

## James Travers, K.C.

### Partner

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Bar Admission(s): Prince Edward Island, 1980

Legal Assistant(s): [Kaitlin Noye](#)

*Providing legal services through a professional corporation.*

While the legal process is a complicated one, James simplifies it for his clients. By identifying the obstacles that stand in the way of what they want to accomplish, he develops and implements a solution that solves the problem at the least cost and with the least amount of side effects, while getting it done right the first time.

## Practice Areas

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Banking & Financing

Bankruptcy, Receivership & Insolvency

Commercial Transactions/Agreements

Corporate Formation/Reorganization

Municipal

Real Property

Securities

## Education & Career

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### Education

Dalhousie University, LLB, 1980

Dalhousie University, BComm, 1977

## Activities

Governor General's Caring Canadian Award recipient, 2015  
Director & Secretary-Treasurer, Fathers of Confederation Building Trust, 2006 – 2017  
Director, Confederation Centre of the Arts Foundation, 2010 – present  
Directory, Community Foundation of Prince Edward Island, 2011 – present  
Director, Stars for Life Foundation for Autism, 2004 – present  
Director, L.M. Montgomery Land Trust Inc.  
Past President, Rotary Club of Charlottetown  
Chancellor, Anglican Diocese of Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island  
Member, Bertha Wilson Honour Society of the Schulich School of Law

## Accolades

Best Lawyers 2024 Banking and Finance Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers 2021 Banking and Finance Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
King’s Counsel, 1998  
Best Lawyers 2019 Corporate Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers 2018 Banking and Finance Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers 2017 Corporate Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers 2016 Banking and Finance Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers 2014 Corporate Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers 2013 Banking and Finance “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers 2012 Real Estate Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Charlottetown  
Best Lawyers: Banking and Finance Law, 2006, 2008 – 2024  
Best Lawyers: Corporate Law, 2006, 2008 – 2024  
Best Lawyers: Insolvency and Financial Restructuring, 2006, 2008 – 2024  
Best Lawyers: Real Estate Law, 2008 – 2024  
Lexpert rating: Banking & Financial Institutions, 2008 – 2024  
Lexpert rating: Corporate Commercial Law, 2008, 2011 – 2024  
Lexpert rating: Property Development, 2008 – 2024  
Lexpert rating: Corporate Finance & Securities, 2010 – 2022  
Queen’s Diamond Jubilee Medal recipient, 2012  
Martindale-Hubbell rating: BV Distinguished®

## Thought Leadership

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Client Update: Introduction of Prince Edward Island’s new Business Corporations Act  
[June 14, 2018](#)