

LAING RECOGNIZED BY BEST LAWYERS AS MILWAUKEE'S PERSONAL INJURY LITIGATION LAWYER OF THE YEAR

Best Lawyers®, the oldest and most respected peer-review publication in the legal profession, has named Dean P. Laing as the "Best Lawyers 2012 Milwaukee Personal Injury Litigation Lawyer of the Year.

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Attorney Dean P. Laing has been with the law firm of O'Neil Cannon for 28 years and leads the Firm's litigation practice. In addition to representing Fortune 500 companies and other companies in their business litigation needs, he represents severely injured persons in prosecuting their personal injury claims.

Throughout his legal career, Mr. Laing has been frequently recognized by members of the Wisconsin bar and judiciary as one of the top trial attorneys in Wisconsin. He is board certified as a Civil Trial Specialist by the National Board of Trial Advocacy and a frequent author and speaker on various legal issues.