

ALUMNI

Annual Update

STAY IN TOUCH

Field Law is developing new ways to help you stay in touch with your alumni community, from social media to educational and social events throughout the year.

You can:

- **Sign up** (<http://field.law/alumni>) for our mailing list to receive emails about the most up-to-date Firm developments and alumni engagement opportunities
- Follow Field Law on LinkedIn, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter to find the latest news
- Check our event listings for upcoming educational opportunities

Don't be shy... We'd be delighted to share your news with firm members and your fellow alumni. If you have recently changed positions, moved or want to share your news, please write to us at alumni@fieldlaw.com

MANAGING PARTNER MESSAGE

2020 has been a challenging year for many. Field Law has faced the pandemic and its challenges head-on. We were proud to see Fielders working tirelessly to help our clients and communities overcome uncertainty while dealing with disruptions in their own personal lives.

Our priority has been two-fold throughout the pandemic, ensuring we continue to provide high-quality client service while also protecting the health and safety of Fielders.

We remain deeply grateful for the successes achieved in this unprecedented year and look forward to clearer skies ahead.

From everyone at Field Law, we wish you a very merry Holiday Season and a Happy New Year.

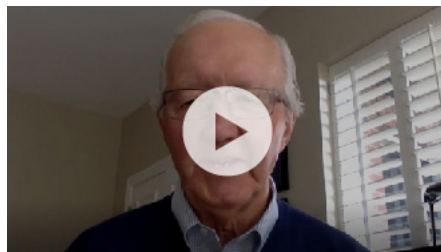
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THE END OF AN ERA

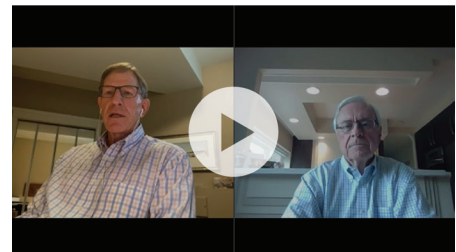
Having joined MacDonald, Cheeseman & Moore (a predecessor to Field Law) as an Articling Student in 1955, we were sad to see Miles Atkinson retire from Field Law earlier this year.

Every now and then, an exceptional person comes along. Miles Atkinson is one of those people. A person who is genuine to the core, sincerely interested in you and your issues, someone about whom no one would say- or could say- a bad word. We are grateful to have had Miles as a pillar of the Firm, providing stability and continuity for 65 years.

As Miles says "farewell" to Field Law, we hope that when he looks around the Firm today, he is satisfied that we have carried forward the traditions and values that he planted and nurtured over the years. If that is the case, then we can indeed be proud. Miles is a reminder of our proud past and a beacon for all that we need to aspire to be in this profession and in life.



▶ Watch video at <http://field.law/miles>



▶ Watch video at <http://field.law/miles2>

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WELCOME TO THE FIRM

In 2020, a time when many law firms have been standing still or contracting because of the pandemic Field Law has been pleased to welcome the following lawyers to the Firm:

CORPORATE TEAM GROWS



Sean MacLachlan has joined us as a partner in the Securities team in Calgary. Sean is a corporate, commercial and securities lawyer, working with a wide range of businesses from start-ups to publicly listed issuers in Calgary's technology, transportation and real estate sectors.



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<http://field.law/smaclachlan>

The team's growth has continued with the addition of **Dunni Shodipo** and **Deirdre Lanigan**. Dunni is adept at leading high-end domestic and cross-border equity and debt financings in private placements and public offerings and joins us from Toronto, where she was working as a Corporate Trust Office with the TSX Trust.

Deirdre comes from an entrepreneurial family and is co-owner and in-house counsel of the family business, Brewster's Brewing Company. She has a general corporate, commercial and securities law practice with an emphasis on mergers, acquisitions and reorganizations of various business ventures.

Niall Burke is called to the Bar in Alberta, Ireland, Nova Scotia and will soon include England. With experience working with leading law firms in Canada and Ireland practicing in real estate and corporate law, he has prior experience in advising a broad range of clients, including some of Canada and Ireland's leading banks and financial institutions.

NEW TO FIELD'S EDMONTON OFFICE



Lyndon Thiessen brings to Field Law over 25 years' experience meeting the diverse legal needs of his entrepreneurial clients. "I love working with entrepreneurs and learning about their goals and vision for their businesses and lives moving forward. This understanding forms the foundation of our relationship and, over time, allows me to support my clients with advice uniquely tailored to them. This is my privilege and passion."



Barry McGuire has a practice focused strictly on real estate, assisting both commercial and individuals in purchasing property. Barry also works with investors looking to purchase rental properties. Barry is one of Alberta's most experienced lawyers on the creative investing side of real estate. He helps investors from all over Canada buy in Alberta, using strategies such as agreements for sale, rent to own, fix and flip, assignments and joint ventures as they apply to all these creative strategies.

LATEST ADDITIONS

William McClary's practice encompasses all aspects of corporate, commercial, civil and regulatory litigation. He strategically guides and counsels clients through some of the most complex litigation processes and offers a unique perspective that he gained from his experience clerking at the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta, under the supervision of The Honourable Mr. Justice G.H. Poelman. Before pursuing law school, Will was a consulting engineer, where he focused primarily in the energy industry.

We are pleased to welcome eight articling students to Field Law and look forward to seeing them grow and succeed over the coming year:

Edmonton	Calgary
Lyndon Bolanac	Raymond Gallelli
Daisy Feehan	Nada Ladhani
Francesca Ghossein	Sheldon McDonald
Lauren Webster	Alex Remondini

FIELD LAW COMMUNITY FUND PROGRAM

Supporting our community has never been more important. Field Law is proud to announce the 2020 winners of the Field Law Fund Community Program, distributing \$60,000 in funding to local charities and organizations across Calgary, Edmonton and the Northwest Territories.

Since 2013, Field Law's program has been able to invest \$550,000 in the communities it serves, as part of the firm's mandate of strengthening local connections and adding to community vibrancy.

This year, the Field Law Community Fund Program distributed \$24,000 between three winners in each of Edmonton and Calgary, and \$12,000 to three winners in the Northwest Territories. The winners were selected based on votes from Field Law lawyers and staff in each community.

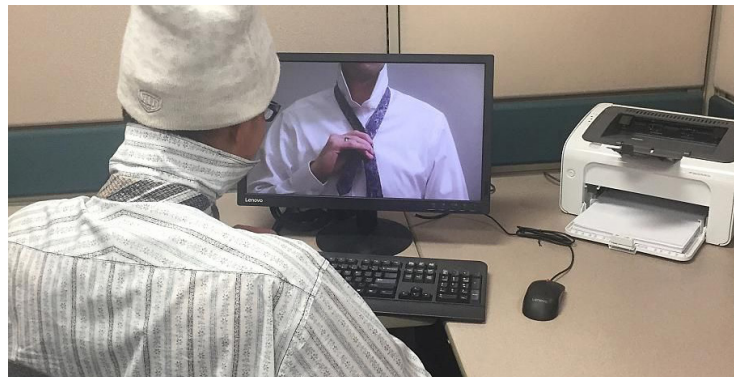
In Calgary, The Doorway Approach from The Doorway placed first, receiving \$12,000 from the program to continue its mission of supporting homeless youth and providing them the skills and support to join mainstream society. The Brenda Strafford Society's Centre Computer Lab placed second, with \$8,000 in funding being awarded to continue its important work in providing a safe learning space for women building their career and life skills. Making Changes Women in Technology placed third, with \$4,000 awarded to support its integrated skills training program for unemployed or underemployed immigrant and aboriginal women in Calgary.

In Edmonton, NSTEP placed first, receiving \$12,000 to support its Chef on NSTEP program in collaboration with Black Girls Corner: Empowered for Better Wellbeing. The 7-month biweekly program will benefit 15 to 20 minority youth girls to help them increase their life outcomes. The Jasper Place Wellness Centre placed second, receiving \$8,000 to support its Good Food 2 Go program offering low-cost food boxes and meal assembly kits for delivery, along with online educational content, kitchen skills and health promotion. The Linking Generations Society of Alberta placed third, receiving \$4,000 to purchase devices to connect members with students through Zoom, Skype, Facebook and more through its Connecting Seniors through Technology program.

In the Northwest Territories, the YWCA NWT placed first for their Moon Time Period Kits for Northern Teens project, receiving \$6,000 to support its mission to end period poverty by providing period kits to Northern teens who either miss school or can't afford the needed monthly menstrual products. The Inuvik Native Band placed second with their Indigenous Mental Health Support Circle, receiving \$4,000 to create a team of

knowledgeable Seniors/Elders to be on-site to support members' mental health needs. The Kole Crook Fiddle Association's Bringing Back Music North of 60 placed third, receiving \$2,000 to provide scholarships to deserving young students to receive weekly lessons through the upcoming school year.

The Field Law Community Fund Program received a total of 111 applications this year, the second-highest number of applications since the program's inception. For a complete list of past and present Field Law Community Fund Program winners, visit fieldlawcommunityfund.com.



The Doorway



NSTEP



The Inuvik Native Band