

## Seeking Nominations for the MSBA Civil Litigation Section Advocate Award

Each year, in April, the MSBA Civil Litigation Section presents the Advocate Award to an individual who has made a significant contribution to improving the system of civil justice in Minnesota. Among the important factors considered by the Civil Litigation Section Governing Council are whether the nominee:

- brought about structural improvements in the civil litigation system
- advanced the cause of under-represented groups in the civil litigation system
- demonstrated a commitment to the civil litigation system over years of service
- furthered improvement in the civil litigation system without receiving appropriate recognition

Past Recipients include:

2011 Honorable Harriet Lansing  
2010 Marianne D. Short  
2009 Justice Paul H. Anderson  
2008 Honorable Allen Oleisky  
2007 Daniel A. Gislason  
2006 Honorable Doris Ohlsen Huspeni  
2005 Honorable A.M. "Sandy" Keith  
2004 Gail Bohr  
2003 George Soule  
2002 Honorable John E. Simonett  
2001 Honorable Douglas K. Amdahl  
2000 Rosemarie Park  
1999 David Herr  
1998 Larry Maloney  
1997 Jeremy Lane  
1996 Michael Steenson  
1995 Honorable Patrick Fitzgerald  
1994 Janice Symchych

The Civil Litigation Section Governing Council invites Section members to submit nominations for the Advocate Award. Please submit your name and professional address, the nominee's name and professional address, and a short statement of the nominee's qualifications to Kim Basting, the MSBA Section Services Liaison, at [kbasting@mnbar.org](mailto:kbasting@mnbar.org). **Please submit nominations by February 8, 2012.**

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