

PETER W. KRYWORUK

Commercial Litigation

PARTNER

"Commercial disputes are often described as just business but it is hard not to take things personally. Some commercial disputes require determination by a court, but many can be resolved with creative solutions that allow the parties to get back to doing business."

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PERSONAL HISTORY

- ◆ Partner, Lerners LLP (1989 to present)
- ◆ Practice Group Leader, Lerners Health Law Group (2003 to present)
- ◆ Associate lawyer, Lerners LLP (1984-1988)

AREAS OF FOCUS

- ◆ Commercial litigation
- ◆ Oppression Remedies and Shareholder Disputes
- ◆ Professional Liability
- ◆ Occupational Health and Safety defence
- ◆ Construction litigation
- ◆ Commercial Insurance

ACHIEVEMENTS

- ◆ Certified as a Specialist in Civil Litigation by the Law Society of Upper Canada
- ◆ Fellow, American College of Trial Lawyers (2008)

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- ◆ Ranked in Chambers Canada for Healthcare Law (2019)
- ◆ Recognized in the Lexpert/Report on Business Special Edition: Canada's Leading Litigation Lawyers (2018)
- ◆ Lawyer of the Year Health Care Law London/Windsor, Best Lawyers in Canada, for 2016 and 2019
- ◆ Lawyer of the Year Class Action Litigation London/Windsor, Best Lawyers in Canada, for 2018
- ◆ Lawyer of the Year Product Liability Law London/Windsor, Best Lawyers in Canada, for 2017
- ◆ Lawyer of the Year Legal Malpractice Law London/Windsor, Best Lawyers in Canada, for 2014
- ◆ Lawyer of the Year Personal Injury Litigation London/Windsor, Best Lawyers in Canada, for 2009 and 2013
- ◆ Recognized as a Legal Leader in Canada by American Lawyer Media and Martindale-Hubbell (2013-2014; 2016-2017)
- ◆ Selected by his peers to be included in The Best Lawyers in Canada since 2006
- ◆ Recognized and recommended by Lexpert as a leading lawyer in the areas of Medical Negligence, Personal Injury, Product Liability, Professional Liability, Corporate Commercial Litigation and Commercial Insurance
- ◆ Selected as a Leading US/Canada Cross-Border Litigation Lawyer by Lexpert in the areas of product liability and corporate commercial litigation since 2012
- ◆ AV Preeminent Rated Attorney by Martindale-Hubbell representing the highest peer review rating in Legal Ability and Ethical Standards

PRESENTATIONS/PUBLICATIONS

- ◆ Past Adjunct Professor at the Faculty of Law, University of Western Ontario in civil procedure
- ◆ Contributing Editor of Remedies in Tort, Carswell
- ◆ Lecturer in medical negligence and class actions at Western University Faculty of Law
- ◆ Past Contributing Editor, Professional Liability and Discipline Litigation Journal, Federated Press
- ◆ Author, lecturer and presenter on various legal topics including: civil procedure, trial advocacy, law of damages, health law, tort law, personal injury and insurance law, construction law and occupational health and safety

MEMBERSHIPS

- ◆ The Advocates' Society
- ◆ Canadian Bar Association
- ◆ Ontario Bar Association
- ◆ Middlesex Law Association
- ◆ Member, The Holland Access to Justice in Medical Malpractice Group (The Holland Group)
- ◆ Past Member, Advisory Committee, Federal Judicial Appointments for Ontario (Law Society, of Upper Canada representative)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- ◆ Member, Board of Directors, The Advocates' Society
- ◆ Chair, Standing Committee on Collegiality, Mentoring & Membership (CMM), The Advocates' Society

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- ◆ Past Member, Board of Directors, Fanshawe College Foundation
- ◆ Past Member, Board of Directors, The Canadian Medical Hall of Fame
- ◆ Past Chair, Board of Directors, London Health Sciences Foundation
- ◆ Past Member, Board of Directors, London Health Sciences Foundation
- ◆ Past Member, Board of Directors, London Health Sciences Centre
- ◆ Past Member, Board of Directors, London Community Foundation
- ◆ Past Member, Investment Committee, London Community Foundation
- ◆ Past Chair, Vital Signs Steering Committee, London Community Foundation
- ◆ Member of Ambassadors Club, London Health Sciences Foundation
- ◆ Past President and Board Member, London Ukrainian Centre
- ◆ Past Chair, Victoria Hospital Country Classic Auction
- ◆ Past Chair and Founding Member, Tastings, an event in support of the London Health Sciences Centre
- ◆ Past Vice Chair, Fanshawe College Capital Campaign
- ◆ Past Member, Fanshawe College Investment Committee

EDUCATION

- ◆ Admitted to Ontario Bar (1984)
- ◆ Bachelor of Laws, University of Windsor (1982)

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