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## JUDGE MICHAEL A. SACHS HONORED BY RICHARD T. FIELDS BAR ASSOCIATION

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**SAN BERNARDINO, CA**— San Bernardino Superior Court (SBSC) is proud to announce that Judge Michael A. Sachs was honored by the [Richard T. Fields Bar Association](#) for his work and development of the [Inland Counties Judicial Applicant Mentorship Program](#) (ICJAMP).

ICJAMP was developed in 2021 in partnership with Riverside Superior Court Judge Jacqueline Jackson to bring awareness to the judicial need in San Bernardino, Riverside and Imperial Counties. Additionally, ICJAMP encourages prospective attorneys that bring diversity, both professionally and personally, to apply with the guidance of a mentor to help demystify the judicial application process.

Judge Michael A. Sachs was presented with the Judge of the Year Award for his leadership and significant contribution to diversifying the bench. “Our mission is to provide equal access to justice for all court users, regardless of race, religion, ethnicity, nationality, sexual orientation, sexual identification, disability, or socio-economic status,” said Judge Sachs. “Our Judicial Mentorship Program seeks out and recruits diverse judicial candidates, so our court reflects our county’s diverse population.”

“I am pleased to see that Judge Sachs was recognized for this very important work,” said Assistant Presiding Judge Lisa M. Rogan. “I know that it was personally important to him, and it has been a valuable tool for our court to encourage diverse candidates to join our bench.”

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