

HONORS AND AWARDS:

- Best Lawyers® 2020 "Lawyer of the Year" for Employment Law (Individuals) in the DFW Metro Area
- Listed in the U.S. News Best Lawyers in America® for Employment Law (Individuals) and Litigation (Labor and Employment) - 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020
- Selected as a Texas Super Lawyer® (2019, 2018) and a Texas Super Lawyer Rising Star® (2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018)
- Super Lawyers' Texas® "Up-and-Coming 100" list for 2017 & 2018.
- Super Lawyers' Texas® "Up-and-Coming 50 Women" list for 2017 & 2018.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

- Dallas Bar Association, Labor and Employment Section (Current Member of the Council)
- Texas Employment Lawyers Association ("TELA") (Former Board Member)
- DFW-NELA (Former Board Member)
- College of the State Bar of Texas
- National Employment Lawyers Association ("NELA")
- Patrick E. Higginbotham American Inn of Court (Associate, 2011-2012)

EDUCATION:

Washington University in St. Louis

J.D. (Law)

- Honor Scholar Award
- Dean's List
- Top Grade - "Censorship & Free Expression"
- Top Grade - "The Legacy of Bush v. Gore"
- Best Brief - Saul Lefkowitz National Moot Court

Marquette University

Honors B.A. - Psychology & Criminology

- Phi Alpha Delta (Honor Society)
- Pi Gamma Mu (Honor Society)
- Psi Chi (Honor Society)
- Phi Alpha Theta (Honor Society)
- Order of Omega (Honor Society)
- Rho Lambda (Honor Society)
- MENSA

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS:

- "Opening the Barn Door: Evidentiary Issues in Employment Law" - State Bar of Texas L&E Annual Conference, San Antonio 2019
- "Can We Talk? - Witness Contact Issues in Litigation" - State Bar of Texas L&E Annual Conference, San Antonio 2017
- Plaintiff's Counsel Roundtable- MCHRA Employment Law Conference, 2017
- Technology Ethics - Plano Bar Assoc., 2016
- Technology Ethics - Dallas Bar Assoc., Solo & Small Firm Section, 2016
- Workplace Accommodations - A New Landscape - State Bar of Texas L&E Annual Conference, 2015
- "Technology in Practice" - DFW-NELA Luncheon, 2015
- "Practice Management" - TELA Annual Conference, 2015
- "Protect Your Company From FMLA Liability" - The Noble Group, 2014
- "Ethics Issues in Employment Law" - Tarrant County Bar Association, 2013
- "Managing Your Practice" - State Bar of Texas L&E Annual Conference, 2013
- "Ethics Issues in Employment Law" (DBA Labor & Employment Section, 2013)
- "Employment Law in Texas" (Texas Business Show with Martin Birnbach, 2012)
- "The No Contact Rule" (TELA Annual Conference, 2012)
- "Retaliation Update" (State Bar of Texas L&E Annual Conference, 2012)
- "Implicit Bias in the Courtroom" (Higginbotham Inn of Court, 2012)
- "Common Employer Mistakes in FMLA Implementation" (NELA Annual Conference, San Diego, 2012)
- "Common Mistakes in FMLA Implementation" (DFW NELA CLE Luncheon, 2012)
- "Substantive FMLA Claims (Course Materials) (Current Developments in Employment Law: 19th Annual Advanced Course, Santa Fe, NM 2012)
- "Quantifying Subjective Performance Assessments" (TELA Annual Conference, Guatemala 2011)
- "Surviving Back-to-Back Trials" (DFW-NELA CLE Luncheon, 2011)