

MOLLY BUCK RICHARD

Ms. Richard represents clients in trademark and copyright matters, including search and opinion work, trademark prosecution, litigation, opposition and cancellation proceedings and domain name disputes. She has over 27 years of experience and handles the worldwide portfolios for several large corporate clients as well as smaller portfolios. In addition, Ms. Richard has testified in numerous cases as an expert witness in trademark and copyright litigation matters and has mediated many cases in the intellectual property field. She has been AV rated in Martindale for over 20 years.

EDUCATION

Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law, J.D., 1981

Austin College, B.A. in Business Administration and English, 1977

ACTIVITIES AND AFFILIATIONS

Admitted to the State Bar of Texas, 1981

Admitted to practice before the United States District Courts for the Northern, Southern, Eastern and Western Districts of Texas; United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth, Eleventh, and Federal Circuit
Member, State Bar of Texas; Intellectual Property Law Section; Chair, 2002-2003; Vice-Chair, 2000-2001; Secretary, 1999-2000; Chair, Professionalism Committee, 1997; Council, 1993-1994; Past Chair, Trademark Committee

Member, Dallas Bar Association; Intellectual Property Section; Past Chair

Past President of Dallas Association of Young Lawyers; Director, 1985-1987; President, 1990

Past Director of Texas Young Lawyers Association, 1990-1992

Member, International Trademark Association Panel of Neutrals

Listed in Chambers & Partners' *Chambers USA - America's Leading Lawyers for Business 2004 - 2006* in Intellectual Property Law

Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*, 2003-2004, and 2005-2006 (Intellectual Property Law)

Listed in *International Who's Who of Business Lawyers*, 2005-2007 (Intellectual Property Law)

Listed in Texas Super Lawyers, *Texas Monthly*, 2003 through 2008, One of Texas' Top 50 Female Attorneys 2008

RECENT PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- “Complexities of Multi-Jurisdictional Protection”, INTA International Trademark Basics, December 2007
- “Trademark Law Update”, State Bar of Texas’ 20th Annual Intellectual Property Law Seminar, March 2007
- “Trademark Law Update”, Houston IPLA 21st Institute on Intellectual Property Law, 2005
- “Domestic and International Trademark Strategies and Management”, AIPLA Spring Meeting, Philadelphia, 2005
- “Recent Developments in Trademark Law,” 42nd Annual Conference on Intellectual Property Law, Institute for Law and Technology and The Center for American and International Law, 2004
- “Trademark Update - Domain Disputes, Dilution, and Other Issues,” 18th Annual Computer and Information Law Institute, 2003
- “Trademark Case Law Update,” State Bar of Texas’ 15th Annual Intellectual Property Law Seminar, March 2002
- Co-author, “Texas Practice Guide: Business Transactions,” West Group 2001 - 2005
- “Domain Name Disputes,” 15th Annual Computer and Information Law Institute, September 2001
- “Trademark Case Law Update,” State Bar of Texas’ 14th Annual Intellectual Property Law Seminar, March 2001
- “Trademark Law Update,” Southwestern Legal Foundation Annual Institute on Patent Law, November 2000
- “History of Dilution and The Federal Trademark Dilution Act,” Intellectual Property Law Institute, March 2000
- “Internet Domain Names,” PLI’s 18th Annual Institute on Computer Law, 1998
- “Emerging Issues Involving The Internet,” State Bar of Texas Intellectual Property Section Seminar, 1998
- “Practice Before The Trademark Trial and Appeal Board,” State Bar of Texas Advanced Intellectual Property Seminar, 1997

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Member of the Panel of Neutrals, International Trademark Association
- Volunteer, Dispute Mediation Services of Dallas
- Appointed as a mediator in numerous trademark and copyright infringement cases by United States Federal Judges
- Successfully mediated over fifty cases involving trademark and copyright issues
- Over 80 decisions with the National Arbitration Forum transferring domain names to trademark owners