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YLS goes all-in to support foundation

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Practice: Personal-injury lawyer at Corboy & Demetrio.

Project: The Chicago Bar Association Young Lawyers Section's eighth annual Texas Hold'em Tournament.

Why I got involved: The Chicago Bar Association is unparalleled in the legal community. The breadth of the CBA's involvement in the Chicago legal community and the community at large is astonishing.

It provides countless Continuing Legal Education, community service projects and philanthropic and networking opportunities to its members. In sum, being involved in the CBA is the proverbial no-brainer.

Why others should attend: The Texas Hold'em Tournament is the

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most enjoyable legal event of the year. It provides a uniquely relaxed atmosphere for lawyers to socialize and compete for great prizes. Most importantly, the tournament raises money for an outstanding organization, The Chicago Bar Foundation.

When: The event takes place Jan. 31 at the Standard Club, 320 S. Plymouth Court. Check-in is at 5 p.m. There will be a refresher course at 5:15 p.m. and play begins at 6 p.m. The cost is \$185. A buffet dinner and drinks are included in the ticket price.

Who it benefits: The Chicago Bar Foundation aims to ensure that everyone in the Chicago area has equal access to justice, particularly low-income and disadvantaged people.



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Through grants, advocacy and pro-bono work, the CBF takes a systemwide approach to improving access to justice. The work of the foundation is essential to the Chicago legal community.

How to buy tickets: Visit chicagobar.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Texas_Hold_em_Tournament. Space is limited. The tournament is open to members of Chicago's legal community.