

PATRICK J. MAHER

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 1994-Present** **SHANNON, GRACEY, RATLIFF & MILLER** **Fort Worth, TX**
Managing Partner, Labor and Employment Law Section
- 1984-1993** **MORRISON & FOERSTER** **San Francisco, CA**
Senior Associate, Labor and Employment Law Section
- 1982-1984** **GARDERE & WYNNE** **Dallas, TX**
Associate, Labor and Employment Law Section
- 1981-1982** **U.S. NINTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS** **San Francisco, CA**
Law Clerk to Honorable Joseph T. Sneed, U.S. Circuit Court Judge

EDUCATION

- UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS, SCHOOL OF LAW** **Austin, TX**
J.D. with High Honors (approximately top 2% of graduating class)
Note and Research Editor, *Texas Law Review*
Vice Chancellor (Awarded to student with 2nd highest GPA after 1st year)
- UNIVERSITY OF SANTA CLARA** **Santa Clara, CA**
B.S., Economics, *Summa cum Laude*
Phi Beta Kappa

PUBLICATIONS

- P. Maher, *Noncompetes and Trade Secrets: a Continuing Evolution*, XXXV Corporate Counsel Review, published by S. Tex. College of Law, 74 (May 2016).
- J. Paras and P. Maher, Southwest Legal Foundation, *Proceedings of the 38th Annual Institute on Labor Law Developments; Review of Recent EEO Decisions and Legislative Developments* (Matthew-Bender 1992).
- Note, *Private Preemption of State Laws: A Constitutional Objection*, 58 Tex. L. Rev. 1099 (1980).
- Contributor, B. Lindemann and D. Kadue, *Sexual Harassment in Employment Law* (BNA 1992).

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS

- Member of the Board of Directors of the State Bar of Texas (2014-17)
- Board Certified in Labor & Employment Law by Texas Board of Legal Specialization
- Past Chair of the Labor & Employment Sections of the State Bar of Texas (2008-2009) and the Tarrant County Bar Association (1997-98)
- Past Chair of the Council of Section Chairs of the State Bar of Texas (2012-14)
- Member of the Bars of the States of California and Texas
- Listed in *Best Lawyers in America* (2005 - 2015)
- Listed in *Texas Super Lawyers*, Texas Monthly Magazine (2004 - 2015)
- Fellow of the College of Labor and Employment Lawyers (less than 60 Texas lawyers selected)