



Mr. John Rogers

John Rogers, Q.C., ICD.D, is a partner and former Chief Executive Officer of Stewart McKelvey, Atlantic Canada's first and largest regional law firm.

John has attended Acadia University, receiving his Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in 1979 and then undertook Graduate Studies at Queen's University. He received his law degree from Dalhousie University in 1983, his Queen's Counsel in 2002 and ICD.D designation in 2016.

John has practised in the area of commercial and insurance litigation for over 20 years. John has, for many years, taught, lectured and presented programs in insurance and evidence law, and taught civil trial practice at Dalhousie Law School. John has been a speaker and panellist at numerous law related conferences and has authored numerous litigation-related papers. He is also a very active member of both the Nova Scotia Barristers' Society and Canadian Bar Association having served on many committees.

John is actively involved in his community. He is currently serving as director of the Nova Scotia Health Authority; secretary and member of the Board of Governors of Acadia University; chair and director of United Way Halifax; director of Junior Achievement of Canada Foundation; and trustee of Legal Leaders for Diversity Trust Fund. John has also served as chair and director of IWK Health Centre; chair and director of Halifax Chamber of Commerce; campaign co-chair of United Way Halifax; division chair Marketing and Sponsorship and director of 2011 Halifax Canada Winter Games Host Society; member of Advisory Panel to Nova Scotia Minister of Health and Wellness on District Health Authority Consolidation; Halifax corporate campaign chair of Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation; and director and secretary of Discovery Centre.

An avid traveller, runner, cyclist and skier, John hopes to qualify to run the Boston Marathon for a third time. He gets refreshed by canoeing the back country of Nova Scotia and some of Canada's greatest white water rivers.