

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

University of Missouri - Columbia, Columbia, Missouri
Juris Doctor, 1983 (cum laude)

University of Missouri – Columbia, Columbia, Missouri
Bachelor of Arts in English, 1980 (cum laude)

MEDIATION HISTORY

I trained in mediation in the early 1990's when our local federal court was selected to do a pilot Early Assessment Program which required 1/3 of cases to mediate in the first 90 days. As mediation as a practice got off the ground, I did a relatively low number per year but pretty quickly averaged 50-60 per year. This number has increased significantly over the last 5 years as I have transitioned out of my law practice.

WORK HISTORY

Jay Daugherty Mediation and Arbitrations, Kansas City, Missouri
August 1, 2021 – Present

The Kenner Law Firm, P.C., Kansas City, Missouri
1993 – Present
Civil litigation with an emphasis on plaintiff's personal injury and medical malpractice cases and mediation

Blackwell Sanders Matheny Weary & Lombardi L.C., Kansas City, Missouri
1984 – 1993
Partner in litigation handling various types of defense matters and mediation

The Honorable Howard F. Sachs, Western District of Missouri, Kansas City, Missouri
1983 – 1984
Federal clerkship

COMMITTEE POSITION AND TRAINING

Supreme Court Committee on Alternative Dispute Resolution
1996 - 2002

POSITIONS HELD

President, Association for Women Lawyers, Kansas City, Missouri
2000

President, Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association
2012

Missouri Bar, Trustee
2016 – Present

**University of Missouri – Columbia
Law School Foundation, Trustee**
2021 – Present

**Kanbe’s Market, Kansas City, Missouri
Board of Directors**
2021 – Present

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Up and Coming Lawyer
(*Missouri Lawyers Weekly*) – 1998

Association for Women Lawyers
Woman of the Year – 2002

KCMBA Congenial Counselor Award – 2004

Daily Record Legal Leaders – 2005

KCMBA Presidents Award – 2008

Women Who Mean Business, Kansas City, Missouri
(*Kansas City Business Journal*) – 2011

**Missouri Lawyers Weekly Women’s Justice Award –
Litigation Practice – 2012**

KCMBA Dean of the Trial Bar – 2018

FAMILY

Nancy is married to David Kenner, Attorney, and Professor at Henry W. Bloch School of Management, University of Missouri – Kansas City. The two have three children and a mastiff named Hudson.

REFERENCES

Mike Blumenthal – Seyferth Blumenthal & Harris
Defense Attorney

Dana Cutler – James W. Tippin & Assoc.
Defense Attorney

Maureen Brady – McShane & Brady
Plaintiff Attorney

Gene Graham – White, Graham, Buckley & Carr
Plaintiff Attorney