ABA TAX SECTION RECOGNIZES OUTSTANDING YOUNG TAX LAWYERS,
NAMES SIX 2011 NOLAN FELLOWS

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 21, 2011 -- The American Bar Association Section of Taxation announced the recipients of its 2011 Nolan Fellowships to be awarded during a luncheon at the section’s Midyear Meeting in Boca Raton, Fla., on Jan. 22.

Nolan Fellows are young tax lawyers who are actively involved in the section and have demonstrated leadership qualities.

The six 2011 Nolan Fellows are:

- Chad R. DeGroot, Bryan Cave LLP, St. Louis
- Stacey Delich-Gould, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP, New York
- Mellissa L. Galetto, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP, Washington, D.C.
- Vanessa A. Scott, Southerland Asbill & Brennan LLP, Washington, D.C.
- Lisa M. Stern, Proskauer Rose LLP, New York
- Mark E. Wilensky, Roberts & Holland LLP, New York
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“Each of these bright, young lawyers brings new energy to the practice of tax law,” said Charles H. Egerton, chair of the ABA Section of Taxation. “It is my expectation that the new fellows will follow the honored tradition of their predecessors by becoming actively involved in the future leadership of the section.”

Each one-year fellowship includes the waiver of meeting registration fees and assistance with travel to some section meetings.

For more information about the 2011 Nolan Fellows program, visit the ABA Section of Taxation website, http://www.abanet.org/tax/awards/.

The American Bar Association Section of Taxation is the largest professional association of tax lawyers, with approximately 23,000 members nationwide. Its goals include helping taxpayers better understand their rights and obligations under the tax laws and working to achieve a simplified tax system that is equitable and efficient.

With nearly 400,000 members, the American Bar Association is the largest voluntary professional membership organization in the world. As the national voice of the legal profession, the ABA works to improve the administration of justice, promotes programs that assist lawyers and judges in their work, accredits law schools, provides continuing legal education, and works to build public understanding around the world of the importance of the rule of law.