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## Louisiana Center for Law and Civic Education (LCLCE) ENEWSLETTER

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## Accepting Nominations! Judge Benjamin Jones Judges in the Classroom Award

To honor a member of the judiciary who has contributed greatly to the law-related education of Louisiana youth.



Many judges work tirelessly with school-aged kids to promote an understanding of the judicial system and respect for the law. Please take this opportunity to honor a judge who is deserving of recognition.

Anyone can make a nomination and self nominations are encouraged. **Deadline for submission is December 15, 2020**. Download the single page nomination form <u>here</u>.

Pictured is twenty-first Judicial District Court Judge Brenda Bedsole Ricks, the 2020 recipient of the Judge Benjamin Jones Judges in the Classroom Award. The award presentation was made by LCLCE President Judge Randall L. Bethancourt before the Louisiana State Bar Association's House of Delegates during the LSBA Midyear Meeting in January 2020.

## Nominations Now Being Accepted for President's Award of Excellence for Outstanding Civics Teacher



This annual award honors an outstanding teacher who imparts knowledge and understanding of law and civic education. Recipients are traditionally honored at the Louisiana State Bar Association's MidYear Meeting and are provided with a \$250 stipend for law-related materials for the classroom.

The nomination process is simple. Anyone can make a nomination and repeat nominations are encouraged. **Deadline for submissions is December 15, 2020.** For more details, click <u>here.</u>

Photo: 2020 President's Award recipient Lauren Lebato, a teacher at Alfred M. Barbe High School in Lake Charles, with Louisiana State Bar Association President Robert A. Kutcher. *January* 2020



## Save the Date!

Adult Civics Education and Judges/Lawyers in the Classroom **CLE** at the Louisiana State Bar Association's Annual Meeting in San Destin, FL. Tentatively scheduled for the week of June 6, 2021.



National Council for the Social Studies Virtual Conference: Advancing Social Justice

December 4-6, 2020

Registration Form

**Attorney Job Positions** 



The **Louisiana State Bar Association** has a current listing of job opportunities in the legal field. To view these opportunities click <u>here</u>.



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