



STATE BAR OF TEXAS

Department of Research and Analysis

State Bar of Texas Board of Directors: Attorney Statistical Profile (2024-25)

This report profiles the 40 voting lawyer members of the State Bar of Texas in 2024-25. Public member demographics are not tracked by the State Bar and are excluded from the profile. All demographic and membership data is as of December 31, 2024. Not every attorney reports demographic data to the bar. Separate population totals are provided in italics in each category that is lacking all demographic data. Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

	Board Members 2024-25 N =40		All Active Attorneys 2024-25 N = 116,127	
Sex				
	(N = 40)		(N = 115,344)	
Male	27	68%	70,126	61%
Female	13	33%	45,218	39%
Race/Ethnicity				
	(N = 39)		(N = 110,181)	
White	23	59%	82,727	75%
Black/African-American	4	10%	7,073	6%
Hispanic/Latino	8	21%	12,318	11%
Asian/Pacific Islander	3	8%	4,800	4%
American Indian/Alaska Native	0	0%	377	<1%
Two or More Races	0	0%	1,354	1%
Other Race	1	3%	1,532	1%
Years Licensed *				
2 or less years	0	0%	8,268	7%
3 to 6 years	2	5%	10,676	9%
7 to 10 years	2	5%	11,225	10%
11 to 15 years	7	18%	15,148	13%
16 to 20 years	7	18%	14,151	12%
21 to 25 years	8	20%	11,854	10%
Over 25 years	14	35%	44,805	39%
Median Years Licensed	22 Years		20 Years	
Age				
21 to 25 years	0	0%	356	<1%
26 to 30 years	0	0%	7,792	7%
31 to 35 years	3	8%	11,240	10%
36 to 40 years	4	10%	13,686	12%
41 to 45 years	8	20%	14,352	12%
46 to 50 years	9	23%	12,583	11%
51 to 55 years	7	18%	11,970	10%
56 to 60 years	4	10%	10,461	9%
61 to 65 years	4	10%	9,578	8%
More than 65 years	1	3%	24,109	21%
Median Age	48 Years		49 Years	
Member Class—TYLA/Senior**				
TYLA Member	6	15%	38,710	33%
Senior Member	34	85%	77,417	67%

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Law School Attended				
Baylor University	8	20%	6,223	5%
St. Mary's	4	10%	7,748	7%
SMU Dedman/Southern Methodist	2	5%	8,674	7%
South Texas	0	0%	12,009	10%
Texas Southern	2	5%	3,545	3%
Texas Tech	9	23%	6,997	6%
Texas A&M/Formerly Texas Wesleyan	1	3%	4,196	4%
University of Houston	2	5%	10,492	9%
University of Texas	8	20%	15,394	13%
UNT Dallas/North Texas School of Law	0	0%	489	<1%
Out-of-State/Other Law School	4	10%	40,360	35%
Primary Occupation				
	(N = 38)		(N = 83,376)	
Private Practitioners				
Solo Practitioners	2	5%	17,021	20%
2 to 5 attorneys	13	34%	12,272	15%
6 to 10 attorneys	5	13%	4,156	5%
11 to 24 attorneys	5	13%	4,504	5%
25 to 40 attorneys	2	5%	2,345	3%
41 to 60 attorneys	1	3%	1,295	2%
More than 60 attorneys	4	11%	10,290	12%
Subtotal	32	84%	51,883	62%
Government Attorney	3	8%	8,500	10%
Full-Time Judge	0	0%	1,704	2%
Law Faculty	0	0%	571	1%
Corporate/In-House Counsel	3	8%	10,257	12%
Other Law Related	0	0%	2,974	4%
Other Non-Law Related	0	0%	2,435	3%
Public Interest Lawyer	0	0%	1,320	2%
Retired-Not Working	0	0%	2,979	4%
Unemployed-Looking	0	0%	286	<1%
Unemployed-Not Looking	0	0%	457	1%
Members of State Bar Sections				
Section Members	30	75%	44,598	38%
Non Section Members	10	25%	71,529	62%
Members of One Section	11	28%	22,820	20%
Members of Two Sections	6	15%	12,795	11%
Members of Three Sections	4	10%	5,137	4%
Members of Four or More Sections	9	23%	3,846	3%

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Section Membership				
Administrative and Public Law	4	10%	1,133	1%
African-American Lawyers	9	23%	1,392	1%
Alternative Dispute Resolution	5	13%	1,125	1%
Animal Law	3	8%	281	<1%
Antitrust and Business Litigation	2	5%	708	1%
Appellate	5	13%	2,067	2%
Asian-Pacific Interest	4	10%	445	<1%
Aviation Law	3	8%	319	<1%
Bankruptcy Law	2	5%	1,315	1%
Business Law	5	13%	4,209	4%
Child Protection Law	3	8%	992	1%
Civil Liberties & Civil Rights	3	8%	513	<1%
Collaborative Law	3	8%	240	<1%
Computer and Technology	7	18%	1,745	2%
Construction Law	4	10%	2,652	2%
Consumer and Commercial Law	4	10%	1,129	1%
Corporate Counsel	5	13%	4,959	4%
Criminal Justice	3	8%	2,995	3%
Entertainment and Sports Law	3	8%	731	1%
Environmental and Natural Resources	3	8%	1,216	1%
Family Law	9	23%	5,538	5%
General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm	3	8%	1,805	2%
Government Lawyers	2	5%	1,099	1%
Health Law	2	5%	1,547	1%
Hispanic Issues	6	15%	674	1%
Immigration and Nationality Law	4	10%	1,609	1%
Insurance Law	6	15%	2,267	2%
Intellectual Property Law	2	5%	2,252	2%
International Law	2	5%	657	1%
James C. Watson Inn	4	10%	74	<1%
Judicial	3	8%	1,001	1%
Justice of the Peace Courts	2	5%	225	<1%
Juvenile Law	2	5%	723	1%
Labor and Employment Law	6	15%	3,105	3%
Legislative and Campaign Law	4	10%	493	<1%
LGBT Law	3	8%	692	1%
Litigation	13	33%	8,168	7%
Litigation -Sustaining	5	13%	413	<1%
Military and Veterans Law	2	5%	474	<1%
Municipal Judges	3	8%	234	<1%
Native American Law	3	8%	149	<1%
Oil, Gas and Energy Resources Law	3	8%	3,924	3%
Poverty Law	3	8%	707	1%
Public Utility Law	4	10%	561	<1%
Real Estate, Probate & Trust Law	5	13%	9,352	8%
School Law	3	8%	800	1%
Tax	2	5%	2,180	2%
Women and the Law	4	10%	2,044	2%
Workers' Compensation	3	8%	308	<1%

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Board Certifications				
Board Certified Attorneys	10	25%	6,821	6%
Attorneys Not Board Certified	30	75%	109,306	94%
Attorneys Board Certified in One Area	8	20%	5,959	5%
Attorneys Board Certified in Two Areas	2	5%	769	1%
Attorneys Board Certified in Three or More Areas	0	0%	93	<1%
Administrative Law	0	0%	89	<1%
Aviation Law	0	0%	11	<1%
Bankruptcy Law: Business	0	0%	94	<1%
Bankruptcy Law: Consumer	0	0%	89	<1%
Child Welfare Law	0	0%	131	<1%
Civil Appellate Law	1	3%	403	<1%
Civil Trial Law	1	3%	736	1%
Construction Law	0	0%	143	<1%
Consumer and Commercial Law	0	0%	70	<1%
Criminal Appellate	0	0%	133	<1%
Criminal Law	1	3%	774	1%
Estate Planning and Probate Law	0	0%	655	1%
Family Law	4	10%	826	1%
Health Law	0	0%	76	<1%
Immigration and Nationality Law	0	0%	168	<1%
Juvenile Law	0	0%	68	<1%
Labor and Employment Law	1	3%	648	1%
Legislative and Campaign Law	0	0%	13	<1%
Oil, Gas, and Mineral Law	0	0%	375	<1%
Personal Injury Trial Law	4	10%	1253	1%
Property Owners Association Law	0	0%	53	<1%
Real Estate Law: Commercial	0	0%	392	<1%
Real Estate Law: Farm and Ranch	0	0%	63	<1%
Real Estate Law: Residential	0	0%	233	<1%
Tax Law	0	0%	157	<1%
Workers’ Compensation Law	0	0%	85	<1%

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Footnotes

* Based on year first licensed in any jurisdiction.

** Texas Young Lawyers Association membership is automatic for attorneys licensed 12 years or less at the beginning of each fiscal year (June 1). For years prior to 2022, membership was automatic for attorneys age 36 or younger and for attorneys of any age who were in their first five years of practice.

General Notes

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