



STATE BAR OF TEXAS

Department of Research and Analysis

Tarrant County: Attorney Statistical Profile (2013-14)

This report profiles active State Bar of Texas attorney members in Tarrant County with membership in the State Bar of Texas as of December 31, 2013. Not all demographic data is provided by every attorney. Separate population totals are provided in italics in each category that is lacking all demographic data. Percentages may not sum to one hundred due to rounding. Over the last 10 years the number of Tarrant County attorneys has increased by 38 percent, growing from 3,637 attorneys in 2003 to 5,003 in 2013.

	Tarrant County 2013-14 N = 5,003		All State Bar Attorneys 2013-14 N = 94,804	
Sex				
	<i>(N = 4,956)</i>		<i>(N = 93,910)</i>	
Male	3,277	66%	62,004	66%
Female	1,679	34%	31,906	34%
Race/Ethnicity				
	<i>(N = 4,740)</i>		<i>(N = 89,549)</i>	
White	4,150	88%	73,287	82%
Black/African-American	227	5%	4,406	5%
Hispanic/Latino	205	4%	7,393	8%
Asian/Pacific Islander	82	2%	2,678	3%
American Indian/Alaska Native	15	<1%	289	<1%
Two or More Races	28	1%	506	1%
Other Race	33	1%	990	1%
Years Licensed *				
2 or less years	519	10%	8,453	9%
3 to 6 years	583	12%	10,986	12%
7 to 10 years	551	11%	10,392	11%
11 to 15 years	620	12%	11,480	12%
16 to 20 years	589	12%	11,211	12%
21 to 25 years	487	10%	10,295	11%
Over 25 years	1,654	33%	31,987	34%
Median Years Licensed	18 Years		18 Years	
Age				
	<i>(N = 5,003)</i>		<i>(N = 94,799)</i>	
21 to 25 years	16	<1%	234	<1%
26 to 30 years	436	9%	7,793	8%
31 to 35 years	616	12%	11,627	12%
36 to 40 years	534	11%	10,916	12%
41 to 45 years	608	12%	11,404	12%
46 to 50 years	522	10%	10,125	11%
51 to 55 years	591	12%	10,452	11%
56 to 60 years	574	11%	10,506	11%
61 to 65 years	445	9%	9,033	10%
More than 65 years	661	13%	12,709	13%
Median Age	48 Years		48 Years	
Member Class—TYLA/Senior**				
TYLA Member	1,458	29%	26,566	28%
Senior Member	3,545	71%	68,238	72%

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Law School Attended				
Baylor University	531	11%	5,660	6%
St. Mary's	259	5%	6,878	7%
South Texas	185	4%	10,475	11%
Southern Methodist	528	11%	7,830	8%
Texas Southern	66	1%	3,108	3%
Texas Tech	586	12%	6,097	6%
Texas Wesleyan	856	17%	2,764	3%
University of Houston	189	4%	9,718	10%
University of Texas	676	14%	16,072	17%
Out-of-State/Other Law School	1,127	23%	26,202	28%
Primary Occupation				
	<i>(N = 4,301)</i>		<i>(N = 80,431)</i>	
Private Practitioners				
Solo Practitioners	1,120	26%	18,733	23%
2 to 5 attorneys	737	17%	12,526	16%
6 to 10 attorneys	207	5%	4,057	5%
11 to 24 attorneys	258	6%	4,406	5%
25 to 40 attorneys	142	3%	2,082	3%
41 to 60 attorneys	29	1%	1,134	1%
61 to 100 attorneys	166	4%	2,191	3%
101 to 200 attorneys	64	1%	1,114	1%
Over 200 attorneys	83	2%	5,545	7%
Government Attorney	461	11%	8,481	11%
Full-Time Judge	109	3%	1,681	2%
Law Faculty	29	1%	574	1%
Corporate/In-House Counsel	432	10%	8,671	11%
Other Law Related	142	3%	2,599	3%
Other Non-Law Related	112	3%	2,396	3%
Public Interest Lawyer	29	1%	706	1%
Retired-Not Working	115	3%	2,319	3%
Unemployed-Looking	46	1%	694	1%
Unemployed-Not Looking	20	<1%	522	1%
Members of State Bar Sections				
Section Members	2,345	47%	39,950	42%
Non Section Members	2,658	53%	54,854	58%
Members of One Section	1,165	23%	20,467	22%
Members of Two Sections	720	14%	11,322	12%
Members of Three Sections	284	6%	4,663	5%
Members of Four or More Sections	176	4%	3,498	4%

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Section Membership				
Administrative and Public Law	29	1%	1,156	1%
African-American Lawyers	16	<1%	432	<1%
Alternative Dispute Resolution	57	1%	1,141	1%
American Indian Law	4	<1%	118	<1%
Animal Law	24	<1%	353	<1%
Antitrust and Business Litigation	43	1%	985	1%
Appellate	129	3%	1,838	2%
Asian-Pacific Interest	4	<1%	257	<1%
Aviation Law	25	<1%	279	<1%
Bankruptcy Law	101	2%	1,532	2%
Business Law	259	5%	4,215	4%
Collaborative Law	15	<1%	237	<1%
Computer and Technology	136	3%	2,836	3%
Construction Law	128	3%	2,078	2%
Consumer and Commercial Law	78	2%	1,294	1%
Corporate Counsel	210	4%	3,902	4%
Criminal Justice	222	4%	3,119	3%
Entertainment and Sports Law	32	1%	584	1%
Environmental and Natural Resources	38	1%	1,388	1%
Family Law	397	8%	5,691	6%
General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm	137	3%	2,108	2%
Government Lawyers	38	1%	860	1%
Health Law	97	2%	1,540	2%
Hispanic Issues	19	<1%	355	<1%
Immigration and Nationality Law	32	1%	941	1%
Individual rights and Responsibilities	8	<1%	206	<1%
Insurance Law	84	2%	1,686	2%
Intellectual Property Law	95	2%	2,381	3%
International Law	19	<1%	888	1%
James C. Watson Inn	9	<1%	138	<1%
Judicial Law	53	1%	963	1%
Justice of the Peace	4	<1%	73	<1%
Juvenile Law	56	1%	845	1%
Labor and Employment Law	145	3%	2,959	3%
Litigation	438	9%	7,446	8%
Litigation -Sustaining	10	<1%	200	<1%
Military law	19	<1%	409	<1%
Municipal Judges	31	1%	286	<1%
Oil, Gas and Energy Resources Law	282	6%	4,476	5%
Poverty Law	28	1%	425	<1%
Public Utility Law	9	<1%	47	<1%
Real Estate, Probate & Trust Law	563	11%	7,732	8%
School Law	39	1%	664	1%
LGBT Law	9	<1%	306	<1%
Taxation	116	2%	2,031	2%
Women and the Law	23	<1%	610	1%
Workers' Compensation	16	<1%	312	<1%

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Board Certifications				
Board Certified Attorneys	494	10%	7,120	8%
Attorneys Not Board Certified	4,509	90%	87,684	92%
Attorneys Board Certified in One Area	400	8%	6,011	6%
Attorneys Board Certified in Two Areas	86	2%	989	1%
Attorneys Board Certified in Three or More Areas	8	<1%	120	<1%
Attorneys Board Certified In:				
Administrative Law	0	0%	152	<1%
Bankruptcy Law: Business	5	<1%	141	<1%
Bankruptcy Law: Consumer	9	<1%	135	<1%
Civil Appellate Law	30	1%	430	<1%
Civil Trial Law	74	1%	1,037	1%
Consumer and Commercial Law	6	<1%	69	<1%
Criminal Appellate	15	<1%	105	<1%
Criminal Law	78	2%	845	1%
Estate Planning and Probate Law	63	1%	680	1%
Family Law	51	1%	767	1%
Health Law	2	<1%	56	<1%
Immigration and Nationality Law	3	<1%	139	<1%
Juvenile Law	7	<1%	70	<1%
Labor and Employment Law	26	1%	610	1%
Oil, Gas, and Mineral Law	25	<1%	300	<1%
Personal Injury Trial Law	113	2%	1,615	2%
Real Estate Law: Commercial	38	1%	490	1%
Real Estate Law: Farm and Ranch	4	<1%	98	<1%
Real Estate Law: Residential	21	<1%	306	<1%
Tax Law	23	<1%	218	<1%
Workers' Compensation Law	3	<1%	96	<1%

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Footnotes

- * Based on year first licensed in any jurisdiction.
- ** Texas Young Lawyers Association membership is automatic for attorneys less than 37 years of age and for attorneys of any age who have been licensed for less than four years.

General Notes

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