

**American Bar Association Young Lawyers Division**  
*The Affiliate*

**2009–2010 Awards of Achievement Winners**

The annual Awards of Achievement program provides ABA YLD affiliated national, state, local, and specialty bar young lawyer organizations the opportunity to submit their best projects for evaluation by a jury of their peers.

**COMPREHENSIVE APPLICATIONS**

**Division IA—Young lawyer membership of 8,000 or more**

1ST PLACE

State Bar of Georgia Young Lawyers Division

2ND PLACE

Virginia State Bar Young Lawyers Conference

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Texas Young Lawyers Association

**Division IB—Young lawyer membership of more than 3,000 and less than 8,000**

1ST PLACE

North Carolina Bar Association Young Lawyers Division

2ND PLACE

State Bar of Michigan Young Lawyers Section

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

State Bar of Wisconsin Young Lawyers Division

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

South Carolina Bar Young Lawyers Division

**Division IC—Young lawyer membership of less than 3,000**

1ST PLACE

Virginia Bar Association Young Lawyers Division

**Division IIA—Young lawyer membership of 2,000 or more**

1ST PLACE

Dallas Association of Young Lawyers

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Chicago Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

**Division IIB—Young lawyer membership of more than 800 but less than 2,000**

1ST PLACE

Austin Young Lawyers Association

2ND PLACE

Houston Young Lawyers Association

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Allegheny County Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

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**Division IIC—Young lawyer membership of 800 or less**

1ST PLACE

Young Lawyers Section of the Palm Beach County Bar Association

**SINGLE PROJECT—SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC**

**Division IA—Young lawyer membership of 8,000 or more**

1ST PLACE

Texas Young Lawyers Association  
R U Safe? Protecting Yourself in Cyberspace

2ND PLACE

Virginia State Bar Young Lawyers Conference  
Legal Handbook for Cancer Survivors

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Illinois State Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Fundraising for the Illinois Bar Foundation/Young Lawyers Division Children's Assistance Fund

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

State Bar of Georgia Young Lawyers Division  
Statewide Service Project

**Division IB—Young lawyer membership of more than 3,000 and less than 8,000**

1ST PLACE

North Carolina Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Project Grace

2ND PLACE

State Bar of Michigan Young Lawyers Section  
Michigan Youth Leadership Summit

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

South Carolina Bar Young Lawyers Division  
Special Olympics South Carolina

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

Oklahoma Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Community Day of Service 2010

**Division IC—Young lawyer membership of less than 3,000**

1ST PLACE

Tennessee Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Tennessee Flood Disaster Legal Services

2ND PLACE

Connecticut Bar Association Young Lawyers Section  
CBA-YLS Making a Difference Soup Kitchen Project

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Virginia Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Virginia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Legal Aid Clinic

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**Division IC—Young lawyer membership of less than 3,000 (continued)**

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

Kansas Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

They Had a Dream Too

Kentucky Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

Voices Against Violence

New Jersey State Bar Association Young Lawyers Division

New Jersey Wills for Heroes Project

**Division ID— Affiliates in any of the above categories that have been in existence for fewer than three years.**

1ST PLACE

Alaska Bar Association Young Lawyers

Breaking the Cycle: Raising Community Voices Against Domestic Violence

**Division IIA—Young lawyer membership of 2,000 or more**

1ST PLACE

Dallas Association of Young Lawyers

Protejase! Luche Contra el Fraude (Protect Yourself! Fight Against Fraud)

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Chicago Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

Serving Our Seniors

**Division IIB—Young lawyer membership of more than 800 but less than 2,000**

1ST PLACE

Houston Young Lawyers Association

What's So Special About Special Education?

2ND PLACE

Austin Young Lawyers Association

Re-Entry Guide

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Multnomah Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

Community Law Week

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

Allegheny County Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

Operation M.V.P. (Military & Veterans Project)

**Division IIC—Young lawyer membership of 800 or less**

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Baton Rouge Bar Association Young Lawyers Section

Dress to Impress

**SINGLE PROJECT—SERVICE TO THE BAR**

**Division IA—Young lawyer membership of 8,000 or more**

1ST PLACE

State Bar of Georgia Young Lawyers Division

Public Interest Internship Program

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**Division IA—Young lawyer membership of 8,000 or more (continued)**

2ND PLACE

Virginia State Bar Young Lawyers Conference  
Bench–Bar Dinner

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Texas Young Lawyers Association  
Environment and the Law Symposium

**Division IB—Young lawyer membership of more than 3,000 and less than 8,000**

1ST PLACE

State Bar of Wisconsin Young Lawyers Division  
Young Lawyers Leadership Conference

2ND PLACE

South Carolina Bar Young Lawyers Division  
2010 Annual Bar Convention

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

State Bar of Michigan Young Lawyers Section  
Service to the Bar  
North Carolina Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Young Lawyer International Summit

**Division IC—Young lawyer membership of less than 3,000**

1ST PLACE

The Iowa State Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Legislative Leadership Academy

2ND PLACE

Virginia Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
VBA Diversity Job Fair

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

New Jersey State Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Career Options in the Legal Profession

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

Connecticut Bar Association Young Lawyers Section  
YLS Bench–Bar Receptions

**Division IIA—Young lawyer membership of 2,000**

1ST PLACE

Dallas Association of Young Lawyers  
Lunch and Learn

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

Chicago Bar Association Young Lawyers Section  
Trial Superstars

**Division IIB—Young lawyer membership of more than 800 but less than 2,000**

1ST PLACE

Houston Young Lawyers Association  
HYLA Swearing-in Ceremony

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**Division IIB—Young lawyer membership of more than 800 but less than 2,000 (continued)**

2ND PLACE

Allegheny County Bar Association Young Lawyers Section  
Practicing Green Initiative

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Austin Young Lawyers Association  
Bar & Grill

**Division IIC—Young lawyer membership of 800 or less**

CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

Baton Rouge Bar Association Young Lawyers Section  
Cocktails with the Court

**MINORITY PROJECTS**

**Division IA—Young lawyer membership of 8,000 or more**

1ST PLACE

Virginia State Bar Young Lawyers Conference  
Oliver Hill/Samuel Tucker Prelaw Institute

2ND PLACE

Texas Young Lawyers Association  
El Paso Pre-Law Symposium

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

State Bar of Georgia Young Lawyers Division  
Pathways to Endless Opportunities Series

**Division IB—Young lawyer membership of more than 3,000 and less than 8,000**

1ST PLACE

North Carolina Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Bar Exam Writing Clinics

2ND PLACE

South Carolina Bar Young Lawyers Division  
Minority Pre-Law Conference

**Division IIA—Young lawyer membership of 2,000 or more**

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Dallas Association of Young Lawyers  
Diversity and Inclusion Forum

**Division IIB—Young lawyer membership of more than 800 but less than 2,000**

1ST PLACE

Houston Young Lawyers Association  
HYLA Urban Debate League

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**NEWSLETTER PROJECTS**

**Budget \$0**

1ST PLACE

Kansas Bar Association Young Lawyers Section  
The YLS Forum

2ND PLACE

Texas Young Lawyers Association  
TYLA eNews

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Chicago Bar Association Young Lawyers Section  
Executive Council Link-Up

**Budget \$0-\$1,000**

1ST PLACE

Tennessee Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
Tennessee Young Lawyer

2ND PLACE

Washington State Bar Young Lawyers Division  
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**Budget \$1,000 or more**

1ST PLACE

North Carolina Bar Association Young Lawyers Division  
The Advocate

2ND PLACE

Dallas Association of Young Lawyers  
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SPECIAL RECOGNITION

State Bar of Georgia Young Lawyer Division  
The YLD Review  
State Bar of Michigan Young Lawyers Section  
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CERTIFICATE OF PERFORMANCE

Houston Young Lawyers Association  
Pocket Parts  
Virginia State Bar Young Lawyers Conference  
Docket Call: The Newsletter of the Young Lawyers Conference of the Virginia State Bar