Canada's National Report to the ICCC 2011 – 2012

Creation of the Canadian Client Consultation Competition

As of May of 2011, the Canadian Client Consultation Committee (hereinafter, "the Committee") received support from a majority of Canadian law schools to develop a Canadian Client Consultation Competition for all Canadian law schools (hereinafter, the "Canadian Competition"). The top ranking Canadian law school at the Canadian Competition will advance to the annual Louis M. Brown and Forrest S. Mosten International Client Consultation Competition.

2011 – 2012 Canadian Client Consultation Competition

The University of Ottawa hosted the 1^{st} Annual Canadian Client Consultation Competition on February 25 – 26, 2012. Eleven teams from eight Canadian law schools attended the Canadian Competition.

The team of Sherry Simons and Angela Keibel from the University of Alberta, coached by Lynn Parish, placed first in the Canadian Competition, and will represent Canada this year at the Louis M. Brown and Forrest S. Mosten International Client Consultation Competition in Dublin, Ireland. Congratulations to Sherry, Angela and Lynn as well as the University of Alberta!

The Committee was honoured to have Forrest Mosten and Jody Mosten attend the Canadian Competition to help Canada celebrate this inaugural event.



Left to Right: Angela Keibel, Lynn Parish, and Sherry Simons

2012 ICCC in Dublin, Ireland

Following the Canadian Client Consultation Committee's Annual General Meeting on February 26, 2012, the Committee has decided to send Committee member and Western Canadian Representative, Lynn Parish, to Dublin, Ireland to represent Canada. The Committee has secured funding with a contribution from the ICCC to send one Committee member to represent Canada and attend the Annual General Meeting in Dublin, Ireland.

The Committee has made the decision to rotate the attendance of the Committee members at the ICCC in order to provide opportunities for all 4 members to experience the International Competition and to bring their passion and enthusiasm to the International AGM.



Left to Right: Forrest Mosten, Brigeeta Richdale, Angela Keibel, Sherry Simons, and Jody Mosten

New Committee Member

The Canadian Client Consultation Committee is excited to announce the addition of a new member, Joan Braun, to the Committee. Joan represented Canada at the ICCC in 2000, and currently works as a mediator in Vancouver, B.C. Joan is a welcomed addition to the Committee and we are thrilled to have her on board.

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