



THOMAS O. STANSBURY
SENIOR DISTRICT JUDGE
Arbitrator | Mediator | TPRC 151 Special Judge

Board Certified
Family Law

Texas Board of
Legal Specialization

Education:

University of Texas at Austin
B.A. 1965
South Texas College of Law
J.D. 1970

Certification:

Board Certified Family Law Specialist
Texas Board of Legal Specialization (1981-Present)

Legal Employment:

Houston Legal Foundation, 1970-1972
Private Practice, 1972-1980
Associate Judge, 247th District Court, 1980-1982
Judge, 328th District Court, 1982-2002
Local Administrative Judge 1990-2002
Senior District Judge; Arbitrator; Mediator; Consultant 1-1-2003 – present

Mediation Training:

Association of Attorney Mediators
Comprehensive Human Systems Mediation
Resolution Forum, Inc.

Professional affiliations/awards:

State Bar of Texas, Family Law Section
Chair, Legislative Committee 2001-2006
State Bar of Texas, ADR Section
Texas Bar Foundation - Fellow
Texas Family Law Foundation – life member
Legislative Lobbyist 2001-2006



College of the State Bar of Texas
Texas Academy of Family Law Specialists
Burta Rhoads Raborn Family Law Inn of Court
Counselor
Mentor of the year
Mental Health Association of Fort Bend County
Frank J. Womack Humanitarian Award
Fort Bend County Bar Association
Austin Bar Association
American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers
Judge of the Year (non-member)
Houston Bar Association
Family Law Section
ADR Section
Houston Bar Foundation - Fellow
Judicial Section, State Bar of Texas
Board of Directors 2002-2006
Texas CASA
Board of Directors 2003-2007

Speaker/Lecturer:

State Bar of Texas
Advanced Family Law Course
Marriage Dissolution Institute
Legislative Update
Legal Assistants division
Texas Center for the Judiciary, Inc.
Judicial Section Regional Conferences
College of Advanced Judicial Studies
Gulf Coast Family Law Specialists
Texas Academy of Family Law Specialists
A. A. White Dispute Resolution Institute
Houston Bar Association
Family Law Section
ADR Section
Fort Bend County Bar Association
Amarillo Area Bar Association
El Paso County Bar Association
Comprehensive Human Systems Mediation
(Graduate and presenter)
Resolution Forum, Inc.
(Graduate and presenter)
South Texas College of Law
Fort Bend County Dispute Resolution Center