



BENCHERS OF THE THE LAW SOCIETY OF ALBERTA

The following Members have served as Benchers of the Law Society for the periods indicated:

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O. M. Biggar, KC (deceased).....	1907-1918	H. S. Patterson, KC (deceased).....	1934-1937
J.C.F. Bown, KC, D.C.L. (deceased)	1907-1933	1940-1949
C.F.P. Conybeare, KC, D.C.L. (deceased)		G. H. Steer, KC LL.D. (deceased).....	1934-1945
.....	1907-1927	L. Y. Cairns, KC, LL.D. (deceased).....	1936-1951
G. W. Greene (deceased).....	1907-1915	S. W. Field, KC, LL.D. (deceased)...	1936-1947
Sir James A. Lougheed, KC, KCM.G. (deceased)		S. H. McCuaig, KC, LL.D.(deceased)	1936-1953
.....	1907-1910	G. B. O'Connor, KC (deceased).....	1936-1939
.....	1913-1916	M. M. Porter, KC (deceased).....	1936-1937
E. P. McNeill, KC (deceased).....	1907-1913	S. J. Shepherd, KC (deceased).....	1936
James Muir, KC, LL.D. (deceased).....	1907-1926	A. A. Ballachey, KC (deceased).....	1938-1939
H. C. Taylor (deceased).....	1907	C.C. McLaurin, KC, LL.D.(deceased).....	1938-1942
W. L. Walsh, KC (deceased).....	1907-1912	W. H. Odell, KC (deceased).....	1940-1951
D.G. White (deceased).....	1907-1913	J. N. Ritchie, KC(deceased).....	1940-1947
The Right Honourable Viscount Bennett,		W. G. Egbert, KC (deceased).....	1941-1950
P.C., KC, LL.D. D.C.L. (deceased)	1910-1925	H. S. Hurlburt, KC(deceased).....	1943-1955
W. A. Begg, QKC (deceased)	1913-1945	L. H. Fenerty, KC (deceased).....	1944-1949
A. H. Clarke, KC (deceased).....	1913-1921	E. J. Chambers, KC (deceased).....	1946-1955
A. F. Ewing, KC (deceased).....	1913-1919	S. B. Smith, KC, LL.D. (deceased).....	1946-1957
J. L. Fawcett, KC (deceased).....	1913	G. W. Auxier, KC (deceased).....	1948-1951
Frank Ford, KC, D.C.L. (deceased)	1913-1926	R. Martland, KC (deceased).....	1948-1957
W. M. Campbell, KC (deceased).....	1916-1919	J.V.H. Milvain, KC (deceased)	1948-1959
C. C. McCaul, KC (deceased).....	1916-1919	G.E.A. Rice, KC (deceased).....	1948-1951
L. M. Johnstone, KC (deceased)	1919-1925	J. T. Costigan, KC (deceased)	1950-1953
.....	1928-1935	.....	1955-1956
W. J. Loggie, KC (deceased)	1919-1935	P. E. Graham, KC (deceased).....	1950-1951
H. H. Parlee, KC (deceased).....	1919-1935	C. W. Niblock, KC (deceased).....	1950-1951
W. E. Payne, KC (deceased)	1919-1942	.....	1954-1955
G. H. Ross, KC (deceased).....	1919-1933	G. H. Allen, QC (deceased).....	1952-1961
W. B. Scott, KC, LL.D. (deceased)	1922-1927	N. V. Buchanan, QC(deceased).....	1952
A. A. McGillivray, KC (deceased).....	1923-1925	R. R. Davidson, QC (deceased).....	1952-1955
C. F. Adams, KC (deceased)	1925-1929	S. J. Helman, QC (deceased)	1952-1957
J.E.A. Macleod, KC (deceased).....	1925-1947	.....	1960-1967
H. R. Milner, KC (deceased)	1925-1935	R. W. Manley, QC (deceased)	1952-1955
A. M. Sinclair, KC (deceased).....	1925-1939	J. S. Mavor, QC (deceased).....	1951-1953
A. L. Smith, KC (deceased).....	1925-1931	J. S. McCormick, QC (deceased).....	1952-1953
S. B. Woods, KC (deceased)	1928-1935	.....	1960-1961
L. W. Brockington, KC (deceased).....	1930-1931	E. B. Wilson, QC (deceased)	1952
J. D. Matheson, KC (deceased).....	1932-1934	L. D. Hyndman, QC(deceased).....	1954-1963
G. A. Walker, KC (deceased).....	1932-1934	E.W.S. Kane, QC (deceased)	1954-1961
V. R. Baldwin, KC (deceased).....	1934-1947	H. W. Riley, QC (deceased).....	1954-1956
W. S. Gray, KC (deceased).....	1934-1943	G. W. Baldwin, QC(deceased).....	1956-1958

H. T. Emery, QC (deceased).....	1956-1966	.....	1975-1978
J. C. Mahaffey, QC.....	1956-1957	W. E. Code, QC (deceased).....	1974-1982
J. H. Prowse, QC (deceased).....	1956-1959	J. J. Kryczka, QC (deceased).....	1974-1980
J. J. Saucier, QC(deceased).....	1956-1965	A. Andrekson, QC (deceased).....	1976-1983
A. F. Moir, QC(deceased).....	1957-1972	J. K. Holmes, QC.....	1976 ¹
G. J. Bryan, QC (deceased).....	1958-1967	V. P. Moshansky, QC.....	1976 ²
C. W. Clement, QC (deceased).....	1958-1969	D. O. Sabey, QC.....	1976-1982
H. J. MacDonald, QC (deceased).....	1958-1968	J. J. Stratton, QC (deceased).....	1976-1980
W. A. McGillivray, QC(deceased).....	1958-1969	G. C. Field, Esq.(deceased).....	1976-1978
A. D. Bessemer, QC (deceased).....	1960-1969	J. W. Freeland, QC(deceased).....	1976-1980
B. V. Massie, QC(deceased).....	1960-1969	C. D. Evans, QC.....	1978-1983
D. P. McLaws, QC (deceased).....	1961-1972	.....	1988-1990
W. E. Huckvale, QC (deceased).....	1962-1966	J. N. Agrios, QC.....	1978-1982
R. A. MacKimmie, QC(deceased).....	1962-1969	R. P. Fraser, QC (deceased).....	1978-1987
E.A.D. McCuaig, QC (deceased).....	1962-1973	Ms. W. Kempo, QC.....	1978-1982 ³
W. G. Morrow, QC, (deceased).....	1962-1964	E. A. Hutchinson, QC.....	1978-1983 ⁴
E. F. Murphy, QC (deceased).....	1962-1969	F. R. MacNaughton, QC (deceased).....	1978-1980
H. G. Field, QC (deceased).....	1964-1975	C. G. Virtue, QC (deceased).....	1978-1985
G. M. Peacock, QC(deceased).....	1964-1966	J. V. Decore, QC (deceased).....	1980-1988
W. P. Davidson, QC(deceased).....	1966-1967	Thomas Jackson, QC deceased).....	1980-1986
.....	1968-1969	H. F. Landerkin, QC.....	1980-1986 ⁵
D. D. Duncan, QC (deceased).....	1966-1969	E. A. Marshall, QC.....	1980-1983
J. G. Kidd, QC (deceased).....	1966-1968	Tom Mayson, QC (deceased).....	1980-1988
M. E. Jones, QC (deceased).....	1966-1967	Leonard J. Pollock, QC (deceased).....	1980-1990
W. H. Hurlburt, QC (deceased).....	1966-1976	Robert H.G. Scammell, QC (deceased).....	1980-1990
R. A. Cawsey, QC (deceased).....	1968-1973	M. J. Sychuk, QC.....	1980-resigned
M. W. Howey, QC (deceased).....	1968-1972	.....	Nov 13, 1985
C. M. Leitch, QC (deceased).....	1968-1972	D. R. Haigh, QC.....	1980-1983
M. E. Shannon, QC (deceased).....	1968-1973	W. J. Girgulis, QC.....	1980-1981 ⁶
J. C. Cavanagh, QC(deceased).....	1970-1973	W. Donald Goodfellow, QC.....	1980-1990
W.G.N. Egbert, QC (deceased).....	1970-1972	Ms. Phyllis A.L. Smith, QC.....	1981-1992
.....	1974-1976	Donald G. Bishop, QC.....	1982-1990
.....	1976-1979	Alan D. Hunter, QC (deceased).....	1982-1989
R.L.D. Fenerty, QC (deceased).....	1970-1978	Clifton D. O'Brien, QC.....	1982-1986
A. M. Harradence, QC (deceased).....	1970-1978	.....	1988-1990 ⁷
J. H. Laycraft, QC(deceased).....	1970-1975	A. T. Murray, QC.....	1982-1986 ⁸
H. S. Prowse, QC (deceased).....	1970-1972	Ian B. Kay, QC.....	1984-1988
G.A.C. Steer, QC (deceased).....	1970-1974	A. Webster Macdonald Jr., QC.....	1984-1992
S. H. Wood, QC.....	1970-1978	Terrence F. McMahan, QC.....	1984-1991
J. W. Beames, QC.(deceased).....	1972-1980	M G. Stevens-Guille, QC.....	1984-1988 ⁹
R. S. Dinkel, QC (deceased).....	1972-1980	William E. Wilson, QC.....	1984-1990 ¹⁰
R. A. Dixon, QC.....	1972-1980	Vernon C. Morrison (Lay Bencher) (deceased)	.....
O. W. Gauk, QC.....	1972-1976	.....	1984-1992
J. M. Pritchard, QC (deceased).....	1972-1978	A. (Tony) V. Thibaudeau (Lay Bencher) (deceased)	.....
J. E. Redmond, QC.....	1972-1980	.....	1984-1992
L. W. Gardiner, QC (deceased).....	1973-1980	John G. Martland, QC.....	1986-1993
C. A. Kosowan, QC (deceased).....	1973-1976	Edward H. Molstad, QC.....	1986-1994
T. J. Walsh, QC (deceased).....	1973	R. Philip. North, .QC.....	1986-1992

¹ Appointed to the Bench April 1976

² Appointed to the Bench May 1976

³ Appointed to the Bench January 1984

⁴ Appointed to the Bench June 1999

⁵ Appointed to the Bench January 1988

⁶ Appointed to the Bench June 1981

⁷ Appointed to the Bencher May 2005 and returned to private practice in December 2014

⁸ Appointed to the Bench October 1987

⁹ Appointed to the Bench April 1995

¹⁰ Appointed to the Bench March 1991

Peter J. Royal, QC	1986-1995	Ms. Lori G. Andreachuk, QC	1996-1998
William S. Sowa, QC (deceased).....	1986-1992	Anthony (Tony) L. Friend, QC	1996-2002
R. Bryan Waller, QC.....	1986-1991 ¹¹	Alain Hepner, QC	1996-2002
Gerard (Ged) C. Hawco, QC.....	1988-1995 ¹²	Geoffrey Ho, QC.....	1996-1998 ²⁶
Peter W. L. Martin, QC.....	1988-1996 ¹³	Bryan E. Mahoney, QC	1996-2001 ²⁷
B. A. R. (Quincy) Smith, QC.....	1988-1994	Kenneth G. Nielsen, QC.....	1996-2003 ²⁸
Adam W. Germain, QC	1988-1994 ¹⁴	Ms. Patricia A. Rowbotham, QC.....	1996-1999 ²⁹
Ms. P. Lawrie J. Smith, QC.....	1989-1991 ¹⁵	Douglas A. Sirrs, QC (deceased).....	1996-1998
Ms. Myra B. Bielby, QC.....	1990 ¹⁶	Lawrence (Larry) G. Anderson, QC	1998-2005 ³⁰
Ms. D. Christine. Davies, QC	1990-1996	Ms. Cheryl C. Gottselig, QC.....	1998-2004
Alan D. Fielding, QC	1990-1996	Simon Renouf, QC	1998-2002
Francis. C. R. Price, QC.....	1990-1994	Ms. Rhonda K. Ruston, QC.....	1998-2004
Ms. Barbara E. C. Romaine, QC.....	1990-1997 ¹⁷	W.Paul Sharek, QC	1998-2004
Neil C. Wittmann, QC.....	1990-1997 ¹⁸	Hugh D. Sommerville, QC	1998-2002
Ms. Colleen. L. Kenny, QC.....	1991-1995 ¹⁹	.....	2006- 2009
Hugh A. McQueen, QC	1991-1992	.....	2015-2018
Ms. Charlotte A. Robb (Lay Bencher) .	1991-1995	Jack Watson, QC	1998-2000 ³¹
Keith C. Rolfe, C.A.(Lay Bencher)	1992-1998	Ms. Janet Andersen (Lay Bencher).....	1998-2000
Ms. J. E. Webster (Lay Bencher)	1992-1998	Morris Taylor (Lay Bencher) (deceased).	1998-2007
Ms. Beverley. Britton Clarke, QC	1992-1996	Wilf Willier (Lay Bencher)	1998-2007
Ms.Louise C. Fontaine, QC.....	1992-1996	Douglas A. McGillivray, QC.....	1999-2006
Stephen D. Hillier, QC.....	1992-1996	Ms. Mona T. Duckett, QC.....	2000-2007
.....	1997 ²⁰	Charles D. Gardner, QC.....	2000-2006 ³²
Phillip G. Lister, QC.....	1992-1998	Ms. Jean M. McBean, QC (deceased)	2000-2002
Ms. Virginia M. May, QC	1992-2000	Ms. Juliana E. Topolniski, QC	2000-2003 ³³
Richard A. Stoppel, QC.....	1992-1993	Ms. Yvonne A. Stanford (Lay Bencher)...	2000-2009
.....	1994-1996	J. James S. Peacock, QC	2001-2008
J. Philip Warner, QC	1992-1994	Tudor Beattie, QC	2002-2006
Roderick J. McLeod, QC	1993-1994	Ms. Tracy C. Brennan, QC	2002-2004
John D. Bascom, QC	1994-2002 ²¹	John D. Holmes, QC	2002-2006 ³⁴
Terrance D. Clackson, QC	1994-1999 ²²	Perry Mack, QC.....	2002-2009
Peter T. Costigan, QC.....	1994 ²³	Vaughn Myers, QC.....	2002-2007 ³⁵
Gordon W. Flynn, QC.....	1994-1999	Bradley G. Nemetz, QC.....	2002-2009
Alan D. Macleod, QC	1994-2001 ²⁴	E. Brian Peterson, QC (deceased).....	2002-2006
Norman F. Wm. Picard, QC	1994-1998	John D. Phillips, QC (deceased)	2002-2004
.....	2000-2002	June Ross, QC	2002-2003 ³⁶
Ms. M. Francine Swanson, QC	1994-2000	Norma Sieppert (Lay Bencher).....	2002-2010
Eric F. Macklin, QC	1995-2002 ²⁵	Dale Spackman, QC.....	2003-2004
Everett L. Bunnell, QC	1995-2000	.....	2005-2012
.....	2000-2004	Vivian Stevenson, QC	2003-2009
Reginald H. Pridham (Lay Bencher)	1995-1998	Judy Boyes, QC	2004 -2006

¹¹ Appointed to the Bench July 1991

¹² Appointed to the Bench June 1996

¹³ Appointed to the Bench June 1998

¹⁴ Appointed to the Bench November 2003

¹⁵ Appointed to the Bench November 1991

¹⁶ Appointed to Bench December 1990

¹⁷ Appointed to Bench August 1997

¹⁸ Appointed to Bench June 1999

¹⁹ Appointed to Bench April 1995

²⁰ Appointed to the Bench April 2003

²¹ Appointed to the Bench October 2006

²² Appointed to Bench January 2000

²³ Appointed to Bench December 1994

²⁴ Appointed to the Bench November 2005

²⁵ Appointed to the Bench April 2002

²⁶ Appointed to the Bench November 2003

²⁷ Appointed to Bench November 2001

²⁸ Appointed to the Bench April 2007

²⁹ Appointed to Bench June 1999

³⁰ Appointed to the Bench October 2006

³¹ Appointed to the Bench July 2000

³² Appointed to the Bench April 2010

³³ Appointed to Bench April 2003

³⁴ Appointed to the Bench December 2007

³⁵ Appointed to Bench June 2007

³⁶ Appointed to Bench November 2003

Ron Everard, QC.....	2004-2012	.....	2017-2018
Rodney Jerke, QC.....	2004-2011 ³⁷	Gillian D. Marriott, QC	2012-2016 ⁵⁴
Douglas Mah, QC.....	2004-2012 ³⁸	Anne L. Kirker, QC	2012-2017 ⁵⁵
Larry McConnell, QC.....	2004-2006	Kathleen A. Ryan, QC	2012-2021
.....	2008-2009	Derek Van Tassell, QC.....	2012-2015
Peter Michalyszyn, QC	2004-2010 ³⁹	Calvin D. Johnson, QC.....	2013-current
John T. Prowse, QC.....	2004-2008 ⁴⁰	Glen Buick (Lay Bencher)	2013-2018
Stephen Raby, QC	2004-2013	Robert Dunster (Lay Bencher)	2013-2018
Brian Beresh, QC	2006-2009	Walter Pavlic, QC	2013-2015
Michelle Crighton, QC	2006-2007 ⁴¹	.....	2016-2021
John Higgerty, QC.....	2006-2011 ⁴²	Darlene L. Windwick Scott, QC.....	2014-2022
Shirley Jackson, QC.....	2006-2009	Robert W. Armstrong, QC.....	2015-2020
Carsten Jensen, QC.....	2006-2014	Arman M. Chak	2015-2021
Julia Turnbull, QC	2006-2009	Sandra L. Corbett, QC.....	2015-2018 ⁵⁶
Dr. Larry Ohlhauser (Lay Bencher).....	2007-2013	Donald R Cranston, QC	2015-2019
Wayne Jacques (Lay Bencher).....	2007-2013	Julie C. Lloyd, QC	2015-2016 ⁵⁷
Donna Valgardson, QC	2007-2008 ⁴³	Kent J. Teskey, QC	2015-2021
Neena Ahluwalia, QC.....	2007-2015	Louise Wasylenko (Lay Bencher)	2015-current
J. Royal Nickerson, QC.....	2007-2012	Joshua B. Hawkes, QC	2016-2017 ⁵⁸
Shirish Chotalia, QC.....	2008-2009	Margaret Unsworth, QC	2016-current
Rose M. Carter, QC	2009-2015	Corinne S. Petersen, QC.....	2017-2018
James T. Eamon, QC.....	2009-2016 ⁴⁴	.....	2019-2021
Fred Fenwick, QC	2009-2018	Ryan Anderson, QC	2018-current
Kevin Feth, QC.....	2009-2015 ⁴⁵	Corie L. Flett, QC	2018-current
James A. Glass, QC.....	2009-2014 ⁴⁶	Karen E. Hewitt, QC	2018-2018 ⁵⁹
John T. Henderson, QC	2009 ^{47 48}	Linda L. Long, QC	2018-2021
Sarah J. King-D'Souza, QC	2009-2018	James M. Lutz, QC.....	2018-current
Frederica Schutz, QC.....	2009-2013 ⁴⁹	Buddy G. Melnyk, QC.....	2018-current
Scott A. Watson, QC	2009-2012	Stacy D. Petriuk, QC	2018-current
Anthony G. Young, QC	2009-2018	Robert A. Philp, QC.....	2018-2021
Dr. Miriam Carey (Lay Bencher)	2009-2015	Nathan J. Whitling, QC.....	2018-2020 ⁶⁰
Larry A. Ackerl, QC	2009-2014 ⁵⁰	William H. Hendsbee, QC	2018-current
Harry Van Harten	2010 ⁵¹	Deanna Steblyk, QC.....	2018-current
Amal Umar (Lay Bencher).....	2010-2018	Kenneth Warren, QC.....	2018-current
Dennis Edney, QC	2011-2018	Elizabeth Hak (Lay Bencher)	2018-2021
Adam O. Letourneau, QC	2011-2012	Barbara McKinley (Lay Bencher)	2018-current
.....	2015-2018	Cora Voyageur (Lay Bencher)	2018-2021
K. Donald C. Scott, QC	2011-2012 ⁵²	Lubos K. Pesta, QC.....	2020-2021
W. E. Brett Code, QC.....	2012-2018	Sony Ahluwalia	2021-current
Nancy F. Dilts, QC	2012-2018 ⁵³	Luigi A. Cusano, QC.....	2021-current
Robert G. Harvie, QC.....	2012-2015	Edward R. Feehan	2021-current

³⁷ Appointed to the Bench April 2011

³⁸ Appointed to the Bench June 2016

³⁹ Appointed to the Bench March 2011

⁴⁰ Appointed to Bench June 2008

⁴¹ Appointed to Bench April 2007

⁴² Appointed to the Bench May 2011

⁴³ Appointed to Bench February 2008

⁴⁴ Appointed to the Bench October 2016

⁴⁵ Appointed to Court of Queen's Bench May 2019

⁴⁶ Appointed to Bench May 2014

⁴⁷ Appointed to Provincial Court March 2009

⁴⁸ Appointed to Court of Queen's Bench June 2016

⁴⁹ Appointed to Bench 2013

⁵⁰ Appointed to Bench June 2014

⁵¹ Appointed to Bench December 2010

⁵² Elected to Alberta Legislature April 2012 and returned to private practice May 2015

⁵³ Appointed to AB Court of Queen's Bench May 2018

⁵⁴ Appointed to the Bench June 2016

⁵⁵ Appointed to AB Court of Queen's Bench May 2018

⁵⁶ Appointed to AB Court of Queen's Bench July 2018

⁵⁷ Appointed to the Bench December 2016

⁵⁸ Appointed to the Bencher May 2017

⁵⁹ Appointed to AB Court of Queen's Bench July 2018

⁶⁰ Appointed to AB Court of Queen's Bench Mar. 2020

Kenechukwu Ilochonwu 2021-current
Sandra Mah..... 2021-2021⁶¹
Sandra L. Petersson 2021-current
Maira R. Váně 2021-current
L. Grant Vogeli, QC 2021-current
Salimah N. Walji-Shivji 2021-current
Sanjiv Parmar..... 2021-current
Ronald Sorokin..... 2022-current

⁶¹ Appointed to the Provincial Court August 2021