



## **SELECTED PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

CENTER FOR PUBLIC POLICY DISPUTE RESOLUTION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SCHOOL OF LAW  
Mediation training, 2005

RICE UNIVERSITY      HOUSTON, TEXAS  
Professional Writer's Colloquium 1988-1991

## **BAR ADMISSIONS**

- All Texas state courts
- All New Mexico state courts
- United States District Courts for the Eastern, Southern and Western Districts of Texas
- United States Courts of Appeals for the Fifth and Tenth Circuits

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- American Bar Association
- Defense Research Institute (DRI), Member Lawyer's Professionalism & Ethics Committee
- Federal Bar Association
- Robert W. Calvert American Inn of Court, Associate 2004-present
- Texas Center for Legal Ethics and Professionalism
- Travis County Women Lawyers Association

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- *Ten Practical Tips for Making Your Case Appealable (or, How Not to Lose Your Appeal at Trial and When to Call in the Cavalry)*, 35 ABA LIT. MAG. 2 (Winter 2009) (co-author).
- *Wings & Wheels: Products Liability in Aviation and Automobile Cases Under House Bill 4*, TEXAS TRIAL LAWYERS ASS'N ADVANCED PERSONAL INJURY SEMINAR, MAY 7, 2004.
- *Miscellaneous Provisions of House Bill 4*, STATE BAR OF TEXAS CLE, January 2004.
- *Phantom Defendants Take a Seat: The Spectre of the Empty Chair Under the New Chapter 33*, TEXAS TRIAL LAWYERS ASS'N ANNUAL MEETING 2003.

## **EDITING EXPERIENCE**

- Editor & Updates, ALBRIGHT, ALEX WILSON, ET AL., TEXAS COURTS: PRETRIAL: CASES AND MATERIALS (Imprimatur Press 7th ed. 2001).

## **COMMUNITY**

- Board of Directors, Operation Blue Santa, 2003-2005
- Council of Governors 2004, Five Kids Who Care
- Fundraiser, Susan G. Komen Foundation for Breast Cancer Research, Survivor's Corp.
- Volunteer swimming instructor for adult women, Red Cross certified Water Safety Instructor
- Habitat for Humanity volunteer

## **LANGUAGE CAPABILITIES**

- Spanish, progressing intermediate, speaking and reading