



2024 KACDL Awards Luncheon

The Muhammad Ali Center, Louisville, KY | 11:40 am

Frank E Haddad, Jr. Award
Scott T. Wendelsdorf, Louisville, KY

Presented to a criminal defense lawyer in recognition of exceptional professional achievement which has had a profound effect and sustained impact on the protection of the constitutional rights of citizens accused or convicted of a criminal offense.

KACDL Gail Robinson Juvenile Justice Award
Lauren Hunter, DPA Directing Attorney, Glasgow, KY

Presented to a member of the bar in recognition of outstanding contributions to and exceptional achievement in the development of juvenile law and the representation of children in delinquency and transfer proceedings, as well as in matters involving status offenses and detention.

KACDL Fair Administration of Justice Award
Justice Michelle M. Keller, Kentucky Supreme Court

Presented to a member of the judiciary who has served and advanced the interests and cause of justice by fairly applying constitutional principles and impartially presiding in criminal proceedings.

W. Robert Lotz Public Policy Award
Sen. Brandon J. Storm (R) (District 21), London, KY

Presented to a member of the legislative or executive branches of government who has established and/or implemented public policy that protects individual liberties, ensures a fair process, and guarantees reliable results in criminal cases.

Media Award
Taylor Six (Lexington Herald-Leader)

Presented to a reporter or editor who has informed Kentucky citizens about the critical constitutional roles of criminal defense lawyers, public defenders or criminal defense organizations in ensuring the individual liberties guaranteed by our Bill of Rights.

