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| **NOMINATION FORM**  **LITIGATION SECTION’S**  **OUTSTANDING YOUNG LAWYER AWARD**  Return Form to [scardona@rpsalaw.com](mailto:scardona@rpsalaw.com?subject=2025-26%20Young%20Litigator%20Nomination) by **March 6, 2026**. | | |
| **TO:** | Awards Committee, Council, Litigation Section | |
| **FROM:** | *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  *Nominator’s name.* | |
|  | *Please complete.*  **FIRM/COMPANY/**  **COURT:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** |  |
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**NOMINEE QUALIFICATIONS**

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| **NOMINEE NAME:** | *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* | |
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| **DATE ADMITTED TO PRACTICE** (12 years or less to qualify): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |  |
| **DATE ADMITTED TO STATE BAR OF TEXAS** (Must be a member to qualify)”\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |  |
| **IN GOOD STANDING?** (Required to qualify)**?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |  |
| **ON A BALLOT IN A CONTESTED RACE FOR ELECTED OFFICE IN 2025?** (Current candidates not qualified) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Yes or No) | | *.* |
| **CURRENT COUNCIL MEMBER OF LITIGATION SECTION OF SBOT?** (Current Council members not qualified) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Yes or No) | |  |

**NOMINEE BACKGROUND**

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| 1. **EXPLAIN HOW THE NOMINEE HAS DEMONSTRATED COMMITMENT TO EQUAL JUSTICE UNDER LAW.** |
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| 1. **PROVIDE EXAMPLES OF HOW THE NOMINEE HAS PROMOTED THE RULE OF LAW.** |
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| 1. **PROVIDE EXAMPLES OF THE NOMINEE’S PROFESSIONALISM.** |
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| 1. **PROVIDE EXAMPLES OF THE NOMINEE’S COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTIONS AS A RESULT OF LEGAL REPRESENTATION, SERVICE TO A COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION, OR SERVICE TO THE STATE BAR.** |
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