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Best Lawyers® Releases *Canada's Best Lawyers 2022* Publication

AUGUSTA, Ga., 10 December, 2021 —As the oldest and most respected guide to the legal profession, Best Lawyers® is pleased to announce the release of [Canada's Best Lawyers 2022 publication](#).

"Best Lawyers was founded 40 years ago with the intent to recognize the accomplishments of top legal professionals," says Best Lawyers CEO Phil Greer. "In 2006 we expanded our recognitions into Canada and this year we presented the inaugural Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in Canada awards. We are proud to continue to showcase the most respected, unbiased legal referrals in Canada and worldwide through our 2022 Canada's Best Lawyers publication."

In this publication, we feature a story on the Canadian government's plan for restitution and a path forward following the uncovering of more than 1,000 Indigenous children's unmarked graves. The award methodology, the Best Lawyers metro map for Canada and a brief company overview are also presented. This stand-alone publication recognizes more than 7,000 Canadian Best Lawyers recognized in the 2022 editions of *The Best Lawyers in Canada*™ and the *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in Canada*, including more than 400 "Lawyer of the Year" award recipients.

"Lawyer of the Year" honorees are based on extremely high overall feedback within specific practice areas and metropolitan regions. The *Canada's Best Lawyers 2022* publication "Lawyer of the Year" section includes a feature on Montréal Defamation and Media Law "Lawyer of the Year" Richard Vachon.

In addition to the list of recognized lawyers, the publication features profiles of those in the Alberta, British Columbia, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Newfoundland and Labrador, Northwest Territories, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Prince Edward Island, Québec and Saskatchewan areas. For research purposes, smaller and more rural cities located within a reasonable distance to larger cities are combined into single geographical regions called "metro areas" to help collect as much feedback and data as possible. Canada, as defined by Best Lawyers, is made up of 24 metro areas. Toronto is the metro area with the largest number of listed Best Lawyers honorees.

[Read the digital publication here](#) or search *The Best Lawyers in Canada* and *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in Canada* results by lawyer name, firm, region and practice area by visiting www.bestlawyers.com.

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Lawyers who are nominated for consideration are voted on by currently recognized Best Lawyers working in the same practice area and located in the same geographic region. Our awards and recognitions are based purely on the feedback we receive from these top lawyers. Lawyers are not required or allowed to pay a fee to be listed; therefore, inclusion in Best Lawyers is considered a singular honor. Those who receive high peer reviews undergo a thorough verification process to make sure they are currently still in private practice. Only then can these top lawyers be recognized by Best Lawyers.