



## L. Stephen Franscini, V - Background

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Mr. Franscini joined Griffith, Jay & Michel, LLP in October 2014 and has centered his practice on serving clients and dealing with [Probate and Estate Administration](#), [Guardianship](#), and [Incapacity & Estate Planning](#) matters as well as resolving disputes arising from Estate Administrations and Guardianships. Recognizing the difficulties surrounding planning for death and incapacity, Mr. Franscini treats every client matter with great care and attention, striving to ensure the client's needs and goals are met.

An Arlington native, Mr. Franscini received his B.A. in Political Science from the University of North Texas in 2010 and earned his J.D. from the Texas A&M School of Law in 2014. While in law school, Mr. Franscini served as President of the Tax and Estate Planning Legal Organization and interned in the Guardianship Office of the Probate Court Number Two of Tarrant County, Texas.

## Education/Admissions

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### Bar Admissions

- Texas, 2014
- U.S. District Court Northern District of Texas, 2014

### Certified Legal Specialties

- Certification for Attorney Ad Litem, State Bar of Texas, 2014 - Present

### Education

- **Texas A&M School of Law, Fort Worth, Texas**
  - J.D. *magna cum laude* - 2014
- **University of North Texas, Denton, Texas**
  - B.A. - 2010
  - Major: Political Science

# Professional Associations & Memberships

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- Texas State Bar, Member (2014 - Present)
- Tarrant County Probate Bar Association, Member (2014 - Present), Director (2020 - Present)
- Tarrant County Young Lawyer's Association, Member (2014 - Present)
- Member of the Real Estate, Probate and Trust Law Section of the State Bar of Texas' Leadership Academy (2022-2023)

# Honors & Professional Recognitions

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- Designated as a Top Attorney in 360 West Magazine, a publication of Fort Worth, Texas (2018 - 2022)
- Designated as a Top Attorney in the Probate, Estates, and Trust category in Tarrant County by Fort Worth Magazine, a publication of Fort Worth, Texas the City's Magazine (2019-2024)

# News/Publications

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[2023 Top Attorneys in Tarrant County by Fort Worth Magazine, a publication of Fort Worth, Texas the City's Magazine](#)

# Areas of Practice

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Incapacity & Estate Planning  
Probate & Estate Administration  
Probate Litigation  
Guardianship