

The Irvin Stander Award for Professionalism in Workers' Compensation

Irv Stander was a retired real estate lawyer who was later appointed to a position as a workers' compensation referee (judge) and became one of the outstanding authorities in workers' compensation law. He was respected among his peers for his willingness to teach and instruct even the most inexperienced practitioners, his generosity in sharing his knowledge and experience, and his clear analysis of complex legal issues.

A founding member of our Section, Mr. Stander passed away in 1998.

The Stander award was established in his honor in 2000 by then-Section chair Don Smith, to recognize a member of the Section who has excelled in the practice of law, whose dedication to his or her clients, professionalism, and regard for colleagues serves as an example to others, and who embodies the principle of "striving mightily while treating colleagues and judges as friends."



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Stander Award Recipients

2011	John W. McTiernan
2010	Harry K. Thomas, Esq.
2009	Donald F. Smith, Jr., Esq.
2008	Susan Howard Swope, Esq.
2006	John J. Bagnato, Esq.
2005	Daniel R. Schuckers, Esq.
2004	Hon. Harold V. Fergus, Jr.
2003	Hon. David B. Torrey
2002	George Martin, Esq. and Peter J. Weber, Esq.
2000	Stanley H. Siegel, Esq.