

ANNOUNCEMENT

Case Competition for the Simon Fish Ethics Case Award

The Canadian Centre for Ethics and Corporate Policy is pleased to announce a Case Competition to honour Mr. Simon Fish, Executive Vice-President and General Counsel, BMO Financial Group, and recipient of the 2013 General Counsel of the Year award.



FROM LEFT: Peter Griffin, Managing Partner of the law firm Lenczner Slaght Royce Smith Griffin LLP, Simon Fish, Executive Vice-President and General Counsel of BMO Financial Group and a member of the board of the Ethics Centre, and Hentie Dirker, Regional Compliance Officer, Siemens and chair of the board of the Ethics Centre.

This competition is generously funded by the law firm Lenczner Slaght Royce Smith Griffin LLP who presented a cheque in the amount of \$5,000 to the Ethics Centre in honour of Simon having been named 2013 General Counsel of the Year at the Canadian General Counsel Awards.

A \$3,000 PRIZE FOR THE WINNING CASE

The author of the winning Case will be awarded a prize of \$3,000.

Prizes for second and third place may also be awarded at the discretion of the Centre, with awards of between \$500 and \$1,000.

Winning Cases will be selected by a committee of the Ethics Centre. They will be made available on the Ethics Centre website with the Teaching Note available only upon request by instructors.

CRITERIA FOR SUBMISSIONS

The Centre seeks submissions of Cases with Teaching Note appropriate for use in Canadian undergraduate or graduate business classes.

The Case should primarily focus on ethical issues within a business law context.

The Case should be of suitable length, content and complexity for at least one full class. The Teaching Note should be sufficient to address the needs of the instructor and include reference to additional materials where appropriate. It should be assumed that instructors may require full explanations about both legal and ethical principles.

Authors should indicate whether the Case has been tested in a classroom setting.

The Case must be original and may not have been submitted for publication elsewhere.

The winning Case(s) will be given priority for publication by the Journal of Legal Studies Education with final acceptance decisions being made by the Editor of that journal.

Authors may use an appropriate academic style for a Canadian business or legal academic publication. Should the Case and Teaching Note be eligible for consideration for publication by the Journal of Legal Studies Education, authors will be required to comply with U.S. law review styles (Blue Book). There is potential for assistance with this from the Centre.

SUBMISSION FORMAT AND DEADLINE

Cases and Teaching Notes must be submitted in PDF format by email to Lois Marsh at lmarsh@ethicscentre.ca. Confirmation will be by return email from the Centre and unless that is received, authors should not assume the Case has been received.

Submissions must be received by midnight May 31, 2014.

ABOUT THE ETHICS CENTRE

The Ethics Centre is a registered charity governed by volunteers and supported by organizations and individuals who share a commitment to ethical values.

Founded in 1988, it is a uniquely Canadian, independent ethics centre. The Centre is dedicated to promoting and maintaining an ethical orientation and culture in Canadian organizations. Our mission is to champion the application of ethical values in the decision-making process of business and other organizations. We operate in a non-judgmental and inclusive way to explore and promote the positive role of ethical decision making. We serve as a forum and catalyst for constructive discussion and debate. 