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Hello LGBT Committee Members!

We are now accepting nominations for the 2017 Cheryl Ingram Advocate for Justice Award. Traditionally, the Award has gone to a LGBT non-lawyer or a non-LGBT attorney (to not overlap with GALLOP's annual Michael Greenberg Award, which is awarded annually to a LGBT attorney).

Cheryl A. Ingram served as the Director of Policy Administration for the Philadelphia Bar Association. She also served on the board of Gay and Lesbian Lawyers of Philadelphia (GALLOP), including a term as its Treasurer. Cheryl successfully advocated for GALLOP's evolution into an effective bar association by assisting in the creation of a website, endorsing of bar candidates, and advocating for more visibility and involvement in the greater Philadelphia legal community. She reached out to both the American and the Pennsylvania Bar Associations to be inclusive of the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) community, and encouraged the Philadelphia Bar Association to endorse a number of pro-LGBT resolutions.

Cheryl was a catalyst in the creation of the Committee on the Legal Rights of Lesbians and Gay Men at the Philadelphia Bar Association and was instrumental in the creation of the Advocate for Justice Award, which recognized the important contributions from allies outside the LGBT legal community to the cause of equality for all.

**Please email your nominations to me at [cbeisel@best-lawyers.com](mailto:cbeisel@best-lawyers.com) by November 30, 2016. Nominations should include a short (less than a page) explanation as to why you feel this person is deserving of the Award.** Also, if you wish to be on the Nominating Committee, please let me know.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Best,  
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