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## New York Bar Foundation Executive Elected Secretary of National Conference of Bar Foundations



Albany, NY – New York Bar Foundation (TNYBF) Executive Deborah Auspelmyer was elected secretary of the National Conference of Bar Foundations (NCBF) at NCBF's recent annual meeting in Chicago.

"Having our foundation executive involved in the leadership of NCBF will support our goals of enhancing public understanding of the law and the important role that lawyers play in society, and underscoring the need for broad-based participation in civic life," said TNYBF Board President Lesley Rosenthal. "The entire TNYBF board of directors extends our congratulations and thanks to Deborah Auspelmyer."

The NCBF helps bar foundation professionals from across the nation enhance their ability to successfully carry out their foundation missions and strengthen and grow the law-related philanthropy through networking, educational programming, sharing resources and best practices, and building broader awareness and support in the legal community.

Auspelmyer has managed The New York Bar Foundation since 2012. In addition to being involved in the NCBF, she is a member of Women in Development Northeastern New York and the Association of Fundraising Professionals.

The New York Bar Foundation, a non-profit 501(c) (3) organization, is the charitable arm of the New York State Bar Association, the nation's largest voluntary bar association. TNYBF is governed by a board of directors that includes distinguished lawyers from across the state of New York.

Through its grant program, the foundation supports the law-related programs of local legal services agencies, nonprofits, bar associations and other organizations throughout New York. This year the foundation presented more than \$700,000 in grants to organizations across the state. Over the past few years, the foundation has been recognized for governance and its philanthropic efforts.

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