



CLASS ACTION

1960s

JOHN F. SCHAEFER, '69, was chosen by *Michigan Lawyers Weekly* for recognition as a 2018 “Leader in the Law.” Thirty attorneys statewide are chosen based on their reputable work and success in the legal community.

LAWRENCE R. DONALDSON, '69, was added to *DBusiness Magazine's* 2018 list of “Top Lawyers” for his work in professional malpractice law.

1980s

DOUGLAS C. BERNSTEIN, '82, was selected as a 2018 “Leader in the Law” by *Michigan Lawyers Weekly*. In addition, Bernstein was the only Michigan attorney selected for the 2018 class of Fellows of the American College of Bankruptcy. He also appeared on *DBusiness Magazine's* 2018 list of “Top Lawyers.”

DENNIS G. COWAN, '84, appeared on *DBusiness Magazine's* 2018 list of “Top Lawyers” for his work in corporate law.

LINDA J. ARMSTRONG, '88, was appointed chair of the Butzel Long Immigration Practice Department.

CLARA DEMATTEIS MAGER, '87, was elected to Butzel Long's Board of Directors.

1990s

KARYN BOSTON, '91, was appointed as the new executive VP/general counsel for YMCA of the USA. Boston will work with Y-USA's executive team and board to provide guidance and counsel, ensuring legal compliance for the organization.

MICHAEL P. ASHCRAFT, JR., '92, appeared on *DBusiness Magazine's* 2018 list of “Top Lawyers” for his work in legal malpractice law and professional malpractice law.

MARK COOPER, '94, was elected to the Board of Directors for a three-year term at Jaffe Raitt Heuer & Weiss, P.C.

DONALD L. KNAPP, JR., '96, was appointed by Governor Rick Snyder as a judge of the Wayne County Circuit Court. He was assigned to the Criminal Division and handles felony matters. He previously served as a Livonia City Attorney as well as an attorney at Fausone Bohn, LLP.

2000s

STACIA BUCHANAN, '03, was appointed by Governor Rick Snyder to the 54-A District Court in Lansing in late 2017.

JEFFREY S. HENGEVELD, '03, appeared on *DBusiness Magazine's* 2018 list of “Top Lawyers” for his work in legal malpractice law.

VITO A. CIARAVINO, '08, a partner with the law firm Warner Norcross & Judd LLP, was named by *Michigan Lawyers Weekly* as one of its “Up & Coming Lawyers” for 2017.

CHRISTOPHER LAPAN, '09, has been named Partner at Stucky, Lauer & Young, LLP in Fort Wayne, Indiana. He will practice in the areas of civil litigation, mediation, and domestic relations.

2010s

WESLEY TODD, '10, was recently made a shareholder at Vandervoort, Christ & Fisher.

ANTHONY BECKNEK, '11, became a Supervising Investigator (Licensed Attorney) at the City of Chicago Civilian Office of Police Accountability.

BRAD LUCHSINGER, '11, has been named to *Michigan Lawyers Weekly's* “Up & Coming Lawyers” class of 2017.

ANDREW HAYNER, '12, was recently promoted to Senior Attorney-Finance at DTE Energy.

JENNIFER LIPINSKI, '12, was appointed to serve as a Board of Governor for the American Association for Justice representing the State of Florida.

DREW VON BARGEN, '14, was recently named Pennsylvania's Top 40 Under 40 in the area of Plaintiff - Civil Litigation, as well as a Rising Star for 2018 by *Super Lawyers Magazine*.

BENJAMIN BAXTER, '15, has joined Cole, Scott & Kissane as an associate in the firm's West Palm Beach office. He will practice construction litigation, professional malpractice, and general civil litigation.

MEGAN J. PARPART, '15, joined Howard & Howard Attorneys PLLC in May of 2018. She concentrates her practice in the areas of tax law, business transactions, and general corporate matters. Prior to joining Howard & Howard, she was a consultant at a Big 4 public accounting firm.

KATILA HOWARD, '16, was appointed to the Planning Commission for the City of Novi.

PATRICIA JJEMBA, '16, started a new position as assistant attorney general in Illinois in April of 2018.

JEREMY F. ORR, '16, was appointed to the National Environmental Justice Advisory Council.

COURTNEY SCHOCH, '16, started a new position as assistant attorney general at the Illinois Attorney General's Office.

MATTHEW SOUS, '16, started a new position as staff attorney at Legal Services of Eastern Michigan.

ERNSCIE AUGUSTIN, '17, joined Chalgian & Tripp Law Offices as an attorney. She will practice in the firm's East Lansing office and work primarily in the areas of probate litigation and estate planning.

CHAD M. DUSCHINSKY, '17, joined Gallagher Sharp's Detroit Office as an associate in November of 2017.

MAX GOSMAN, '17, started a new position as staff attorney at Jefferson County Circuit Court.

KATE HALL, '17, started work as an assistant public defender. She exclusively handles juvenile adjudication cases dealing with parental abuse and neglect of minor children.

TAMARA TODOROVIC, '17, joined Gallagher Sharp's Detroit Office as an associate in November of 2017.

IN MEMORIAM

MR. GEORGE L. BAER, '55

MR. THOMAS A. COVER, '82

MS. CHRISTINA A. DASKAS, '94

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