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The Chicago Bar Association, Chicago Bar Foundation and Abraham Lincoln Marovitz Lend-A-Hand Program sponsored the 2005 My Hero Awards and Volunteer Recognition Luncheon at the Standard Club on July 28th. The program recognized those in the law profession who serve as tutors and mentors in underserved communities.

The Judge Abraham Lincoln Marovitz Mentoring Award went to Judge Ilana Rovner of the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals for following in Judge Abe's footsteps. My Hero Award went to Michael Hayes, Marsh USA, Vice President for being a hero to Kevin C. through Cabrini Connections.

The Winstron & Strawn LLP mentoring program at the Dodge Academy under the leadership of Sam Mendenhall was honored for program of the year. Making a difference awards went to Peter Birnbaum, Attorney's Title Guaranty

Fund President & CEO service at Big Brothers Big Sisters and Sonya D. Naar, DLA Pier Rudnick Gray Cary, LLP, for service at Barry Elementary. The mentor of the year award went to Susan D. Smith, law offices of Susan D. Smith P.C., who has been an outstanding mentor for the Metro Achievement Center's program for six years.