

**PAST RECIPIENTS,  
OUTSTANDING YOUNG LAWYER  
OF MISSISSIPPI**

Year \_\_\_\_\_ Recipient \_\_\_\_\_

- 1981-1982 .... Claude F. Clayton, Jr.
- 1982-1983 .... William C. Hammack
- 1983-1984 .... W. David Watkins
- 1984-1985 .... Mark D. Herbert
- 1985-1986 .... Shelby R. Rogers, Jr.
- 1986-1987 .... Tommy E. Furby
- 1987-1988 .... R. Wilson Montjoy II
- 1988-1989..... James Arden Barnett, Jr.
- 1989-1990 .... J. Richard Hurt
- 1990-1991 .... D. Michael Cockrell
- 1991-1992 .... A. Camille Henick
- 1992-1993 .... Denitia M. Newman
- 1993-1994 .... C. Joyce Hall
- 1994-1995 .... M. Binford Williams, Jr.
- 1995-1996 .... J. Hale Freeland
- 1996-1997 .... Susan Fahey Desmond
- 1997-1998 .... A. Matt Pesnell
- 1998-1999 .... Lynn P. Ladner
- 1999-2000 .... Chip Wilbanks
- 2000-2001 .... Keith Obert
- 2001-2002 .... A. Kelly Sessoms
- 2002-2003 .... Deanne Mosley
- 2003-2004 .... Meade Mitchell
- 2004-2005 .... Scott R. Hendrix
- 2005-2006 .... David F. Maron
- 2006-2007 .... Amanda K. Jones
- 2007-2008 .... Carlos E. Moore
- 2008-2009 .... Stephanie R. Jones
- 2009-2010 .... Corey D. Hinshaw
- 2010-2011 .... Tiffany M. Graves
- 2011-2012 .... Jennie S.H. Pitts
- 2012-2013 .... Alison B. Baker
- 2013-2014 .... Michael S. Carr
- 2014-2015 .... Jeremy T. England
- 2015-2016 .... Clarence Webster III
- 2016-2017 .... G. Austin Stewart
- 2017-2018 .... Matthew D. Shoemaker
- 2018-2019 .... Christina M. Seanor
- 2019-2020 .... Andrew S. Harris
- 2020-2021 .... Kye C. Handy
- 2021-2022..... Elizabeth Hyde
- 2022-2023 .....Assma Ali

The Mississippi Bar



Young Lawyers Division

# Nomination Form 2023-2024

## Outstanding Young Lawyer of Mississippi Award

Young Lawyers Division of The Mississippi Bar

Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company/Firm: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted By: \_\_\_\_\_

Company/Firm: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons for Nomination: (Attach additional documentation if necessary.)

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### Rules and Criteria for Selection of Outstanding Young Lawyer of Mississippi To Be Awarded by The Young Lawyers Division of The Mississippi Bar

1. To be eligible for selection, the lawyer-nominee must: (a) Be a member of The Mississippi Bar Young Lawyers Division; (b) Not presently serving as President, President-Elect, or Secretary of the Young Lawyers Division.
2. Nominations shall be submitted by any local affiliate or interested organization or individual in writing on a form provided by the Young Lawyers Division of The Mississippi Bar.
3. Nominations and all supporting exhibits should be received on or before **February 15, 2024** by the Young Lawyers Division Awards Committee.
4. The Committee will consider all outstanding qualities of the nominees in making its recommendations including but not limited to exemplified professional proficiency, service to the profession and service to the community, state and nation.
5. The Awards Committee together with the Officers of the Young Lawyers Division will meet prior to the Spring Board Meeting to select three nominations for the recipient of the award for the current year.
6. The three nominations selected by the Awards Committee and Officers shall be presented to the Board of Directors of Young Lawyers Division, which shall select the annual "Outstanding Young Lawyer of Mississippi" award recipient at the Spring Meeting of the Board.
7. The award shall be presented at the annual meeting of the Young Lawyers Division and shall be evidenced by an appropriate plaque for the recipient and a permanent plaque to be left at The Mississippi Bar Center.
8. The rules and criteria soliciting nominations for the award shall be circulated to all Mississippi Bar Officers, Young Lawyers Division Officers, Board Members and Committee Chairs.

**Return to Chad Phillips by e-mail at [cphillips@msbar.org](mailto:cphillips@msbar.org) no later than February 15, 2024.**