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## *Boston Business Journal* Honors Hale and Dorr Attorney Wendell Taylor as One of Boston's "40 Under 40"

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Hale and Dorr is pleased to announce that [Wendell Taylor](#), a junior partner in the Boston office, was selected as one of 40 outstanding business and professional leaders by the *Boston Business Journal's* Fourth Annual "40 Under 40." The honor recognizes individuals who are making their mark in the Greater Boston business community.

"Wendell is a recognized star at Hale and Dorr in the areas of corporate finance and mergers and acquisitions, with a particular focus on biotechnology and global technology issues," said William F. Lee, managing partner, Hale and Dorr LLP. "Beyond the legal community, Wendell reaches out to at-risk youth in the Boston community and provides them with access to educational activities and community service programs. He is a unique individual of the highest character and integrity."

At Hale and Dorr, Mr. Taylor is a member of the firm's Hiring Committee and the co-chairman of the firm's Diversity Committee. As a civic leader, Mr. Taylor's activities include: Africana.com, Inc., advisory board member; Charlestown Lacrosse, Inc., coach and board of directors member; MetroLacrosse, Inc., board of directors member; The Partnership, Inc., member, alumnae of the Boston Fellows Program, and participant in the Boston Scholars Program; Boston Lawyers Group, member and co-chairman of the Associates Advisory Committee.

Mr. Taylor is also the co-owner of the award-winning Grapeseed American Bistro and Wine Bar, located in Bethesda, MD.

Nominations were open to local business and civic leaders who have achieved a solid measure of success in a variety of professional, business and non-profit organizations. Nominees had to be less than 40 years old as of November 2, 2001. Mr. Taylor is 34 years old.