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2017 Annual Convention and Exhibits will be held at
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NBA PRESIDENT WELCOME



March 21, 2017

Greetings!

It is with great excitement that I invite you to attend the National Bar Association's Annual Convention and Exhibits – held for the first time abroad – in Toronto, Canada!

The National Bar Association (NBA) is known for its commitment to uplifting, celebrating and professional development of its members. Our sections and committees have spent months planning a robust Convention with a full spectrum of Continuing Legal Education seminars and social events.

With warm and generous hospitality, the Canadian Association of Black Lawyers (CABL) has invited our members to experience the dynamic, multicultural social and professional landscape Toronto has to offer. I hope that you will join us for this valuable opportunity to engage with our professional counterparts in Canada and promote a productive exchange of ideas and perspectives.

The Fairmont Royal York Hotel, our host hotel, is nestled in the center of Toronto - North America's 4th largest city. Within the city's vibrant atmosphere is endless exposure to unique dining, shopping, and entertainment. Coincidentally, our convention dates also overlap with the Toronto Caribbean Carnival, formerly and still commonly called Caribana. This festival celebrates Caribbean music and culture, which attracts over a million tourists to Toronto every year.

The 92nd Annual Convention is a perfect place to build new relationships and renew old friendships. With eager anticipation and pleasure, I am counting down the days to our first international Convention!

Sincerely yours,

Kevin Judd

President, National Bar Association, 2016-2017

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

SAT / JULY 29

8:00 AM-12:00 PM

Board Meeting

8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Nomination Committee Meetings

10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Civil Trial Advocacy Boot Camp

12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Respect Yourself Program

12:00 PM-5:00 PM

Registration

1:00 PM-11:00 PM

Youth Empowerment Program

2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Judicial Council Executive
Committee Meeting

2:00 PM-5:00 PM

Know Your Rights Forum

5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Board of Governors' Reception

SUN / JULY 30

7:00 AM-8:00 AM

First Time Convention Attendees Orientation

8:00 AM-10:00 AM

NBA 32nd Annual Prayer Breakfast

8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Registration & Exhibits

8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Nominations Committee Meeting

8:00 AM-11:00 PM

Youth Empowerment Program

8:30 AM-12:00 AM

Judicial Convocation and
Memorial Service (*Judges to wear robes*)

9:00 AM-11:00 AM

CLE Seminars

11:30 AM-2:00 PM

Men's Retreat

11:30 AM-7:00 PM

Women Lawyers Division Retreat

12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Judicial Council Brunch

12:30 PM-2:00 PM

NABBS Executive Board Meeting

2:00 PM-3:00 PM

NABBS Foundation Meeting

2:00 PM-4:00 PM

CLE Seminars

2:00 PM-4:00 PM

NBA Past Presidents Meeting

2:00 PM-5:00 PM

Grand Hall Ribbon Cutting Day Party

2:30 PM-4:30 PM

Judicial Council Nominations
Committee Meeting

4:15 PM-6:15 PM

CLE Seminars

5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Judicial Council Welcome Reception

7:00 PM-9:00 PM

Toronto Welcome Reception I
& Fashion Show

9:00 PM-1:00 AM

Election Caucuses

9:00 PM-2:00 AM

Young Lawyers Division
Networking Event

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

MON / JULY 31

7:30 AM-9:00 AM

Civil Rights Section Breakfast

8:00 AM-9:00 AM

Vice President of Regions & Affiliates Meeting

8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Registration & Exhibits

8:00 AM-11:00 PM

Youth Empowerment Program

8:30 AM-9:00 AM

NABBS Continental Breakfast

8:30 AM-9:30 AM

Judicial Council Nominations
Committee Meeting

9:00 AM-10:30 AM

NABBS Opening Business Session

9:00 AM-11:30 AM

Plenary Session

10:30 AM-12:00 PM

NABBS Annual Foundation Meeting

11:30 AM-12:30 PM

Candidates Forum

12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Young Lawyers Division Luncheon

2:00 PM-3:00 PM

Judicial Council Opening Session

2:00 PM-3:00 PM

Section Meetings

3:10 PM-4:10 PM

Division Meetings

3:15 PM-5:30 PM

Judicial Council Meeting & Elections

4:20 PM-5:20 PM

Region Meetings

5:00 PM-7:00 PM

NBA Links Reception

7:00 PM-9:00 PM

Opening Session & Concert

7:00 PM

Judicial Council Chair's Reception

9:00 PM-1:00 AM

Election Caucuses

TUE / AUGUST 1

7:00 AM-9:00 AM

Women Lawyers Division Breakfast

7:30 AM-9:00 AM

Fraternity & Sorority Breakfasts

8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Registration & Exhibits

8:00 AM-11:00 PM

Youth Empowerment Program

8:30 AM-9:00 AM

NABBS Continental Breakfast

9:00 AM-10:15 AM

Judicial Council CLE #1

9:00 AM-10:30 AM

NABBS Foundation
Annie L. Brown Health Initiatives

9:00 AM-11:00 AM

CLE Seminars

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

9:00 AM-11:30 AM
NBI Board Meeting

9:00 AM-2:00 PM
Elections

9:00 AM-2:00 PM
Corporate Law Summit

10:30 AM-11:45 AM
Judicial Council CLE #2

11:00 AM-12:30 PM
NABBS Foundation "Grace Laws Wheatley
Breast Cancer Forum"
(Attendees are encouraged to wear pink)

11:15 AM-1:15 PM
CLE Seminars

12:00 PM-1:00 PM
NBI Annual Meeting

12:00 PM-2:00 PM
Thurgood Marshall Judicial
Council Awards Luncheon

1:15 PM-3:00 PM
NBI Board Meeting

1:30 PM-3:30 PM
CLE Seminars

2:00 PM-3:30 PM
Judicial Council CLE #3

2:30 PM-3:30 PM
Affiliate Chapters Voting

3:30 PM-6:30 PM
Presidential Showcase

7:00 PM-10:00 PM
President's Reception

WED / AUG 2

7:00 AM-9:00 AM
Law School Breakfasts

7:00 AM-1:00 PM
NBI Golf Tournament

8:00 AM-5:00 PM
Registration & Exhibits

8:00 AM-11:00 PM
Youth Empowerment Program

8:30 AM-9:00 AM
NABBS Continental Breakfast

9:00 AM-10:15 AM
Judicial Council CLE #4

9:00 AM-11:00 AM
NABBS Business, Chapter Sharing,
Election of Officers, Closing Sessions

9:00 AM-11:00 AM
CLE Seminars

9:00 AM-12:00 PM
Law Forums

9:00 AM-12:00 PM
International Law Forum

9:00 PM-2:00 PM
Energy Law Forum

9:00 AM-5:00 PM
Job Fair

10:30 AM-11:00 AM
Judicial Council CLE #5

11:15 AM-12:30 PM
Judicial Council CLE #6

11:15 AM-1:15 P
CLE Seminars

12:00 PM-2:00 PM
International Law Luncheon

1:30 PM-3:30 PM
CLE Seminars

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

2:00 PM-5:00 PM

Entertainment Law Forum

2:00 PM-5:00 PM

NBA Diversity & Inclusion Symposium

2:00 PM-5:00 PM

Civil Rights Forum

3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Judicial Council Business Meeting

3:45 PM-5:45 PM

CLE Seminars

4:30 PM-6 PM

NBI 35th Anniversary Celebration

5:00 PM-6:30 PM

NABBS President's Awards Reception

5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Subpart Receptions

6:00 PM-10:00 PM

40 Under 40 Reception & Gala

8:00 PM-1:00 AM

NBA Caribana Party

THUR / AUG 3

7:30 AM-9:00 AM

Fraternity & Sorority Breakfasts

8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Registration & Exhibits

8:00 AM-10:00 AM

Leadership Development Institute (LDI)

8:00 AM-11:00 PM

Youth Empowerment Program

8:30 AM-10:00 AM

NABBS Minnie P. Spaulding Youth
Achievers' Breakfast

10:00 AM-10:30 AM

NABBS Memorial Service

(Attendees are encouraged to wear white)

10:30 AM-11:30 AM

NABBS/NABBS Foundation Post Meeting

10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Closing Plenary

12:00 PM-2:00 PM

NBA Annual Linnes Finney, Jr.
Youth Day & Luncheon

12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Fred David Gray Hall of Fame Luncheon

2:00 PM-4:00 PM

CLE Seminars

2:00 PM-5:00 PM

Sports Law Forum

2:00 PM-5:00 PM

Judicial Council Chair Elect
Planning Meeting

2:30 PM-4:30 PM

Martin Luther King, Jr. Drum
Major Essay Contest

4:15 PM-6:15 PM

CLE Seminars

6:00 PM-10:00 PM

Gala Reception & Dinner

10:00 PM-1:00 AM

Afterglow by New Orleans

FRI / AUG 4

9:00 AM-1:00 PM

Board of Governors' Meeting
and Orientation *(Juan Thomas)*

NBA BOARD OF DIRECTORS



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92ND NBA ANNUAL CONVENTION & EXHIBITS



Join us at our 92nd Annual Convention & Exhibits in Toronto, Ontario, Canada from July 29 – August 4, 2017

The National Bar Association's Annual Convention & Exhibits is the largest gathering of African American lawyers, judges and law students in North America. It is the premier showcase to establish professional relationships, and to discuss trending legal social justice and economic issues. In addition, the Convention offers professional development through a robust NBA sponsored Continuing Legal Education program.

During the NBA Convention Partners play an integral role in providing information and linking attendees to services which will benefit them in both personal and professional lives.

However, a NBA Partnership does not end with the Convention. As a valued partner you will enjoy direct engagement with the vast network of NBA members, acknowledgment of your collaboration via NBA print and electronic platforms, as well as exclusive opportunities to participate in key national and international NBA sponsored events.

Our Partnerships provide access to multiple convention activities, convention-wide visibility and an opportunity to target specific demographics.

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

	Platinum 100,000	Gold 75,000	Silver 50,000	Bronze 25,000	Patron 15,000	Friend 10,000	Associates 5,000
Complimentary registrations to the NBA Annual Convention.	★ 10	★ 8	★ 5	★ 4	★ 3	★ 2	★ 1
Welcome Reception Tickets.	★ 10	★ 8	★ 5	★ 4	★ 3	★ 2	★ 1
President's Reception Tickets.	★ 10	★ 8	★ 5	★ 4	★ 3	★ 2	★ 1
Tickets to the annual banquet.	★ VIP 10	★ VIP 8	★ VIP 5	★ VIP 4	★ 3	★ 2	★ 1
Tickets to the NBA Concert.	★ VIP 10	★ VIP 8	★ VIP 5	★ VIP 4	★ 3	★ 2	★ 1
Tickets to NBA Pre-Concert VIP Reception.	★ VIP 10	★ VIP 8	★ VIP 5	★ VIP 4			
Invitation for sponsor representatives to attend a private reception with the NBA's President, Executive Director, Board and select key members.	★	★					
Admissions to sponsored-selected convention forum (NBA Energy Forum, the Corporate Leadership Forum, the Healthcare Forum, and the ADR Symposium)	★ 2	★ 1	★ 1	★ 1			
Reserved tickets for a table in the Judicial Council Luncheon.	★ 10	★ 1	★ 2	★ 1			
3-D video projection mapping of your logo and message prominently displayed throughout the convention.	★	★					
Logo on all convention marketing materials, including NBA website and ticketed events.	★	★					
Access to and advanced enrollment in any CLE seminar.	★ 10	★ 8	★ 5	★ 4	★ 3	★ 2	★ 1
Advertisement in the convention souvenir program.	★ Full Page	★ Full Page	★ Full Page	★ Full Page	★ Full Page	★ Full Page	★ Full Page
Advertisement in each edition of the National Bar Association Magazine in 2017.	★ Full Page	★ Full Page					
Weekly social media promotion throughout the year in 2017.	★	★					
Complimentary registrations for the Convention NBI Golf Tournament.	★ 4	★ 2	2				
Complimentary registrations for the Convention NBI Tennis Tournament.	★ 4	★ 2	2				
Advance notification and guaranteed space availability to major NBA events and activities, including its global delegation travel.	★	★					

ENERGY FORUM / PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Over the past four years, the Energy Forum has been as an important venue for exciting discourse about emerging opportunities for lawyers in the energy sector. The forum is a half-day event presented during the NBA Annual Convention, that features speakers from leading organizations in the energy industry. The panelists will discuss current legal issues and

regulatory initiatives on the horizon. The Energy Forum will educate the legal community about employment and business opportunities in the energy industry, and will share ways in which African American attorneys and entrepreneurs can take advantage of emerging business opportunities.

	Title Sponsor \$20,000	Lunch Sponsor \$15,000	Breakfast Sponsor \$10,000	Co-Sponsor \$5,000
Energy Forum				
Input in the development of CLE programs.	★	★	★	★
Advertisement on all Forum literature and marketing materials	★	★	★	★
Designation as a sponsor of the NBA Annual Convention	★ Bronze	★ Patron	★ Friend	★ Associate
Complimentary registrations	★ Four	★ Three	★ Two	★ One
8' x 10' exhibit spaces	★ One	★ One	★ One	
Advertisement in the convention souvenir program	★ One Full-Page	★ One Full-Page	★ One Half-Page	★ One Half-Page
Opportunity to include handouts and other materials in each convention registration package	★	★	★	
One (1) reserved table at the NBA 92nd Annual Awards Gala	★			

CLE SEMINARS BY TRACK

LEGAL ENVIRONMENT OF BUSINESS

Bankruptcy

Recent Case and Rule Development in Consumer Bankruptcy Cases

Business Law

Doing Business with the FDIC

Corporate

A Price Worth Paying
Corporate Law Summit

Financial Services

I Got a Feeling: *More Law and Less Diversity in Financial Services 2017*
Financial Services Regulation After Obama: *The New Administration and Congress Prepare to Unspool the Dodd-Frank Act*
Tax Reform Post-Presidential Election

TRIAL SERIES

ADR

Arbitration Forum (Aspiring Arbitrator Academy)
Issues of Mandatory Arbitration

Practice Management

Civil Trial Advocacy Boot Camp
Advanced Civil Pre-Trial Advocacy – Part 1
Advanced Civil Pre-Trial Advocacy – Part 2
What's A Case Worth? The Art of Negotiating – Part 1
What's A Case Worth? Case Closed – Part 2
Electronic Discovery

Torts

Forensic Pathology in Wrongful Death Actions: *Ask the Expert Witness, Part 2*
How to Obtain and Navigate to a Successful Result in a Personal Injury or Civil Rights Case

Trusts, Wills & Estates

The ABCs of Using Asset Protection Trusts in Estate Planning
The ABCs of Drafting Trusts for the Disabled
Standing on a LOT of Love – Addressing Legal Challenges of Heirs Property and Optimizing Opportunities of African American Owned Land

CIVIL RIGHTS, CONSTITUTIONAL & INTERNATIONAL LAW

Civil Rights Law

PRESIDENTIAL SHOWCASES:

Civil Rights and the Balance of Power
Reparations Mock Trial
Historical Perspectives on CLE by the NBA with a Focus on the Development and Enforcement of Constitutional and Civil Rights Law
Civil Rights – Will They Survive the Trump Administration
Civil Rights Annual Forum

CLE SEMINARS BY TRACK

International Law

INTERNATIONAL LAW FORUM:

- Doing Business in Emerging Market: *Part II International Law*
- International Law and Cybersecurity, the Hackers Nightmare (Part II)
- Wet Foot Dry Foot – Anticipated Changes in Immigration Law
- Challenges Facing the Maritime Industry

Women's Rights

Overcoming Diversity and Sexism in Law

Women Working to Overcome Implicit and Explicit Bias:
How Can We Build a Bridge Across Cultures

GOVERNMENT AND THE COURTS

Education

Legal Strategies for Educational Justice

Government

Fundamentals of Government Contract Law, Religious Freedoms, Conflicts Between Individuals, Groups, the Government and the Court

United States of America v. Canada: *Who Got It Right? What Works? What Still Needs to Be Done? Or the Role of the Government Lawyer in Canada and the United States*

Federal, State, and Local Regulations Affecting Unmanned Aerial Vehicles ("Drones")

Supreme Court Case Review

Military

Military Affairs and the Courts

Legislation/Lobbying

LOBBYING DAY:

- Lobbying in a Hostile Environment
- Lobbying as Another Revenue Stream
- Lobbying to Advance a Cause

PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

Ethics

Mindfulness for Lawyers: *How Mindfulness Can Help Lawyers Achieve Success in Their careers and In Lives*

Legal Ethics in Commercial Real Estate

Professional Responsibility: *Emerging Issues in the Field of Ethics and Technology*

Lawyer Wellness

Our Commitment to the Pipeline: *Empowering Law Students and Young Lawyers to Survive and Thrive*

How to Handle Difficult Clients and Maintain Control of Your Anger: *A Legal Perspective*

Hang Your Shingle: *Going Out on Your Own the Smart Way*

CLE SEMINARS BY TRACK

PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE

Criminal

Burning Issues in Juvenile and Criminal Justice Symptoms
Justice for All: *The Promise of Our Legal System*
Guilty Until Proven Innocent: *Diasporic Perspectives on Police Mistreatment and Discrimination in the Criminal Justice System*
Diversity in the Cannabis Industry
Principled Policing: *Procedural Justice & Implicit Bias*

Energy/Environmental

ENERGY LAW FORUM:

- Energy in International Markets
- Energy Forum in the Age of President Trump
- Hot Topics in Energy and Environmental Law
- Environmental Justice Seminar
- Issues in Environmental Law

Health

HEALTH LAW ANNUAL SUMMIT:

- Brain Trials – Challenges in Traumatic Brain Injury and the Law
- Medical Provider Agreements: *What You Don't Know Can Hurt You*
- Obamacare Reform or Replacement: *Impact on the Poor & Innovation and Lessons from the Canadian System*

Intellectual Property

Branding and IP Rights in Online Video and Social Media
The Possibilities in Intellectual Property Law

Labor & Employment

Labor & Employment Career Strategy Roundtable:
Program A (Inside Counsel)
Labor & Employment Career Strategy Roundtable:
Program B (Outside Counsel)
Politics, Social Media, and the NLRB
The Impact of Opioids in the Workplace: *Updating Your Drug-Free Workplace and Drug Testing Policies*

Technology

TECH-TELECOM FORUM:

- Making Beautiful Music Together: *A Close Look at Content Creation, Licensing and Consumption in the Digital Age*
- Is Net Neutrality a Net Plus for the African-American Community? Examining the Access to Speech Implications Associated with an Open Internet
- Backdoors to Encryption: *An Important Tool for Law Enforcement or Further Erosion in Civil Liberties*
- Debating New Cellphone Tracking Technology: *The Sting is On!*



In preparation for 2017-2018 General Elections to be held during the 92nd Annual National Bar Association Convention and Exhibits, all Affiliate Chapter Certification applications must be received at NBA National Headquarters by **Monday, May 22, 2017.**

Please forward applications to Darien Harris, NBA Membership Coordinator at darien.harris@nationalbar.org

NBA 2017 Nominations Process

The nomination of candidates for Officers and At-Large Members of the Board of Governors of the National Bar Association (NBA) shall be by application to the Nominations Committee (Committee).

An application may be made for one or more of the following positions that are available for nomination: President-Elect (one-year term), two Vice Presidents (two-year terms), one Secretary (two-year term), and three At-Large members of the Board of Governors (two-year terms).

Each Application must include the 2017 Application for Nomination, which shall be signed by the Nominee, the Nominee's biographical resume, a statement prepared by the Nominee that includes details of how the Nominee meets the specific requirements for the office he/she is seeking, as outlined in the NBA Constitution and bylaws, and a photo (must be taken in front of a light-colored wall in a well lit room; jpg/jpeg format; portrait orientation (taller than it is wide), approximately 120 pixels in width and 160 pixels in height; and a file size of less than 100kb).

Any regular member of the Association in good standing at the time of nomination who meets the requirements of the office sought, as stated in the NBA Constitution (Article VII and Article VIII) and bylaws, shall be eligible as a candidate for election. To obtain a copy of the current NBA Constitution and Bylaws and/or 2017 Application for Nomination, telephone the NBA office on (202) 842-3900 or visit www.nationalbar.org.

Please transmit Nominations Package via electronic mail (e-mail) to the Chairperson of the Nominations Committee and to each member of the Committee. Do not send application materials by certified mail. To be considered by the Committee, Nominations Package must be transmitted via E-Mail on or before Saturday, April 29, 2017 (11:59 p.m.).

The Committee will conduct its interviews of qualified nominees on Saturday, July 29, 2017. All qualified nominees must be available on July 29th, for his/her interview at the time assigned by the Nominations Committee. The location of the interviews will be posted at the Fairmont Royal York Hotel. In addition, the Nominations Committee will hold a Candidates' Forum on Monday, July 31, 2017. All qualified candidates shall participate in the Forum. The NBA elections will be held on Tuesday, August 1, 2017, at the Fairmont Royal York Hotel. The results of the election will be announced on the same date.

If you have any questions concerning the NBA's nominations process or you would like a copy of the 2017 Application for Nomination, you may send an E-mail message (no phone calls) to the Committee's Chairperson, Kim Kendrick, at kimken418@gmail.com and she will respond to your question(s) or request by return E-mail. E-mail (or telephone) messages to other members of the Committee are discouraged and prohibited.

2017 Nominations Committee

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NATIONAL BAR ASSOCIATION 2017 APPLICATION

Application due on or before Saturday, April 29 @ 11:59 p.m.

Name of Nominee (First/Middle Initial/Last): _____

NBA Office Nominee is seeking (Check one):

☐ President-Elect (2-year Term)

☐ Secretary (2-year Term)

☐ Vice President (2-year Term)

☐ Member-at-Large (2-year Term)

Nominee's Home Information

Home Address of Nominee: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Telephone Number: _____ Cellular Number: _____

Personal E-Mail Address: _____

Nominee's Office Information

Name of Business: _____

Office Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Office Telephone Number: _____ Office E-Mail Address: _____

Nominee's Preferred E-Mail Address: ☐ Home or ☐ Office

NBA Affiliate _____ NBA Region of Residency _____

Qualifications for Candidacy

1. Current Member of NBA in Good Standing: ☐ Yes ☐ No

(If no, Nominee is not eligible to seek any NBA office or elected position)

If seeking the position of President-Elect, has Nominee been a NBA member in good standing every year since 2012?

☐ Yes ☐ No *(If no, Nominee not eligible to seek President-Elect position)*

2. Registered to attend the 92th Annual Meeting of NBA (Toronto, ON): ☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Attended NBA's Leadership Development Institute (LDI) in 2014 or 2015 or 2016 or 2017:

☐ Yes *(if yes, attach verification, i.e., NBA Certificate of Attendance or affidavit)*

☐ Date and Location of LDI that the Nominee attended: _____

☐ No *(If No, Nominee is not eligible to seek any NBA office or elected position)*

4. Over the past three years, registered and attended the following NBA Annual Meetings:

☐ 2016 – 91st Annual Meeting – St. Louis, MO

☐ 2015 – 90th Annual Meeting – Los Angeles, CA

☐ 2014 – 89th Annual Meeting – Atlanta, GA

5. Each Nominee must attach the following to this Application: Biographical Resume ☐ Photo ☐ LDI Attendance Verification

Statement of Nominee that clearly outlines qualifications for the office sought and his/her activities in the NBA (*may be at the affiliate level*), the legal profession, and his/her community. Also, statement that Nominee has nothing in his/her background that if it came to light would subject the NBA to ridicule, humiliation, or disdain.

Nominee's Declaration

I, _____, declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information contained herein (*and attached hereto*) is true, accurate, and complete.

Nominee's Signature: _____ Date: _____



**NBA's 40 Under 40 for 2017-18 NOMINATION FORMS AVAILABLE!
DEADLINE: MAY 19, 2017**

Help us find the most dynamic current or future members of the
National Bar Association under the age of 40.

ONLINE NOMINATIONS WILL BEGIN ON APRIL 6, 2017 at WWW.NATIONALBAR.ORG

The NBA's 40 Under 40 Awards recognize the nation's top lawyers under the age of 40 who exemplify a broad range of high achievement, including in innovation, vision, leadership and legal and community involvement. The awardees typically represent a cross-section of legal professionals, including big firm, solo and industry practitioners, government lawyers, judges, academicians, corporate counsels, young elected officials, and various other lawyers, all of whom are using their degree in innovative and community impacting ways that help advance the goals and mission of the National Bar Association. AWARD RECIPIENTS WILL BE HONORED DURING THE NATIONAL BAR ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONVENTION TAKING PLACE IN TORONTO ON JULY 29 – AUGUST 4, 2017

If you have any questions, contact the 40 Under 40 Committee at 40Under40@nationalbar.org



The National Bar Association is please to announce these exciting, innovative new sponsorship options to be featured at the 92nd Annual Convention and Exhibits, July 29-August 4, 2017 in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. All are designed to enhance attendees' conference experiences by providing them with the opportunities to maximize their productivity between meetings, seminars and other events throughout the week. This year we invite you to...

Refresh!

In the heat of convention activities during the Toronto summer, NBA members will have the opportunity to unwind by relaxing in our Oasis Lounge. Located at the center of the exhibit hall and available all day, the Oasis Lounge will be a special area complete with refreshments, comfortable seating, and increased opportunities to network with all conference attendees.

Sponsorship \$10,000

Recharge!

Take advantage of charging stations at this year's Convention! Charging stations will give attendees time to charge their devices while visiting the Oasis Lounge or participating in other activities by placing their phones in secure "power lockers" at any time during the convention. Stations are American-made, Wi-Fi enabled, and include digital screens for branding purposes. Stay charged and help NBA members do the same by sponsoring a charging station!

Sponsorship \$10,000

Re-Engage!

Charging your phone at one of our many charging stations? No worries! Re-engage with your law partners, colleagues, friends, and family at our Tech-Lounge! We know how busy our members are, which is why the tech lounge is designed to create a comfortable, tech-friendly, collaborative lounge environment. We invite you to connect with our members, and help our members stay connected during the conference by sponsoring our highly convenient tech lounge!

Sponsorship \$10,000



See you in Toronto!



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