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PRACTICE AREAS

Health • Regulated Professions • Administrative • Commercial Litigation • Environmental

BIOGRAPHY

Dan's practice focuses on health law and medical defence, including acting as counsel to the Canadian Medical Protective Association and its member physicians. His successful litigation practice also includes administrative law, including regulated industries, environmental, and competition law. Dan serves as General Counsel to the Halifax office.

Dan was a founding director, and later chairman and executive committee member, of the Canadian Lawyers' Insurance Association, a reciprocal insurance exchange providing professional liability insurance for lawyers. He was a director of the Lawyers' Insurance Association of Nova Scotia. In 2011-2012 he served as President of the Nova Scotia Barristers' Society.

Dan was a part-time member of the Faculty of Law of Dalhousie University, teaching Competition Law, and has been a frequent lecturer for the Continuing Medical Education Department of the Faculty of Medicine.

EXPERIENCE

- Appearances before trial and appellate courts, including the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, Court of Queen's Bench of New Brunswick, the Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Federal Courts of Appeal, and the Supreme Court of Canada.
- Appearances before tribunals including the Competition Tribunal, the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission, the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board, and the Investigation and Hearing Committees of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Nova Scotia.

INDUSTRY RECOGNITION & AWARDS

- Consistently recognized by Lexpert as a leading practitioner in the fields of Directors and Officers Liability Litigation and Telecommunications
- Recognized by Benchmark Litigation as a preeminent litigation practitioner in Canada in the areas of Competition, General Commercial, and Professional Liability
- Received the Distinguished Service Award from the Nova Scotia Barristers' Society in 2007, in recognition of contributions to the profession, the community, and the Society
- Listed as a leading practitioner by the publication The Best Lawyers in Canada since 2006 for his practice in the areas of Communications Law, Energy Regulatory Law, Legal Malpractice Law, Personal Injury Litigation, and Medical Negligence Law.

LANGUAGES

- English

LAW SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

- Canadian Bar Association
- Nova Scotia Barristers' Society

BAR ADMISSION

- Nova Scotia (1972)

LAW SCHOOL

- Dalhousie University

EDUCATION

- Bishop's University (B.Sc., 1969)
- Dalhousie Law School (LLB, 1972)

PUBLICATIONS

- Nova Scotia – Legal Implications of the COVID-19 Emergency

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES & AFFILIATIONS

- Volunteer, Nova Scotia Courts Free Legal Clinic (2017-)
- Founding director, Canadian Lawyer' Insurance Association
- Chairman, Nova Scotia Barrister's Society, Insurance Committee
- President, Nova Scotia Barristers' Society (2011-2012)
- Member of Bar Council, Nova Scotia Barrister's Society (2009 – 2012)
- Executive Committee Member, Canadian Lawyer' Insurance Association (2000-2006)

ACTIVITIES WITHIN FIRM

- General Counsel (2019 –)
- Conflicts Partner – Halifax
- Chair of Medical Defence Group (1999 – 2015)

COMMUNITY AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

- Chair, Trustees of St. Matthew's United Church
- Past Chair, Trustees of Victoria Hall
- Past Chair, Trustees of YMCA of Greater Halifax/Dartmouth Legacy Foundation
- Past President, Halifax YMCA