

The Peggy Browning Fund Receives \$100,000 Grant from the Steelworkers Charitable and Educational Organization (SCEO) to Establish Annual Fellowship!

On June 8, 2010, The Peggy Browning Fund received notification of a \$100,000 grant from the Steelworkers Charitable and Educational Organization (SCEO) to establish an annual Fellowship, in perpetuity, to encourage law students to enter the labor movement. A formal announcement of this gift was made at The Fund's 13th Annual Awards Reception in Washington, DC on June 9 recognizing Leo W. Gerard, International President of the United Steelworkers, and Hugh J. Beins, founding partner with Beins, Axelrod, P.C., for their lifetime achievements on behalf of workers.

"The Steelworkers Charitable & Education Organization is proud of its support of The Peggy Browning Fund and its encouragement of law students to enter careers that benefit labor and working families," stated Leo W. Gerard, International President of the United Steelworkers (USW).

Made by an anonymous donor to the SCEO, the grant honors James D. English and Carl B. Frankel, both strong forces with long careers advocating for workers' rights, and Millie Ranch, retired administrative assistant with the USW Legal Department.

"The Peggy Browning Fund is very pleased to accept this grant from the SCEO. Each year, the Fund's Fellows report that our programs have given them eye-opening and inspiring experiences that have changed their lives and encouraged them to continue to advocate for the needs of working families," noted Joseph Lurie, President.