



“Forging Ahead into the 21st Century”



**Guest Speaker: Shelvin Louise Hall
General Counsel, Illinois Department of Human
Rights**

**10th Annual Gala Dinner Program
Minneapolis Radisson Metrodome Hotel
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AWARDS

Founders Award

Marvin Anderson

Mr. Anderson is being recognized for his contributions as founder and first president of the Minnesota Minority Lawyers Association. He is currently the Librarian of the Minnesota State Law Library. Mr. Anderson has also worked as a reference librarian for the University of Minnesota Law Library and as an attorney in private practice with the law firm of Gray Plant Mooty Mooty & Bennett. Marvin received his law degree from the University of California, Hastings College of Law. Mr. Anderson has written a variety of legal articles, and is active in several community civic organizations, including the African American Museum and Art Center, the Minnesota Chapter of the Morehouse College Alumni Association, served as president of the Minnesota Association of Law Libraries, and is a member of the St. Paul Planning Commission.

Cultural Heritage Award

Lou Bellamy

Mr. Bellamy is producer and artistic director of the Penumbra Theater in St. Paul. Mr. Bellamy is being recognized for the insightful manner in which he has presented African American culture to the Twin Cities community and to the nation. The Penumbra Theater has premiered many groundbreaking works, including the award-winning Fences, and continues to serve as a national showcase for talented African-Americans.

Community Service Award

**Jarvis Jones, Jerry Blackwell
Fredilyn Sison, Earl Singh**

This award is given to these four young attorneys to recognize the work they did investigating the dispute between Professor Haines and Mitchell Law School. They spearheaded the MMLA sponsored boycott of Mitchell Law School, which ultimately led to a favorable settlement on behalf of Andrew Haines and a renewed commitment by Mitchell Law School to recruit more faculty and students of color.

Judicial Service Award

Judge Salvadore Rosas

Judge Rosas is one of the newest members of the Minnesota Judicial bench. He was appointed to the Ramsey County District Court by Governor Perpich in 1990. Before his appointment to the bench, Judge Rosas was the director of the Neighborhood Justice Center in St. Paul.

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