



**CATHLEEN M. STRYKER**  
**ARBITRATOR, PRIVATE JUDGE & MEDIATOR**

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Cathy Stryker, ADR: Arbitrator, Mediator and Private Judge** (January 1, 2023-present). Private arbitrations and trials conducted in the areas of commercial litigation, personal injury, family law, securities fraud, construction, business dissolution and breach of contract. Mediations conducted in the areas of personal injury, family law, breach of contract, fraud, probate and property disputes.

**District Judge, 224<sup>th</sup> District Court**, Bexar County Texas (January 1, 2011-December 31, 2022). Civil District Court Judge presiding over family law, contract, personal injury, and general civil law matters. Appointed as a multi-district litigation judge, oil and gas litigation 2016-2020.

**McClenahan, Anderson & Stryker, PLLC**, San Antonio, Texas (December 2005-December 31, 2010). Partner in law firm handling employment, personal injury and insurance matters. Mediator in the areas of personal injury, employment, family law and contract disputes.

**Ball & Weed, P.C.**, San Antonio, Texas (June 1996-November, 2005). Associate and then Shareholder (2003). Responsible for maintaining a docket of approximately 50-70 personal injury, insurance, employment law and commercial litigation cases. Became hiring shareholder responsible for hiring new associates to the firm. Responsible for supervising less experienced attorneys. Multiple trials, mediations and extensive motion practice.

**Stradley, Ronan, Stevens & Young, LLP**, Philadelphia, PA (September 1993-May, 1996). Litigation Associate. Practice Areas: Complex commercial litigation, employment litigation and personal injury.

**Certified General and Family Law Mediator since 2005 (general) 2006(family)**

**LEADERSHIP POSITIONS/MEMBERSHIPS**

**Texas Supreme Court Advisory Committee** 2019-2022

**American Board of Trial Advocates** 2019- present

**Judicial Branch Certification Committee** 2019-2022

**Chair Civil District Courts Committee, Bexar County**  
2019-2022

**Bexar County Juvenile Board Member** 2011-2022

**Co-Chair Bench Motions and Trials, Bexar County Style-** 2016-2019

**Board Member** San Antonio Family Law Assoc. 2016-2019

**Advisory Board Member** for the Bexar County Domestic Relations Office 2014-2022.

**Bexar County Dispute Resolution Center,** Frequent volunteer mediator 2005-2010

**Judson Montessori School, Member of the Board of Trustees** 2005-2008- Served as Vice President 2007-2008

**Board of Directors of the San Antonio Women's Chamber of Commerce** 2005-2006

**Spoken at numerous attorney CLE courses in the areas of family law, evidence, personal injury, premises liability, discovery of electronically stored information, employment law, civil procedure, trial strategy, voir dire, and motion practice.**

#### **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

**Villanova University School of Law,** Villanova, PA  
Juris Doctor, 1993- Special Projects Editor, Villanova Environmental Law Journal

**Cornell University School of Industrial and Labor Relations,**  
B.S., Industrial and Labor Relations, 1989