

Top Attorneys 2015

Results of our peer-reviewed survey

BIRMINGHAM MAGAZINE CONDUCTED ITS SIXTH-ANNUAL peer-reviewed survey this winter, asking more than 4,000 local attorneys registered with the Birmingham Bar Association for their nominations for the area's top lawyers in 35 practice areas.

Birmingham magazine staff members and the Birmingham Bar Association reviewed the results to vet both the voters and the

winners. The attorneys listed represent the top five in each category, except in cases of ties, when more are listed.

Attorneys are listed with the firms they were affiliated with at the time of the survey.

We have made every effort to ensure the accuracy and relevancy of these results, and we congratulate the winners.

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