



Nick Slonosky

NICK SLONOSKY, CD, B.Comm(Hon), LLB, MSc, CIC.C
Retired Lieutenant-Commander | Lawyer | Educator | Mentor | NFP Board Member | Helping Others Succeed - Winnipeg, Manitoba

Nick joined the Naval Reserve in 1972 at HMCS Chippawa through the NRSSTP program. Served as a Signalman; then underwent officer training under ROUTP as a MARS (Surface Warfare) Officer.

Served 40 years in various command and staff capacities, both ashore and afloat, on both coasts, including on both domestic and international exercises, including RNR and US Exchanges. Served as an Aide de Camp to 6 Lieutenant-Governors of Manitoba.

Bachelor of Laws (LLB) from the University of Manitoba, as well as Master of Science in Telecommunications from College of Engineering and Applied Sciences, University of Colorado at Boulder; as well as the Directors Education Program (DEP), Institute of Canadian Directors, Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto.

In civilian life, Nick is an experienced lawyer, educator, mentor, and dedicated to helping others succeed. Nick has practised law for over 40 years, as an in-house counsel, in both telecommunications as well as the financial services industry, often in the forefront of major technological and regulatory changes. Retired as Director and Legal Counsel for Investors Group (IGM) (one of the Power Corp group of companies).

Since retirement has been an active Practising Professional at Faculty of Law, University of Manitoba, as an Instructor and Supervising Lawyer of law students participating in experiential learning at the L. Kerry Vickar Business Law Clinic, and the Manitoba Legal Clinic for the Arts, that provide pro bono legal services to start-ups, entrepreneurs, family business, non-profits, charities, artists, creatives, arts and cultural organizations that do not have a lawyer and cannot afford legal services.

Current boards include E-Quality Centre of Excellence Inc. (ECCOE); Chronic Disease Innovation Centre Inc. (CDIC); Seven Oaks Hospital Foundation (SOHF); Manitoba Chamber Orchestra Inc. (MCO); Legal Help Centre of Winnipeg Inc. (LHC); Canadian International Council (CIC) Winnipeg Chapter. Bachelor of Commerce (Hons.),

Professional memberships include Naval Reserve Association of Canada (NRAC), Naval Association of Canada (NAC); Royal Military Institute of Manitoba (RMIM); US Naval Institute (Life Member); Association of Corporate Counsel (ACC); Canadian Bar Association (CBA); Canadian Corporate Counsel Association (CCCA); Canadian Technology Law Association (CanTech Law); Institute of Corporate Directors (ICD); IEEE; International Technology Law

Association (ITech Law); Manitoba Bar Association (MBA), and others. A proud Friendly Manitoban; practising member of the Law Society of Manitoba; MBA Life Council Member; previous national Chair of the CCCA.

Recipient of the MBA Access Justice Award; the CCCA Community Builder Award; the CCCA Professional Contribution Award; awards also include being a Jurist of Robson Hall; UM Faculty of Law Deans Award for Teaching Excellence; as well as a recipient of Canadian Forces Decoration (2 clasps); Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee Medal; Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal Queen Elizabeth II Golden Jubilee Medal; Vice Regal Commendation.

Supporter of numerous cultural, social, not-for-profit and charitable causes. Interested in making a difference, creating positive impacts, making communities a better place for all, and dedicated to helping others succeed.