

**Committee Descriptions**

* **Awards & Recognitions-** Researches and makes recommendations to the Executive Board for annual awards, award recipients, and member recognitions.
* **CLE-** Plans and presents the Association’s CLE programs for the coming year; expands and enhances the number of CLE offerings of GBA.
* **Community Involvement-**Recommends community service projects to the Association to adopt and runs such projects.
* **Directory-** Promotes the benefits of member participation in the GBA online directory; collects headshots; updates profiles.
* **Elementary School Project-** Arranges a program or project for benefit of students to enhance interest in learning; coordinates the elementary book drive where students are gifted a book at the holidays.
* **Habitat for Humanity-** Raises all funds and provides volunteers to build the GBA’s 9th house.
* **History & Archives-** Conducts interviews with senior members of the Association; preserves GBA history and records.
* **Holiday Party-** Decides on location, plans menus, prizes and entertainment for the annual holiday party.
* **Membership-** Recruits, retains, and engages members; focuses on participation by young lawyers; encourages participation in the online membership directory.
* **Memorials-** Monitors newspaper obituaries and contacts members regarding deceased members; publishes memorials in newsletter; maintains archives.
* **Mentoring-** Plans networking events and activities that pair newly licensed and veteran attorneys.
* **Nominating-** Presents a slate of candidates for new officers and directors for the upcoming year, to be presented to the Executive Committee in March, published in the newsletter, and voted on at the April Joint Annual Meeting.
* **Pro Bono-** Publicizes pro bono opportunities to the membership; recognizes Herb Falk Society inductees; provides Second Chance Project expunction trainings; works with Legal Aid on pro bono projects.
* **Scholarship-** Oversees the annual scholarship and ensures the timely and fair disposition of scholarship fus.