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## LSBA Young Lawyers Division's 2016-17 Officers and Council Installed

**NEW ORLEANS**—The Louisiana State Bar Association Young Lawyers Division's (LSBA YLD) 2016-17 officers and council members were installed June 8, in conjunction with the LSBA's Annual Meeting in Destin, Fla.

**Scotty E. Chabert, Jr.** of Baton Rouge was installed as 2016-17 YLD chair by Judge Guy P. Holdridge, 23rd Judicial District Court, Gonzales. Chabert is an assistant district attorney for the 18th Judicial District and a partner in the Baton Rouge firm of Saunders & Chabert.

Also sworn in as officers were Chair-Elect **Bradley J. Tate**, tax manager for Carr, Riggs & Ingram, L.L.C., in Metairie (he will assume the chair's position in 2017-18); Secretary **Dylan T. Thriffiley**, a compliance director for Ochsner Health System in New Orleans; and Immediate Past Chair **Erin O. Braud**, staff counsel for GuideOne Insurance Co. in New Orleans.

## Judge Holdridge also installed members of the 2016-17 YLD Council.

**District 1:** Scott L. Sternberg, an attorney in the New Orleans office of Baldwin Haspel Burke & Mayer, L.L.C.; and Cristin F. Bordelon, an associate in the New Orleans office of Leake & Andersson, L.L.P.

**District 2:** Jeffrey D. Hufft, an associate with Colvin Law Firm, A.P.L.C., in Gretna; and Shayna B. Morvant, managing partner of the Gretna firm of Beevers & Beevers, L.L.P.

**District 3:** Lauren L. Gardner, an associate in the Onebane Law Firm in Lafayette.

**District 4:** Adam P. Johnson, an attorney in the Lake Charles firm of Johnson & Vercher, L.L.C.

**District 5:** Carrie L. Jones, a partner in the Baton Rouge firm of Shows, Cali & Walsh, L.L.P.; and Kristi W. Richard, a senior associate in the Baton Rouge office of McGlinchey Stafford, P.L.L.C., and an adjunct instructor of business law and sports law at Louisiana State University.

**District 6:** Christie C. Wood, an associate in the firm of Faircloth Melton & Keiser, L.L.C., in Alexandria.

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**District 7:** Ethan A. Hunt, an associate in the firm of Dean Morris, L.L.C., in Monroe.

**District 8:** Allison C. Foster, an associate in the Shreveport firm of Cook, Yancey, King & Galloway, A.P.L.C.

**At-Large Representative:** Kellen J. Mathews, an associate in the litigation practice group in the Baton Rouge office of Adams and Reese, L.L.P.

American Bar Association Young Lawyers Division Representative: Graham H. Ryan, a business litigation associate in the New Orleans office of Jones Walker LLP.

Young Lawyer Member/American Bar Association House of Delegates: Kristen L. Burge, an associate in the firm of Beahm & Green in New Orleans.

Full profiles of YLD officers and Council members are available online at: http://www.lsba.org/YLD/YLDCouncil.aspx

Photos of YLD officers and Council members are available online at: https://www.lsba.org/NewsAndPublications/PressPhotos.aspx?PRPA=51.

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