

ZACHARY BRYANT

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES/MEMBERSHIPS

Oregon State Bar
Washington State Bar Association
United States District Court, District of Oregon

Member:

American Immigration Lawyers Association
WSBA STAR Committee
Vice-Chair & Board Member of LAW
Advocates of Whatcom County
Past member of WSBA Young Lawyer's
Committee

EXPERIENCE

Mainstay Law, LLC, Bellingham, WA

Principal

- Represent clients (individuals and institutions) in family, employment, and investment-based immigration matters. (EB-1, EB-2, EB-5, L-1, E-2, B ½, TN, E-2, etc.)
- Provide corporate and business counsel services.
- Provide civil litigation services

Law Advocates, Bellingham, WA

Volunteer Attorney/Contract Attorney

- Volunteer and also accept contract cases from Law Advocates relating to Landlord/Tenant disputes

TD Knowles & Associates, Bellingham, WA

Attorney

- Represent clients (individuals and institutions) in family, employment, and investment-based immigration matters.
- Provide business counsel

Robinson Tait, P.S., Seattle, WA

Attorney

- Represented some of the USA's largest financial institutions, lenders, trustees, and loan servicers in civil litigation matters relating to real property, title disputes, and consumer issues.
- High volume litigation practice

Northwest Immigration Rights Project, Seattle, WA

Attorney

- Volunteered assisting with asylum representation and victims of crime

Saint Andrew's Legal Clinic, Portland, OR

Volunteer Attorney

- Volunteer attorney with a Family Law clinic providing consultations to low income individuals.

EDUCATION

University of Nebraska, College of Law

- J.D. conferred May of 2011

University of Edinburgh in Scotland

- MA Honors in English Literature conferred May of 2007

Statement of Interest – Zachary Bryant

Solo and Small Practice Section Executive Committee

Position: At-Large Member (10/01/2024 - 09/30/2026)

I have been trying to make sure I am more active in the bar community over the last couple of years. I have been a member of the WSBA Young Lawyers Committee and recently the STAR Committee. My term in the STAR Committee ends in September and I had not thought about what I would like to look into next, and Kari emailed me and mentioned this opportunity, which after some thought I think would be a good next committee for me to get involved in.

In Whatcom County many of the lawyers, including myself, are either solo or small firm attorneys, and I'd like to be involved in the discussions and planning with the bar in a role that aligns with my practice. I have no particular agenda of something I'd like to accomplish in the role (maybe work to create more free CLE credit opportunities, or develop ways for solo/small firms to get access to resources without having to pay the premium that large firms can afford, or develop a way for solo/small firms to be able to do cooperative acts so that they can pool together to get good health insurance or other benefits). I like to think I can bring a unique perspective to discussions as well as be a good voice of dissent when it is needed (I am not a fan when committees become echo chambers).

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