

*Annual Report  
for the year ending  
June 30, 2005*

# Louisiana Bar Foundation



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# Louisiana Bar Foundation

*a non-profit charitable organization successfully improving the quality of life in communities throughout Louisiana.*

## Mission

The Louisiana Bar Foundation exists to preserve, honor and improve our system of justice by funding, developing or otherwise promoting efforts which enhance the legal profession, increase public understanding of the legal system and advance the reality of equal justice under the law.

## Objectives

- Assure every person in Louisiana reasonable access to the justice system regardless of mental or physical condition, economic status or type of legal problem.
- Identify, acquire, preserve, enhance and exhibit documents, items, photographs and other types of media items of significant historical interest to the Louisiana legal community and to the general public.
- Promote public awareness and understanding of the legal system and its goals, as well as the rights and obligations of all parties involved.
- Raise the ethical and professional standards of the lawyers who operate the legal system.
- Establish and administer endowment funds, Interest on Lawyers' Trust Account (IOLTA) funds and other funds which can provide significant impact in fulfilling the goals of the Louisiana Bar Foundation.
- Support and enhance legal education in Louisiana.
- Improve the efficiency of the justice system while protecting the right to a full and fair procedure.



### President's Message

*David F. Bienvenu*

As Bar Foundation Fellows, we know how hard many dedicated professionals work to provide quality legal representation to people of limited means in our state. In many cases they forego greater salaries, plush offices and other perks often associated with private practice.

Although I do not profess to know firsthand the frustration many experience daily as a result of limited resources, I do believe that I am somewhat familiar with the challenges faced.

That people dedicate their professional lives to the service of those less fortunate in our society is perhaps the greatest testament of the true spirit of the legal profession and our system of justice. So, on behalf of those not in the trenches, please know that there are many of us out there (in for-profit practice) who admire, and indeed, are humbled by what you do. Among those are the Fellows of the Louisiana Bar Foundation.

We are lawyers, judges and law professors dedicated to honoring and improving the legal profession and the system of justice. Our mission is leadership, philanthropy, legal access and educational assistance to the citizens of Louisiana. We believe that every Louisiana citizen should have equal access to and a clear understanding of the justice system.

Since 1989 when we first began making IOLTA grants, the LBF has awarded over \$28 million in grants to non-profit organizations. Over 90% of those funds have been awarded to direct representation, to LSC programs, domestic violence programs, pro bono projects and other indigent representation programs. These programs and the work that they do in direct representation of the indigent and disadvantaged, is our highest priority.

To date, the LBF  
has distributed  
more than . . .

**\$9 million**  
to Legal Service  
Corporations

**\$4 million**  
to Pro Bono Projects

**\$4 million**  
to Other Indigent  
Representation

**\$3.5 million**  
to Domestic Abuse  
Centers

**\$1.9 million**  
to CASA Programs

**\$1 million**  
to Law Related  
Education

**\$1 million**  
to Administration of  
Justice Programs

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*Integrity, accountability and social responsibility that's what the LBF represents. The LBF is an organization committed to helping improve the quality of life in communities across Louisiana. The focus of the LBF membership is unique; it enables attorneys, judges and professors throughout the state to unify the civil and charitable endeavors of the legal profession.*

*The LBF funds direct-service programs who struggle to provide direct access to the justice system for the more than 850,000 poverty-stricken Louisiana residents.*

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*The Foundation appreciates LSBA's generosity in helping to publicize the work of the Foundation and our programs.*

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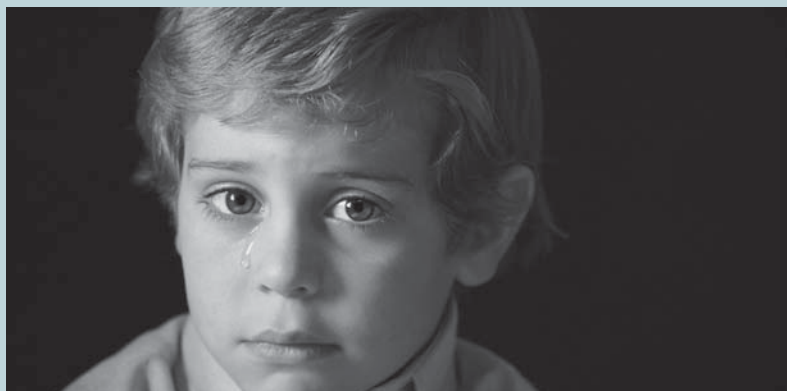
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In January 2005, the LBF awarded \$1,059,622 to 49 outstanding Louisiana non-profit organizations whose work is directly in line with the Foundation's mission of advancing the reality of equal justice under the law.

### **\$565,160 to Legal Services Corporations**

Acadiana Legal Services Corporation	\$151,939
Capital Area Legal Services Corporation	\$89,829
Legal Services of North Louisiana	\$161,580
Southeast Louisiana Legal Service Corp.	\$161,812

### **\$147,744 to Domestic Violence Programs**

Beauregard Community Concerns, Inc. June Jenkins Women's Shelter	\$6,700
Calcasieu Women's Shelter, Inc.	\$8,800
Capital Area Family Violence Center /Legal Services Component	\$3,000
Catholic Charities/Project S.A.V.E.	\$22,300
Chez Hope	\$7,000
D.A.R.T. of Lincoln (Domestic Abuse Resistance Team)	\$7,400
Faith House, Inc.	\$9,200
Family Counseling Agency, Inc. Turning Point Shelter	\$6,500
Metropolitan Battered Women's Program, Inc.	\$17,200
New Start Center	\$5,281
Safe Harbor, Inc.	\$4,982
Safety Net for Abused Persons	\$10,200
Southeast Spouse Abuse Program	\$9,800
St. Bernard Battered Women's Center	\$2,200
The Haven, Inc.	\$5,381
Vernon Community Action Council, Inc.	\$5,300
YWCA of Northeast Louisiana/Project SAFE	\$8,800
YWCA of Northwest Louisiana, Inc. /Family Violence Program	\$7,700

### **\$146,527 to Other Direct Legal Services**

AIDSLAW of Louisiana, Inc.	\$30,000
Catholic Charities Immigration Legal Services	\$26,700
Innocence Project New Orleans	\$18,000
Legal Aid Bureau	\$37,500
Louisiana Detention Project c/o Catholic Legal Immigration Network	\$2,500
Mental Health Association in Louisiana	\$31,827



### **\$143,796 to Pro Bono Programs**

Baton Rouge Bar Foundation Pro Bono Project	\$14,146
Central Louisiana Pro Bono Project	\$10,161
Lafayette Parish Bar Foundation Pro Bono Project	\$15,089
Legal Services of North LA/Pro Bono Program	\$13,417
Northwest Louisiana Pro Bono Project	\$18,859
The Pro Bono Project	\$36,543

### **\$41,738 to Law-Related Education Programs**

Baton Rouge Bar Foundation LRE Programs	\$4,000
Louisiana Center for Law & Civic Education	\$30,220
LSBA Young Lawyer LRE Projects	\$4,000
New Orleans Bar Association "It's the Law" Project	\$2,000
Youth Service Bureau of St. Tammany LRE Program	\$1,518

### **\$37,000 to Administration of Justice**

LSBA Access to Justice Program	\$37,000
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### **\$7,975 to Teen Courts**

Iberia Teen Court, Inc	\$2,000
Teen Court of Calcasieu Parish	\$1,975
Teen Court of Greater New Orleans	\$2,000
Teen Court of Morehouse	\$2,000

### **\$5,263 to CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) Programs**

CASA of Terrebonne, Inc.	\$2,000
CASA of West Central of Louisiana	\$3,263

## Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts (IOLTA)

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### **Complete Oral Histories**

(as of March 2006)

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The Education Committee's S-I-R Program is designed to enhance the Foundation's overall education program and to support legal education in Louisiana by bringing the practicing bar and Louisiana law schools together. During the two year term, the scholar produces an academic work. The committee selected Professor Evelyn Wilson of Southern University Law Center as the 2004-06 Scholar in Residence. Her project will look at the Louisiana Supreme Court in Reconstruction from 1865 to 1880.

### **Previous S-I-R Publications**

*Conclave on Legal Education and Professional Development*

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*The Louisiana Civil Code: A European Legacy of the United States*

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## Access to Justice (ATJ)

The ATJ Program is a cooperative venture of the Louisiana State Bar Association (LSBA), the LBF and the Louisiana legal services programs. The mission of the ATJ Committee is to support and help strengthen an integrated statewide network to increase the delivery of legal services to the poor of Louisiana.

The committee works to make others aware of the unmet needs of the poor for civil legal services, and towards solutions to proper funding of legal services providers and increased participation by the legal community.

## Secret Santa

Secret Santa is a project of the LSBA and the LBF's Community Action Committee. This project pairs needy children with local attorneys who buy presents from the child's holiday wish list.

## **LBF also provided financial support to the following projects:**

### *Garner Documentary*

LBF awarded Southern University Law Center a grant for a documentary project based on the *Garner v. State of Louisiana* case which was argued before the U.S. Supreme Court in 1961 and is a result of peaceful sit-in demonstrations conducted by Southern University students. The documentary will be a video project on the students whose historic actions prompted the U.S. Supreme Court's decision on sit-ins in protest of racial discrimination during the 1960's civil rights movement. The project is aimed at increasing quality and quantity of documentaries and other educational materials on the law and work of lawyers available to the public.

### *LawHelp.org and Probono.net*

LBF provided the licensing fee for two new legal aid web sites. LawHelp.org is designed to help low and moderate income people find free legal aid programs in their communities and answers to questions about their legal rights. Probono.net/la was built by the Louisiana justice community in an effort to use technology to meet lower-income client needs by sharing experience and knowledge and by building partnerships to reach common goals.

## Kids' Chance Scholarship Program

This program, which provides scholarships to dependent children of workers killed or permanently and totally disabled in an accident compensable under a state or federal Workers' Compensation Act or law, is administered by the Louisiana Bar Foundation and is governed by a committee representing a cross-section of the legal and workers compensation communities.



### 2005 Kids' Chance Scholarship Recipients

Ashley Baldi <i>Many</i>	J. Jacob Landry <i>Jennings</i>	Seleigh A. Simon <i>New Orleans</i>
Jacob Belaire <i>Lake Charles</i>	Lori LeBlanc <i>Oberlin</i>	Dionne Ashley Smith <i>New Orleans</i>
Natalie Habetz <i>Ragley</i>	Jarrett Marchand <i>St. Amant</i>	Drew Sokol <i>New Orleans</i>
Sally Anne E. Hair <i>Prairieville</i>	Tonya Massey <i>Winnsboro</i>	Joshua Thornton <i>Metairie</i>
Vickie Keys <i>Port Barre</i>	Kimberly Rider <i>Jennings</i>	Casey L. Todesco <i>Metairie</i>
Brandon LaGrange <i>Breaux Bridge</i>	Steven Rider <i>Jennings</i>	

### 2005 Kids' Chance Supporters

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## Annual Fellows Dinner

Every spring, lawyers, judges and professors gather from across the state at the Annual Fellows Dinner to support the LBF's mission. A cocktail reception honoring the class of Fellows from the previous year is held prior to the dinner while Fellows enjoy a silent auction. The evening before, a patron party kicks off the event.

### 19th Annual Fellows Dinner

The LBF honored Distinguished Jurist Nancy Amato Konrad, Distinguished Attorneys Louis D. Curet and Julian R. Murray, Jr. and Distinguished Professor Paul R. Baier at the 19th Annual Fellows Dinner at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in New Orleans in April 2005. The honorees were selected by the LBF's Board of Directors for their many contributions to the legal profession and their community.



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## Awards

### Grantee Excellence in Service and Programming

This award recognizes a grantee for an innovative, imaginative program and/or public service in the legal arena. The award emphasizes creativity of the idea, efficiency of execution, outcomes of the program and its ability to be duplicated by other service programs, and the ability to be flexible enough to change course as emerging needs arise.

2005 Baton Rouge Bar  
Foundation's Thirst for  
Justice Program  
2004 Catholic Charities  
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2003 New Orleans Legal  
Assistance Corporation  
2002 Lafayette Teen Court  
2001 Acadiana Legal Services Inc.

### Curtis R. Boisfontaine Trial Advocacy Award

This award was established in 1994 to honor Mr. Boisfontaine's contributions and to encourage others to emulate the standard to which he adhered.

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1995 William K. Christovich  
1994 Wood Brown III

### President's Award

The President selects the recipient based on dedication and commitment, volunteer service, leadership in major LBF accomplishments, willingness to volunteer for new projects and assistance to the President in addressing concerns facing the LBF.

2005 Suzanne M. Jones  
2004 Marilyn C. Maloney  
2003 Cyrus J. Greco  
2002 Charles S. Weems III  
2001 Harry S. Hardin III

**LOUISIANA BAR FOUNDATION**  
**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

June 30, 2005

**ASSETS**

	<u>JUNE 30, 2005</u>	<u>TOTAL MEMORANDUM ONLY June 30, 2004</u>
Cash	\$ 485,486	\$ 135,554
Investments	4,033,031	3,877,231
Receivables		
Pledges	149,572	182,639
Other	676	4,051
Prepaid lease payments	182,892	193,564
Deposits	1,000	1,000
Property, building, and equipment-at cost	<u>22,042</u>	<u>25,856</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 4,874,699</u>	<u>\$ 4,419,895</u>

**LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS**

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 50,930	\$ 2,451
Grants payable	<u>568,030</u>	<u>838,228</u>
Total liabilities	<u>618,960</u>	<u>840,679</u>
Commitment	-	-
Net assets		
Unrestricted	1,291,324	1,097,416
Temporarily restricted	2,439,389	1,984,398
Permanently restricted	<u>525,026</u>	<u>497,402</u>
Total net assets	<u>4,255,739</u>	<u>3,579,216</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 4,874,699</u>	<u>\$ 4,419,895</u>

## Fellows Class of 2004

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