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IRISH LAW AWARDS 2017 



Banking, Finance/Restructuring & Insolvency Law Firm of the Year

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Beauchamps
ByrneWallace
Eversheds Sutherland
Orpen Franks Solicitors
Ronan Daly Jermyn
Sweeney McGann Solicitors

Connacht/Ulster Law Firm of the Year

Blake & Kenny Solicitors
Callan Tansey Solicitors
Geraghty & Co Solicitors
J.V. Geary Solicitors
MacSweeney & Company Solicitors
Purdy Fitzgerald Solicitors

Connacht/Ulster Solicitor of the Year

Jason O' Sullivan - J.O.S Solicitors
John Geary - J.V. Geary Solicitors
Paul MacCormack - Paul MacCormack & Co.
Breege McCaffrey - DM O'Connor and Co Solicitors
Alastair Purdy - Purdy Fitzgerald Solicitors



Criminal Law Firm of the Year

Michael Hennessy Solicitors
KOD Lyons Solicitors
John M. Quinn & Co.
Michael J Staines & Company

Dublin Law Firm of the Year

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Richard Grogan & Associates
Lavelle Solicitors
Orpen Franks Solicitors
OSM Partners
Reddy Charlton
Noel Smyth & Partners

Dublin Solicitor of The Year

Anthony Fay - Anthony Fay & Company Solicitors
Richard Grogan - Richard Grogan & Associates Solicitors
Jeanne Kelly - Mason Hayes & Curran
Rachael Liston - Orpen Franks Solicitors
Ronan Hannigan - Noel Smyth & Partners
Roddy Tyrrell - Tyrrell Solicitors

Employment Law Firm/Lawyer of the Year

Beauchamps
ByrneWallace
Philip Lee
Richard Grogan - Richard Grogan & Associates Solicitors
Breege McCaffrey - DM O'Connor and Co Solicitors
O'Mara Geraghty McCourt
Purdy FitzGerald
Ronan Daly Jermyn



Excellence in Client Service

ByrneWallace
Cahir & Co Solicitors
Carmody Moran Solicitors
Douglas Law Solicitors
McCarthy + Co.
Emma Meagher - McSweeney Solicitors
Orpen Franks Solicitors
Tracey Solicitors

Excellence in Marketing & Communications

Cahir & Co Solicitors
FitzGerald Solicitors
Richard Grogan & Associates Solicitors
Lynch Solicitors
McCarthy + Co.
Ronan Daly Jermyn

Family Law Team/Lawyer of the Year

Deirdre Burke - DMBurke Solicitors
Annette Sheehan - Fitzgerald Solicitors
KOD Lyons Solicitors
Avril Mangan - Mangan & Company Solicitors
Keith Walsh Solicitor
Susan Webster - Susan Webster & Company

In House Legal Team/Lawyer of the Year

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Change Implementation Unit Team - Chief State Solicitor's Office
Justice and Crime Section - Chief State Solicitor's Office
FEXCO Group
Hugh Hannigan - News Ireland
Aine Lyons - VMware International Limited



Irish Language Practitioner of the Year

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Maura Butler - Education Department, Law Society of Ireland

Seán Ó Cearbhaill - O'Carroll & Company

Samantha Geraghty - P. O'Connor & Son

Law Firm Innovation Award

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Change Implementation Unit - Chief State Solicitor's Office

Gareth Noble - KOD Lyons

O'Donnell McKenna

OSM Partners

Ronan Daly Jermyn

Paul W Tracey - Tracey Solicitors

Kevin McLaughlin - Hugh J Ward & Co Solicitors

Law School of the Year

Faculty of Law, Griffith College

The Honorable Society of King's Inns

Maynooth University Department of Law

University of Limerick

WIT Law Faculty

Law Student of the Year

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Clara Hurley - UCC

Eva McQuaid - DCU

Kate Moloney - UCD

Mark O'Reilly - Maynooth University



Legal Book of the Year

A Practical Guide to Medical Negligence Litigation, Michael Boylan
Law and Finance in Retirement, John Costello
The Law of Companies (4th Edition), Dr Thomas B Courtney
Keane on Company Law (5th Edition), Brian Hutchinson
Murdoch and Hunt's Dictionary of Irish Law (6th edition), Brian Hunt
Sentencing Law and Practice, (3rd edition), Thomas O'Malley
Walsh on Criminal Procedure, (2nd edition), Dermot P.J. Walsh

Legal Executive of the Year

David Ivers - Peter Doyle & Company
Julie Murphy - Eversheds Sutherland
Barry Brady - Hibernian Legal
Gillian Moore - Keating Connolly Sellors
Denis Shelly - Legal Costs Accountants Limited
Adrina Conlon - James McSweeney Solicitors
Anthony Rath – John A Sinnott & Co
Karen Dowdall - Hugh J Ward & Co Solicitors

Leinster Law Firm of the Year

Byrne Carolan Cunningham Solicitors
Hanahoe and Hanahoe Solicitors
Moloney & Co Solicitors
John A. Sinnott & Co Solicitors
Susan Webster & Company

Leinster Solicitor of the Year

Deirdre Burke - DMBurke Solicitors
Luke Hanahoe - Hanahoe & Hanahoe Solicitors
Tim Kennelly Solicitors
Susan Murphy - MakeMyWill Solicitors
Liam Moloney - Moloney & Co Solicitors
Susan Webster - Susan Webster & Company



Litigation Law Firm/Lawyer of the Year

Philip Lee
Ronan Daly Jermyn
Alaina Hogan - Cian O'Carroll Solicitors
John M. Quinn & Co.
Sherwin O'Riordan Solicitors
Michael J Staines & Company

Munster Law Firm of the Year

FitzGerald Solicitors
Keating Connolly Sellors
Lynch Solicitors
McCarthy + Co.
O'Flynn Exhams Solicitors
Sweeney McGann Solicitors

Munster Solicitor of the Year

Sharon Cahir - Cahir and Company
Flor McCarthy - McCarthy + Co.
Rossa McMahon - PG McMahon Solicitors
Kieran Mulcahy - Kieran Mulcahy Solicitors

Property, Planning, Probate Law Firm of the Year

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Ronan Daly Jermyn



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Sole Practitioner/Sole Principal of the Year Award

Anthony Fay & Company
Richard Grogan - Richard Grogan & Associates Solicitors
Tim Kennelly Solicitors
Liam Moloney - Moloney & Co Solicitors
Paul W Tracey - Tracey Solicitors
Susan Webster - Susan Webster & Company

Lifetime Achievement Award

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