tax issues associated with international tax planning, domestic and cross border mergers and acquisitions, corporate reorganizations, corporate finance, and various other tax matters.

2002
Lance Ceaser is celebrating the first anniversary of his labour and employment law practice, Ceaser work Counsel. Previously, Ceaser practiced with a management labour and employment counsel to BlackBerry.



Peter Aceto, '94

David Tait joined McCarthy Tétrault LLP, practising intellectual property law.

2003

Shawn Irving has received the 2014 Rising Star Award from Lexpert.

Michael McLaren has received the 2014 Rising Star Award from Lexpert.

Raivo Uukkivi has been made partner at Cassels Brock LLP. Raivo's practice is focused on advocacy. He acts for a broad range of private and public sector clients. His emphasis is on developing and implementing practical, time-saving resolutions to conflict, particularly in complex disputes.

Alysha Valenti is a winner of the 2014 Rising Star Award from Lexpert.

2005

Shelby Austin has been named as one of Tomorrow's Titans by *Toronto Life Magazine*.

Chad Finkelstein is a partner in the Corporate Commercial group with a focus on franchise & distribution law and gaming law.

Andrea Gonsalves is a Partner at Stockwoods LLP Barristers. She was recipient of the Precedent setter Awards (2014) which recognize Ontario lawyers who have shown excellence and leadership in their early years of practice.



Ritu Bhasin '00

Sammy Redlick has been made partner at Torkin Manes LLP. Sammy is a partner in the Business Law and Corporate Finance groups. He provides counsel in all areas of business law, including transactions and day-to-day business law advice.

2006

David Forestell a former Advisor to PM is a Director of Government Relations at Barrick Gold Co.

Frank Lamie joined Gowlings LLP where he practises corporate and commercial law with a focus on restructuring and insolvency/defence, security and aerospace law.



Dany Horovitz '10, Christine Marchetti '04 and Tamara Beljan '13 performed in The Lawyer Show's *Love's Labour's Lost* for Nightwood Theatre's annual fundraiser. This event raises funds towards enhancing Nightwood's productions and training programs.

Kate Mazzuco has been made a partner at McLeish Orlando LLP. Kate has been an associate with the firm since 2007 and is an invaluable member of Patrick Brown's team. Kate has extensive experience handling cases involving brain injury, spinal cord injury, and serious orthopedic injury, with a specific focus on children.

Michael Michaud, an Assistant Crown Attorney, has published his first novel *Billy Tabbs*.

Pam Vermeersch was appointed to the partnership at Gowlings LLP. Pam's practice covers all aspects of corporate and commercial law.

2007

Yee Chow is now an associate at Borden Ladner Gervais LLP. He practises with the firm's commercial real estate group.

Ryan Kalt was appointed CEO/chairman of the Board of Directors of Strike Diamond Corp.

Gord McKenna has been made a partner at Blake Cassels & Graydon LLP

Aaron Lee-Wudrick was appointed Ottawa-based Federal Director for The Canadian Taxpayers Federation.

2009

Lorin MacDonald is the recipient of the 2014 Alumni Award of Merit for Community Service. Lorin is a human rights lawyer and AODA/accessibility subject matter expert. Lorin is the co-founder of a new venture IGetIt.Global (www.IGetIt.Global), working with Canada's hospitality and tourism industry.

2010

Shawn Graham was presented with the 2014 Rising Star Award, Leading Lawyer Under 40. He is senior counsel, RBC Law Group in Toronto.



Eva Bellissimo '01



Lorin MacDonald '09

2013

Shawn Cymbalisky joined Oslers LLP Corporate Group as an Associate.

Matthew Frontini has been appointed to the Health Sciences Research Ethics Board at University of Toronto.

Jessica Gringrich, joined Oslers LLP Corporate Group as an Associate.

Sam Ip joined Oslers LLP as an Associate.

Kasey Ji joined Oslers LLP Real Estate Group as an Associate.

2011

Zohar Barzilai joined Cassels Brock LLP, where he advises public and private companies on general corporate and securities law issues, including corporate governance, capital market regulatory compliance and continuous disclosure obligations.

Heather Bray has received the 2015 Promising Alumni Award from Camosun College.

Trisha Cowie received approval to run for the federal nomination for the Parry Sound-Muskoka Federal Liberal Association.

IN MEMORIAM

Edward Allan Ayers ('69) on May 11, 2015 in Toronto.

John Courtney Holland ('73) on December 18, 2014 in Windsor.

John Bitove, businessman and philanthropist, on July 30, 2015 in Toronto.

Joe Samuels, former Professor of Law, April 2, 2015.

Morley Gorsky, Professor Emerita, February 23, 2015.

Mark Andrew Reid ('89) on August 13, 2015 in Huntsville, Ontario.



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