



# National Bar Association Women Lawyers Division Achievement Awards

## 2020 NOMINATION FORM

The National Bar Association Women Lawyers Division (WLD) was established in 1972 as a vehicle for women in the practice of law to address the issues and problems that particularly affect, interest, and concern African American women lawyers.

Through the WLD, women lawyers have made a significant impact on the goals and directions of the NBA by participating at all levels of the organization. The WLD has achieved its goal of adding positive direction to the NBA by “taking a seat at its table” and establishing a new dimension of sensitivity of the NBA as it addresses legal issues affecting women, children, the family, and the African American community as a whole. In its sponsorship of seminars, breakfasts and other forums, the WLD has concentrated on issues of specific interest and impact on women, and as a result, brought these issues to the forefront of the NBA’s conscience. On Tuesday, July 28, 2020 at the Marriott Marquis Hotel in Washington, DC, the NBA WLD’s Annual Awards Breakfast, women lawyers will be recognized for their outstanding achievements in the following categories: corporate (in-house) lawyer, solo/small firm, minority partner in majority firm, the judiciary, young lawyer, woman lawyer in politics and hidden figure.

### **Nomination Package:**

- 1) Completed nomination form with supporting materials;
- 2) Narrative Bio with the following specifications: Word Document, Maximum of 15 lines, Times Roman, 12 pt.; and
- 3) Nominee’s Very High Res Professional Photo

Supporting materials may include the following: press releases, news articles, awards, letters of support, etc.

Materials and nomination form shall be emailed to  
nbawomenlawyerawards@gmail.com.

Nomination deadline: **February 21, 2020**

## Nomination Form

Name of Nominee:

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Nominee's Place of Employment:

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Nominee's Business Address:

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Is Nominee's High Res Professional jpeg photo attached (to be used for media promotion)? \_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_no

**Award Nomination (please check):**

Outstanding Corporate (In-House) Counsel Award \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding Solo/Small Firm Award \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding Minority Partner in Majority Firm Award \_\_\_\_\_

Excellence In The Judiciary \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding Young Lawyer \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding Woman Lawyer in Politics \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding Public Service Award \_\_\_\_\_

WLD Hidden Figure Award \_\_\_\_\_

Information to include in nomination submission:

1. Describe the nominee's contributions and results for clients and/or organization?
2. Length of Time in Current Position.
3. Describe how the nominee has been a champion for Diversity and Inclusion.
4. Describe the nominee's demonstrated leadership and influence to foster advancement of women in the profession.
5. Is the nominee a member of the NBA? \_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_no
6. Is the nominee a member of the NBA WLD? \_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_no
7. Describe the nominee's community service history.
8. Does the nominee perform pro bono work? \_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_no
9. Describe the nominee's mentoring experience.
10. Attach a **narrative bio** in word, 12 PT, Times Roman Font of no more than 15 typed lines.

Name of Lawyer Submitting Nomination \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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