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The Donald G.H. Bowman National Tax Moot

The Donald G.H. Bowman National Tax Moot is Canada's first competitive moot on taxation. The Moot is named after the Honourable Donald G.H. Bowman, former Chief Justice of the Tax Court of Canada. The fourth annual Bowman Moot will be held in Toronto on February 28 and March 1, 2014.

The Donald G.H. Bowman Moot was founded by Dr. Emir Crowne, Associate Professor, and Professor John P. Weir, both of the University of Windsor Law School, and the partnership of Dentons Canada LLP. It is administered by a committee of jurists, practitioners, academics and students.

About Donald G.H. Bowman

As former Chief Justice of the Tax Court of Canada, the Honourable Donald G.H. Bowman has extensive experience in resolving tax disputes. He is Counsel to Dentons' National Tax Group and shares his expertise with members of the group as a mentor and adviser. Based in the firm's Toronto office, Mr. Bowman works to enhance Dentons' ability to reach early resolution of tax and related disputes for our clients. His practice at Dentons consists of giving advice on tax matters to clients, lawyers in the firm throughout Canada and to lawyers in other firms.

Mr. Bowman has spent his entire legal career as a tax litigator. He joined the Federal Department of Justice – Tax Litigation Section soon after his call to the Ontario Bar and was appointed director in 1968. He joined the law firm of Stikeman, Elliott, Roberts & Bowman in 1971 and was a partner there until his appointment to the Tax Court of Canada. He was appointed Judge of the Tax Court of Canada in 1991 and Associate Chief Judge in February 2000. He was appointed Associate Chief Justice in July 2003 and Chief Justice in February 2005.

For more information, please visit www.bowmantaxmoot.com

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Awards reception events

5:30–6:30 p.m. **Cocktail reception**

6:30–8 p.m. **Dinner**

8–9 p.m.

Awards ceremony

[Master of Ceremonies](#)

Professor John P. Weir, University of Windsor

[Award for Best Factum](#)

The Honourable Justice David Stratas

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The Honourable Chief Justice Gerald Rip

[Award for Best Team](#)

The Honourable Donald G.H. Bowman

9 p.m.

After-dinner reception

Trinity Ballroom

Marriott Toronto Eaton Centre Hotel

525 Bay Street

Toronto, Ontario

Menu

[Appetizer](#)

Soup (vegan/dairy free)

[Main](#)

Mushroom & spinach stuffed breast of chicken, creamy thyme-truffle sauce, sweet potato pave with chef's seasonal market vegetables

[Vegetarian](#)

Truffled mushroom risotto

[Dessert](#)

Chocolate truffle cake with chocolate sauce

[Wine](#)

Jackson Triggs (chardonnay)

Jackson Triggs (merlot)

The Bowman Moot Committee

Founding/Executive committee of the Bowman Moot

The Honourable Donald G.H. Bowman, former Chief Justice of the Tax Court of Canada

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The Bowman Moot panelists

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The Honourable Wyman Webb, Federal Court of Appeal

The Honourable Gerald Rip, Chief Justice of the Tax Court of Canada

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The Bowman Moot panelists (cont'd)

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Moot participants

Ottawa (Civil), 1A: Zeina El-Khoury, Lila Amara | **1R:** Jennifer Katsaros, Dominic Bouchard

Alberta, 2A: Jason Pisesky, Stephen Dam | **2R:** Faiz-Ali Virji, Lindsay Burgess

Osgoode, 3A: Denisa Mertiri, Lou Chang | **3R:** Jessica-Ann Buchta, Jesse Phipps-Williams
Osgoode, Alternate: Nathaniel Hills

Toronto, 4A: Kyle Gerow, Sheena Lessard | **4R:** Jonathan Barrentine, Chad Pilkington

British Columbia, 5A: Zhuo Chen, Jeffrey MacDonald | **5R:** Kayla Strong, Patrick Walker
British Columbia, Alternate: Trevor Simpson

Calgary, 6A: Perry Kiefer, Rob Levis | **6R:** Rob Woodward, Lori MacKay

Western, 7A: Michele Qu, Samantha Wolfish | **7R:** Richard Zsolt, Rahul Gandotra
Western, Alternate: Chris Marta

Queen's, 8A: Kit Skillicorn, Matt Jagodits | **8R:** Kari-Anne Layng, Carl Petersen-Deeprise
Queen's, Alternate: Craig Zeeh

Dalhousie, 9A: Andrew Nicol, Dave Dhillon | **9R:** Dante Manna, Neil McPhee

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