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**ZETLIN & DE CHIARA LLP AWARDED
CREWNY SPONSOR OF THE YEAR**

New York, NY (January 16, 2019) – [CREWNY](#), Commercial Real Estate Women New York, announced boutique construction law firm [Zetlin & De Chiara LLP](#) as the recipient of the *2018 Sponsor of the Year Award*. For nearly 20 years, the firm has supported CREWNY’s dedication to the advancement of professional women in commercial real estate through networking, education and leadership development.

CREWNY described the award, stating, “It is [our] pleasure to select a sponsor which has consistently supported our organization, created a positive difference for CREW New York and also supports the advancement of women in commercial real estate in the industry.” 2018 marks the fifth year that the organization has awarded a *Sponsor of the Year*; past recipients include Trepp LLC and Langan, Inc.

Zetlin & De Chiara Partner [Jaimee L. Nardiello](#) is the immediate past president of CREWNY. Under her leadership, the organization celebrated its landmark 40th anniversary. CREWNY, as it stands today, was formed when two chapters of the national CREW Network joined forces in 2015. AREW, Association of Real Estate Women, and NYCREW, New York Commercial Real Estate Women, combined in a move to form a single, integrated organization serving women real estate professionals in the New York City market. Zetlin & De Chiara Senior Partner [Carol J. Patterson](#) served as AREW President from 1998-1999.

At the CREWNY December Luncheon, [Barbara E. Champoux](#), Principal of Champoux Law Group PLLC and CREW Network Member Recognition Chair, presented the award to Zetlin & De Chiara Managing Partner, [Michael J. Vardaro](#), and Partner/CREWNY Immediate Past President, [Jaimee L. Nardiello](#).



Barbara Champoux presenting the award to Zetlin & De Chiara Managing Partner, Michael Vardaro, and Partner and CREWNY Immediate Past President, Jaimee Nardiello

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About Zetlin & De Chiara

Zetlin & De Chiara LLP provides sophisticated legal and business counsel and advice to members of the construction community including real estate owners and developers, design professionals, construction managers and contractors, insurance carriers and financial institutions. From the World Trade Center, to the Empire State Building, Hudson Yards and Columbia University's Manhattanville Campus, the firm has played a significant role in building New York's iconic skyline.

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