

Wisconsin Law Journal announces 2012 Leaders in the Law

The Wisconsin Law Journal has named its 2012 Leaders in the Law. The attorneys and judges selected have demonstrated their outstanding leadership, vision and legal expertise in Wisconsin's law community. Honorees were chosen based on a wide variety of achievement criteria, including outstanding leadership, vision and legal expertise.

The honorees will be recognized at an awards ceremony and dinner Feb. 16 at the Milwaukee Hilton City Center. They also will be profiled in a special awards magazine put out by the Wisconsin Law Journal.

For information about the event, please contact Sarah McQuin, Special Projects Editor, at 414-225-1814 or sarah.mcquin@wislawjournal.com.

The 2012 Leaders in the Law are:

Samuel Benedict -- Wisconsin State Public Defender's Office

Ellen Berz -- Wisconsin State Public Defender's Office

Robert Burns -- Davis & Kuelthau SC

Brian Butler -- Stafford Rosenbaum LLP

Michael Cohen -- Meissner Tierney Fisher & Nichols SC

J. Michael End -- End, Hierseman & Crain LLC

Michael Fox -- Fox & Fox SC

Barbara Graham -- Catholic Charities Legal Services for Immigrants

Jerome Grzeca -- Grzeca Law Group SC

Michael Hatch -- Foley & Lardner LLP

Molly Jasmer -- Waukesha County Corporation Counsel

Christopher Krawczyk -- Kravit Hovel & Krawczyk SC

Roger LeGrand -- Wisconsin Tax Appeals Commission

Michael Maistelman -- Maistelman & Associates LLC

Michael McCauley -- Quarles & Brady LLP

Maureen McGinnity -- Foley & Lardner LLP

Steven Nelson -- von Briesen & Roper SC

Jeffrey Pitman -- Pitman, Kyle, Sicula & Dentice SC

Kevin St. John -- Wisconsin Department of Justice

Hon. Maryann Sumi -- Dane County Circuit Court

Deanna Weiss -- Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee Inc.

Hon. Maxine Aldridge White -- Milwaukee County Circuit Court

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT:

Gerald Kahn -- Godfrey & Kahn SC

Steve Kailas -- Kohner Mann & Kailas SC