

The Stakeholder 100 Award

Investing in Excellence

Partner Nomination Form

This nomination form consists of three (3) parts: Nominating Partner Information, a Top Performance Questionnaire and Brief Narrative.

NOMINATING PARTNER* INFORMATION

Name

Firm Name

Contact Information

Address 1

Address 2

City State

Zip/postal code

Phone

Fax

E-mail

- *Nominator must be a law firm partner who has worked with the nominee in current law firm.*

TOP PERFORMANCE QUESTIONNAIRE

Part I - General Questions:

Please answer the following questions about the nominee:

1. How many years has the nominee been with the firm?

2. What firm department/section is the nominee a member of?

3. Is the nominee a member of any critical/institutional client team(s)?
 Yes No

If yes, briefly describe candidate's role and responsibilities on the team (Please do not disclose identity of client).

4. Would (have) you put the nominee on our most critical matters? matters for your/the firm's most valued clients?
 Yes No

5. Does the nominee have mentors? Yes No

If yes, please identify at least two (2) things that the mentor does to uniquely add value to the candidate?

Part II – Candidate Skills

Average – Candidate is on par with peer attorneys in your law firm.

Advanced – Candidate consistently exceeds what is expected of peer level attorneys in your firm

Best in Class – Candidate rates among the best you’ve ever seen for attorneys at applicant’s level

1. **Technical Skills:** Please rate the candidate’s technical legal skills. (legal writing, research and subject matter expertise)

1 (Average)

2 (Advanced)

3 (Best in class)

2. **Analytic Skills:** Please rate the candidate’s analytic skills.

1 (Average)

2 (Advanced)

3 (Best in class)

3. **Communication Skills:** Please rate the candidate’s ability to clearly communicate with colleagues and clients.

1 (Average)

2 (Advanced)

3 (Best in class)

4. **Judgment:** Please rate the candidate’s professional judgment.

1 (Average)

2 (Advanced)

3 (Best in class)

5. **Business Knowledge:** Please rate the candidate’s business knowledge (knowledge of clients’ business)

1 (Average)

2 (Advanced)

3 (Best in class)

6. **Reliability and responsiveness:** Please rate the candidate’s work reliability and responsiveness

1 (Average)

2 (Advanced)

3 (Best in class)

7. **Work ethic and grit:** Please rate the candidate’s work ethic and grit.

1 (Average)

2 (Advanced)

3 (Best in class)

Part III - Brief Narrative:

1. **Firm Investment** – Please identify two (2) examples of firm professional development efforts that uniquely reflect investments in attorneys such as the candidate. *(Please limit to 100 words or less)*

2. **Candidate Investment in Partners and Clients** – Please provide two (2) examples of something the candidate does (though not asked to do) to instill confidence in supervising partners and add value to your clients. *(Please limit to 50 words or less)*

3. **Candidate Investment in the Pipeline** - Please provide two (2) examples of something the candidate does (though not asked to do) to invest in and add value to the pipeline. *(Please limit to 50 words or less)*

Thank you for nominating an associate for the Stakeholder 100 designation. Please submit this form with application fee of \$350 no later than _____, 2007. Please make check payable to “Stakeholders”.