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Best Lawyers Announces Firm Awards in Canada

AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 21, 2019 -- Best Lawyers™ is pleased to announce the 2020 “Law Firm of the Year” awards in conjunction with the 14th Edition of *The Best Lawyers in Canada* publication. Since 2010, Best Lawyers has highlighted not only individual lawyers but also top firms.

“Law Firm of the Year” awards recognize a single top firm for its work in a specific legal practice area nationwide. Awards are determined based on a handful of factors, including lawyer ballot feedback, the number of lawyers included in *Best Lawyers* for that firm and practice area, the number of office locations a firm has, historical analysis of the firm’s “Lawyer of the Year” awards, and the firm’s overall scope and areas of expertise.

Best Lawyers announced the 14th Edition of *The Best Lawyers in Canada* on 21 August 2019. In addition to the historic individual lawyer rankings and “Lawyer of the Year” awards, 20 firms received a “Law Firm of the Year” award in 29 different practice areas.

2020 “Law Firm of the Year” recipients are:

PRACTICE AREA	FIRM NAME
Aboriginal Law	Olthuis Kleer Townshend
Administrative and Public Law	Borden Ladner Gervais
Advertising and Marketing Law	Gowling WLG
Alternative Dispute Resolution	Norton Rose Fulbright Canada
Appellate Practice	Lenczner Slaght Royce Smith Griffin
Banking and Finance Law	McCarthy Tétrault
Class Action Litigation	Blake, Cassels & Graydon
Competition / Antitrust Law	Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg
Construction Law	Borden Ladner Gervais
Corporate and Commercial Litigation	Bennett Jones
Corporate Law	Norton Rose Fulbright Canada
Energy Law	Torys
Environmental Law	Gowling WLG
Immigration Law	McCrea Immigration Law
Insolvency and Financial Restructuring Law	Stikeman Elliott

Insurance Law	Clyde & Co
Intellectual Property Law	Bereskin & Parr
Labour and Employment Law	Harris & Company
Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law	Goodmans
Medical Negligence	McCarthy Tétrault
Mergers & Acquisitions Law	Stikeman Elliott
Mining Law	Fasken
Natural Resources Law	Bennett Jones
Privacy and Data Security Law	Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt
Real Estate Law	Blake, Cassels & Graydon
Securities Law	Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg
Tax Law	Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt
Trusts and Estates	Legacy Tax + Trust Lawyers
Workers' Compensation Law	McInnes Cooper

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