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► Kip T. Bollin, President



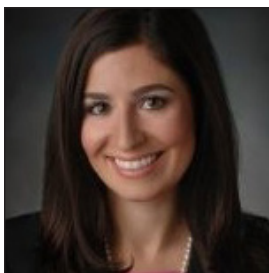
Kip T. Bollin is a litigation partner at Thompson Hine LLP in Cleveland. He defends clients from class actions, product liability, and business claims. In the product liability area, he defends personal injury, mass torts, toxic torts, warranty, and premises liability actions. His business litigation practice includes the defense of class

actions, commercial claims, intellectual property claims (litigation counsel, working with patent counsel), and other federal and state law causes of action. Bollin is a graduate of New York University (B.A. 1992) and Georgetown University (J.D. 1995). He began his legal career as a clerk to Hon. Sam H. Bell of the Northern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, 1995-1997.

Bollin has served on the board of the FBA's Northern District of Ohio Chapter since 2003. He served as both his chapter's Younger Lawyers Committee chair and CLE Committee chair, and after serving in other chapter officer positions, Bollin was elected president of the Northern District of Ohio Chapter for the 2010-11 term. He currently serves on the Northern District of Ohio's Advisory Group, where he co-chairs the Civil Committee. Nationally, Bollin previously served as treasurer, as director on the FBA's Board of Directors, and on multiple committees and task forces.

Locally, Bollin serves on the Board of Trustees for the Free Medical Clinic of Greater Cleveland, where he is chair of the Advocacy Committee and also a past-president of the Free Clinic's associate board. He and his wife, Cathy, live in Rocky River, Ohio, with their teenage children Emily and Kenny. ☺

► Maria Z. Vathis, President-elect



I have been a dedicated and active member of the FBA since the beginning of my legal career. In 2002, I began my service as a member of the Chicago Chapter's Board of Directors. In 2004, I received the "Outstanding Service and Dedication Award" from the local chapter. I also served as editor of the Chicago Chapter's

newsletter, which won an award from FBA National in 2005 for

"Outstanding Newsletter." In addition, I was also in charge of managing the Chicago Chapter's continuing legal education requirements for several years. I also introduced a charitable component to the Chicago Chapter by organizing a cell phone drive to benefit victims of domestic violence and senior citizens in the Chicago area. In 2006, I was elected treasurer of the Chicago Chapter, and, in successive years, I served as secretary, second vice president, and first vice president. In 2010, I had the honor of becoming the youngest person to serve as president of the Chicago Chapter. One of my major accomplishments was planning and hosting a successful Annual Meeting and Convention in Chicago in 2011. Immediately after my term as Chicago Chapter president, I became one of the Seventh Circuit vice presidents and have served two consecutive two-year terms. During my tenure in this position, I worked on increasing membership and creating new chapters. We now have new FBA chapters in the Seventh Circuit along with more new chapters in progress. Since 2011, I have supported the FBA's mission by lobbying on Capitol Hill. At the San Diego convention, I was honored with an award for outstanding leadership in connection with my position as Seventh Circuit vice president. I also served as a member of the Board of Directors from 2012-2015. In 2016, I served as chair of the Convention Committee. Most recently, I have had the honor of serving as national treasurer. My service to the FBA includes chairing the Audit Committee and being an active member of the Second Annual Women in the Law Planning Committee, the Nominations and Elections Committee, the 100-Year Anniversary Planning Committee, the Bench/Bar Committee, and the Task Force on Conventions. I also served as the national delegate for the Chicago Chapter for several years, spoke on panels at several Chapter Leadership Training Programs, served on the Women in the Law Panel at the Annual Meeting in Puerto Rico in 2013, and served at the Fashion Law Conference in 2016.

I am an attorney in Bryan Cave LLP's Chicago office defending clients in complex business litigation in federal and state courts. I also handle the defense of class actions involving alleged violations of federal statutes. In 2012, I was selected as one of Greek America's Forty Under 40, which is a recognition awarded to a group of young leaders of North America who have excelled in their respective business endeavors and who simultaneously strive to make the world around them a better place. I was also selected for inclusion in Chicago Magazine's Super Lawyers—Rising Stars list from 2009-2011 and selected as one of The National Trial Lawyers' Top 100 Lawyers in Illinois for 2011. I have also been an active member of the American Cancer Society's Associate Board of Ambassadors since 2007. ☺

Christian Adams, Treasurer



Christian K. Adams is the founder and managing partner at Adams Miyashiro Krek LLP headquartered in Honolulu, Hawaii, where he concentrates his practice on complex civil and appellate litigation. He received his B.A. from Clark University in Worcester, Mass., and his J.D. from the University of Hawaii Richardson

School of Law in Honolulu, where he was editor-in-chief of the *University of Hawaii Law Review* and where he subsequently served as an adjunct professor and lecturer in law on legal practice and appellate advocacy.

Prior to entering private practice, Adams served as a judicial law clerk to Hon. David A. Ezra, then chief judge for the United States District Court for the District of Hawaii. He has served on the National FBA Board of Directors since 2011 and is a Life Fellow of the Foundation of the FBA. Adams has served in numerous leadership positions within the FBA at both the chapter and national level since 2006 including on various national committees and Task Forces.

His past FBA chapter activities within the Hawaii Chapter include serving as YLD chair, national delegate, on the Annual Hawaii Conference Committee, and as its president from 2010-11. Adams also served in every officer position within the National Younger Lawyers Division including as its national chair from 2014-15. Adams currently serves as Chair of the Sections and Divisions Council and has co-chaired leadership training for incoming chapter, section and division leaders since 2015. He serves as a national director of the FBA in Washington, D.C., and also serves on several Hawaii boards including the Arthritis Foundation, GIFT Foundation, and Heart Start Hawaii Foundation. ☺

DIRECTORS

GROUP 1

W. West Allen



W. West Allen currently serves as chair of the FBA's Government Relations Committee and member of the FBA Board of Directors. From 2011-2014, Allen served on the FBA Board of Directors. From 2007-2013, he served as an FBA circuit vice president (CVP) for the Ninth Circuit, where he assisted in the development of 16 FBA

chapters. During that time, Allen was twice elected to serve as chair of the CVPs. As CVP chair, Allen was an *ex officio* member of the Board of Directors, instituted the FBA's annual Capitol Hill Day, and taught annually at the FBA's leadership training. Prior to serving as an FBA national officer, Allen was the Nevada Chapter president from 2000-2001 and co-chair of the 2006 FBA National Convention held in Las Vegas, which initiated the FBA's new governance structure. Allen has been a life fellow with the FBA since 2009.

Over the years, Allen has worked with many FBA leaders and committees. He was appointed to serve on the FBA's National Council from 2001-2007. He served on the Government Relations Committee; the FBA 100th Anniversary Committee; the Nomination and Elections Committee; the Constitution, Bylaws, Rules & Resolutions Committee (to update the FBA's governance structure); the Chapter Activity Fund Committee; and various national audit, finance, and special task force teams while serving on the Board of Directors.

Allen is a partner at the law firm of Howard & Howard. Previously, Allen was a partner for over a decade with the law firm of Lewis Roca Rothgerber Christie, where he served a five-year term on the firm's governing executive committee. In Nevada, Allen founded the Nevada State Bar's Intellectual Property Section and served as that section's first chair in 2004. In 2005, Allen was appointed by the chief judge of the U.S. District Court District of Nevada to serve on the Civil Rules Standing Committee on the Local Rules. He was reappointed to this committee by the chief judge in 2009 and in 2011 was asked to draft new local patent rules for the District of Nevada. In 2010 and 2016, Allen was appointed by Nevada's federal district judges to serve on the court's Merit Selection Panel for U.S. magistrate judges.

Within the local community, Allen has served since 2008 on the Board of Directors for Opportunity Village, Nevada's premier charity assisting those with intellectual disabilities. He is a volunteer Child Advocate Program attorney for the Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada and serves on the Advisory Board for Humanitarian Experience for Youth, an international youth service project organization. ☺

Andrew K. Clark



My service to the FBA has included the following leadership positions:

- I served as the Richmond Chapter's president from 2004-2005 and 2010-2011. In 2009, I helped re-establish the Richmond Chapter by putting in place a leadership structure that has resulted in the Richmond Chapter remaining an active and invigorated FBA Chapter. To that end, I currently serve on the Board of Directors of the Richmond Chapter of the FBA;
- I have attended various FBA Midyear and Annual Meetings and Conventions, including the following national meetings: 2002 (Dallas), 2003 (Washington, D.C.), 2005 (Fort Lauderdale), 2006 (Las Vegas), 2007 (Atlanta), 2011 (Chicago), 2013 (Puerto Rico), 2014 (Providence), 2015 (Salt Lake City), and 2016 (Cleveland);
- I have participated in the FBA Chapter Leadership Training Program, the Supreme Court Admissions Ceremony hosted by the FBA Younger Lawyers Division, and served as a moderator at the 2012 Chapter Leadership Training Program;
- From 2007 until October 2013, I served on the Board of Directors for the Federal Litigation Section;
- In 2012 and 2013, I served on the FBA Chapter Activity Awards Committee. In 2014, I was selected by Hon. Gustavo A. Gelpi Jr., past president of the Federal Bar Association, to serve as chairman of the Chapter Activity Fund Committee for 2014;

- I was selected by Immediate Past President—Mark K. Vincent, Esq. to serve on the Nominations and Elections Committee for 2016; and
- Since October 2011, I have served as a circuit vice president for the Fourth Circuit. I also currently serve on the FBA's Community Outreach Committee. ☉

Jonathan O. Hafen



Jonathan Hafen has extensive experience representing clients in federal and state courts. He has been widely praised by clients and peers for his skilled and efficient approach to litigation. As a trial lawyer, Hafen handles a wide variety of litigation, including cases in the areas of securities and investment law, employ-

ment law, breach of contract, property disputes, road and access cases, intellectual property, medical devices, pharmaceutical products, disputes over ownership and control of businesses, class actions, and construction law. Hafen also serves as legal counsel to a number of small, midsize, and multinational companies, utilizing the significant resources available at Parr Brown to address the broad spectrum of legal challenges routinely confronting business leaders.

Hafen is heavily involved in work for charitable organizations, and currently serves as chairman of the board of Tuacahn Center for the Arts and for Tuacahn High School for the Performing Arts, which is one of Utah's first and most successful charter schools. He supports numerous professional organizations, holding leadership positions with the Federal Bar Association, the Utah State Bar Litigation Section, BYU Alumni Association, BYU Law School Alumni Association, and the J. Reuben Clark Law Society. He has served for a number of years on the Utah Supreme Court Advisory Committee on the Rules of Civil Procedure. ☉

GROUP 2

Karleen Green



Karleen Green has a blended labor and employment practice that concentrates on employee benefits and employment matters for both public and private employers, including compliance with federal and state employment laws as well as Employment Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA), Health

Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA), and COBRA. She represents clients in various industries, including construction, health care, public utilities, package and freight delivery, financial services, fueling, gaming, industrial equipment, insurance, real estate, food service, education, and state and local government. Green handles issues related to plan qualification under the Internal

Revenue Code and compliance with ERISA, HIPAA, and COBRA. She regularly counsels clients on administration of pension and welfare benefit plans and cafeteria plans as well as plan correction issues. Green also drafts benefit plans and various plan documents such as summary plan descriptions and plan amendments and reviews prototype plan documents and service agreements. She advises employers on nonqualified deferred compensation matters, employment agreements, and severance arrangements. She handles ERISA litigation involving issues of breach of fiduciary duty and wrongful denial of benefits. Green has spoken numerous times on the Patient ACA and the impact on employer-provided group health coverage and counsels clients on compliance issues. ☉

Kelly Titus Scalise



I have been a member of the Federal Bar Association for over 15 years and have served in a leadership role for all of those years. After joining the FBA in November 2001, I became a board member of the Younger Lawyers Division (YLD) of the New Orleans Chapter. I entered the leadership ladder and became chair of the YLD in

2005, overseeing the re-establishment of the YLD following Hurricane Katrina. Through my experiences on my chapter's YLD board, I organized a CLE that brought in over 150 new members; participated in an event for high school students in which they visited oral arguments at the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana; organized a program for law school students at the Eastern District, which also increased membership by over 100 members; and participated in public service projects, including a refurbishment of a police station after Hurricane Katrina.

In 2006, I became a board member of the New Orleans Chapter. As a board member, I served on multiple committees, including CLE committees, policy committees, and planning committees. I served as the national liaison for the New Orleans Chapter from 2009-2011. In 2011, I was selected to serve as membership chair, thus entering the leadership ladder. While I was president-elect in 2015-2016, the New Orleans Chapter was awarded Chapter of the Year. I am currently Chapter president. As president, I have established eight practice area committees, which provide substance and opportunities for engagement to our members; conducted a gift card drive for the legal community affected by devastating floods in Louisiana; welcomed nearly 100 new lawyers as members; coordinated with national sections on CLE programming; and overseen at least one CLE or special event per month.

In 2007, I also became a member of the YLD National Board, joining the Thurgood Marshall Memorial Moot Court Competition Committee and advancing to co-director. I chaired a CLE committee that presented the first YLD CLE program at Annual Convention in San Diego. In 2012-2013, I served as chair of the YLD, co-chairing the largest moot court completion. I received the 2013 Division Chair Award.

In 2013, I co-founded the Admiralty Law Section with Howard McPherson, and am currently serving a two-year term as chair. As chair, I have established a quarterly newsletter, organized three seminars, and steadily recruited members. I am a member of *The Federal*

Lawyer editorial board, past co-chair of the Law Student Division Task Force, and past member of the Sections and Division Council. I have attended eight national conventions and midyear meetings, in addition to two leadership trainings.

I am a shareholder at Liskow & Lewis, practicing in maritime, oilfield, and indemnity issues as well as environmental and tort litigation. I have represented clients both as plaintiffs and defendants, and have tried cases in federal and state court. I serve on my firm's Diversity Committee. I am a frequent presenter on admiralty and insurance issues. I was nominated to "Top Lawyers" by *New Orleans Magazine*. I have received the 2015 FBA President's Award.

I am a member of the New Orleans Bar Association, having chaired several committees; Judge John C. Boutall American Inn of Court; Women's Energy Network; Women's International Shipping & Trading Association; and Fellow of Louisiana Law Foundation and American Bar Foundation. I am a member of the ABA Admiralty and Maritime Law Committee. I also volunteer at my children's school, St. Catherine of Siena. ☺

Vildan A. Teske



Vildan Teske is a founding partner of Teske, Micko, Katz, Kitzer & Rochel in Minneapolis. She has a national practice focused on complex litigation on behalf of consumers, employees, and service members. Teske is a frequent lecturer on consumer rights, class action litigation, and service member rights, and has testified

before the U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee on access to justice in our court system. She joined the FBA in 1995 and has served in leadership roles at the chapter and national level since that time. Teske was honored to be selected as the first recipient of the FBA's Robyn Spalter Outstanding Achievement Award in 2013.

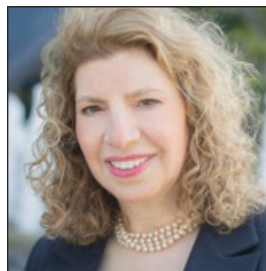
Shortly after joining the FBA and the Minnesota Chapter, she founded the chapter's Newer Lawyers Committee and was appointed its first chair and served on its board of directors for several years. Her work in founding the chapter's Newer Lawyers Committee led her to be appointed to the national Younger Lawyers Division (YLD) board in 1996-97. Teske was then elected for secretary and to each position on the YLD leadership ladder. She served as national chair of YLD in 2003-2004 and a member of one of the last national executive committees prior to the transition to the new governing structure. She also co-chaired and then chaired the YLD Shaw Public Service Grant for five years, worked on the Younger Federal Lawyer Award program, the Supreme Court Admissions program as well as a number of initiatives. As chair of the YLD, she focused especially on working with each local chapter to start or bolster programming for younger attorneys and law students. This resulted in a number of chapters creating sections/committees for younger attorneys.

In the last 21 years, Teske also served a three-year term on the editorial board of *The Federal Lawyer*, was a member of the Constitution and Bylaws Committee and the Membership Committee, was appointed to the National Diversity Task Force and then the Special Committee on Diversity. She also served as parliamentarian of the national FBA and has been a long time member of the Federal

Litigation Section. Teske has served as an appointed member of the National Council for several years, is a fellow of the FBA Foundation, and is currently serving on the Sections and Divisions Council, as well as the Sarah T. Hughes Award Committee. ☺

GROUP 3

Hon. Robin E. Feder



Hon. Robin E. Feder (personal capacity) was appointed as an immigration judge by the United States Department of Justice, Executive Office for Immigration Review, in November 2006. She is the immediate past chair of the Board of Immigration Appeals Precedent Decision Committee. Before becoming

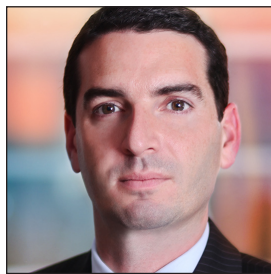
an immigration judge, she was an assistant U.S. attorney at the United States Attorney's Office, District of Rhode Island, where she also served as chief of the Civil Division. Before that, Judge Feder served as an assistant attorney general and as chief of the Civil Division at the Department of Attorney General, State of Rhode Island. She has also worked in private practice in Providence, R.I., and Chicago.

She has served in a leadership capacity with the Federal Bar Association since 2003 when she joined the board of the Rhode Island Chapter, served as its secretary, and later, vice president, president-elect and from 2007-2009, as the chapter's president. She remains a member of the Rhode Island Chapter's board. In 2008 and 2009, Judge Feder accepted, on behalf of the Rhode Island Chapter, Chapter Activity Presidential Awards in recognition of its accomplished and superior chapter activities.

She is also past chair of the Immigration Law Section (ILS). She joined the ILS board in 2009 and was elected to serve as vice chair and then section chair during the Section's 2014-2015 term. During her tenure, the section grew by 28 percent as she and section leadership reached out to law students, younger lawyers, members of the nonprofit and public sectors, as well as attorneys in private practice, expanded the section's programming, and collaborated with chapters and other sections. For these efforts, the ILS received the FBA's 2015 Section and Division Recognition Award "in recognition of outstanding service and achievements in programming, membership outreach, and communication."

Judge Feder is also a member of the Judiciary Division, the International Law Section, and serves on the FBA Section and Division Council's Bylaws Task Force. She has previously served on the FBA's Chapter Activity Fund. Judge Feder serves on the Board of Directors in her personal capacity. Any views she expresses are her own and not those of the Executive Office for Immigration Review. ☺

Joseph S. Leventhal



My experience and involvement with the FBA is significant, broad, and unique. I served as president of the San Diego Chapter in 2015. Under my leadership, the chapter increased membership by 29 percent (279 to 360). We also increased fundraising by 1,429 percent (\$3,500 to \$53,500); social media engagement by over 134

percent (222 connections to 552); launched a new email marketing platform (Benchmark); held a record-breaking 22 CLE events including the chapter's first ever Women in the Law Conference (approximately 150 attendees), the first annual all-day CLE session on competence, ethics, and elimination of bias, and a first ever law student moot court competition; launched two first ever community service events; and created a government relations liaison and held our first ever government relations event with House Committee on the Judiciary member Rep. Darrell Issa. We ended the year with a record high bank account balance, enabling the chapter to continue to innovate and increase its relevancy to members.

At the national level of the FBA, I currently serve on the Community Service Committee and previously served as the chair of the Chapter Activity Fund Committee, as a member of the Government Relations Committee, as a member of the SOLACE Committee, as a member of the Elections and Nominations Committee, and as a member of the board of the YLD. I previously served as chair of the National Convention Planning Committee for the FBA's 2012 Convention in San Diego. I also served as a San Diego Chapter delegate to the annual and midyear meetings of the association numerous times. Finally, I previously served on the FBA's Sarah T. Hughes Civil Rights Award Committee for two years, most recently serving as chair. I am a life fellow of the Foundation and a sustaining member of the association.

I believe other experiences serve me well as a director. For example, at the request of Chief Judge Barry Ted Moskowitz, I recently chaired the Southern District of California's 50th Anniversary Committee, which included several events throughout 2016. I previously co-chaired the Ninth Circuit Lawyer Representatives for the Southern District of California. I was recently asked (and agreed) to chair the Southern District of California's Magistrate Judge Selection Committee. Outside of my volunteer work in the legal community, I serve as a member of the Board of Directors of Kids Included Together, an organization focused on training child care providers how to include children with disabilities instead of simply accommodating such children. I've received many awards recognizing my experience as an attorney, but I discount their relevance here. ☺

Christine Companion Varnado



Christine "Christie" Companion Varnado joined The Seibels Law Firm, P.A., in Charleston, S.C., as a partner in 2009. Since 1993, her civil litigation practice has involved a wide variety of matters and is currently focused on construction defect claims, employment discrimination and compensation, product liability, and election

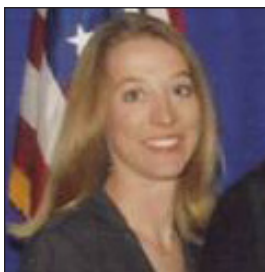
challenges. She also provides counsel to private employers, local governmental entities, and individuals with employment or contractual concerns. She is admitted to practice as member of the South Carolina bar, as well as in the District Court of South Carolina, the Fourth Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals, and the U.S. Supreme Court.

Varnado served as law clerk to Hon. Wallace W. Dixon, U.S. magistrate judge, and as deputy county attorney for the County of Charleston. She was awarded an AV Preeminent rating by Martin-Hubbell and is a lead counsel rated attorney in civil litigation and consumer protection. From 2009 to 2012, she was listed in South Carolina Super Lawyers in the field of construction litigation. Varnado received a B.A. in English from the South Carolina Honors College at the University of South Carolina in 1990, where she was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. She received a J.D. from the University of South Carolina School of Law in 1993, where she was a member of the Order of the Wig & Robe and the editorial staff of the *South Carolina Law Review*.

She was a Fourth Circuit vice president of the Federal Bar Association (2010-2015) and served as chair in 2014-2015. She was inducted as a Fellow of the Foundation of the Federal Bar Association in 2013. She was president of the South Carolina Chapter of the Federal Bar Association in 2008-2009 and a member of its Board of Directors from 2003-2010. She has also served on several committees for the South Carolina Bar and as a Younger Lawyers Division delegate to the annual meeting of the American Bar Association (2001). She has been appointed by South Carolina's governor to serve on the Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration since 2003 and is currently acting as vice chair. Varnado has presented several lectures on various topics including legal ethics, local government, federal civil procedure, employment law, and the Freedom of Information Act, and her writing has been featured in the *South Carolina Lawyer* magazine. ☺

GROUP 4

Hon. Alison S. Bachus



Currently, I serve as national chair of the circuit vice presidents (CVP) and sit on the Board of Directors in an *ex officio* capacity. As such, I assist CVPs in better serving their chapters, finding common solutions to issues that arise through the country, and representing chapters and CVPs to our national Board of Directors. I

have been a vice president for the Ninth Circuit since 2012, and I have worked hard to foster better communication between chapters and national and to marshal resources to keep programming vital and our membership engaged.

Prior to my election as a CVP, I served as Phoenix Chapter president from 2010-2011. The chapter earned the highest chapter activity award level under my presidency, bringing in new programming and starting legislative advocacy efforts to provide increased value to our members. I have served on the Phoenix Chapter board since 2007.

Nationally, I co-chaired national leadership training in 2016, and have spoken/presented at the program every year since 2011. I have served on many national committees, including government relations, membership, nominations and elections, and chapter activity Awards, as well as national task forces. I drafted the national sample membership plan, which is used as a model for chapters across the country for membership best practices. At the section level, I have been a member of the Federal Litigation Section and served on its board. I was a speaker at FBA's national Women in the Law Conference in Washington, D.C., in 2015.

Prior to my appointment to the Arizona state bench in late 2015, I served an assistant U.S. attorney for many years, and as in-house counsel for the Federal Bureau of Prisons in Arizona. I was fortunate to receive various awards during my career as a federal litigator, including Cooperative Law Enforcement and Victims' Rights awards. Before joining the U.S. Attorney's Office, I had the honor to serve as a law clerk for then-Chief U.S. District Judge Stephen M. McNamee.

I currently serve on boards for an Arizona organization serving children in foster care and the Law College Association of the University of Arizona's Rogers College of Law. I am a faculty member of the Arizona's Bar Leadership Institute, working on bench/bar relations between the federal and state bars, and I am a member of the National Association of Women Judges and Arizona Women Lawyers Association. Prior to joining the bench, I served as lawyer-representative for the Ninth Circuit and on Arizona State Bar's Committee on Minorities and Women in the Law. Outside of legal organizations, I am co-leader for my daughter's Girl Scout troop. ☺

David A. Goodwin



David Goodwin is a member of Gustafson Gluek PLLC. He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Madison (B.A. 2001) and DePaul University College of Law (J.D. 2006). Goodwin was admitted to the Minnesota Bar in 2006. His practice focuses on complex class action litigation including antitrust, consumer protection, and civil rights litigation.

Goodwin serves as a member of the FBA Younger Lawyers Division Board of Directors, where he just completed his term as chair. He is also a board member of the Antitrust & Trade Regulation Section, where he served as treasurer. Although Goodwin has served as an *ex officio* member of the FBA board, 2016 marks his first year as an elected board member of the FBA. Goodwin also currently serves the Minnesota Chapter of the FBA as a board member. He has also

served the chapter as national delegate, liaison to the award winning Pro Se Project, and a member of the chapter's Seminar Planning Committee.

In addition to the FBA, Goodwin is also active in the Minnesota State Bar Association (MSBA) where he is a council member and co-chair of the MSBA's Consumer Litigation Section. His pro bono activities include representing clients through the Federal Pro Se Project and the Volunteer Lawyers Network.

He has been recognized as a *Chicago Magazine* Super Lawyer—Rising Star from 2013-2016 as well as a MSBA North Star Lawyer for his pro bono service. ☺

Glen R. McMurry



Glen McMurry is an active member of the Dayton, Ohio, Chapter and resumes his membership on the National Board of Directors for the second year of his first term. McMurry began his membership in the FBA in 2010 by reorganizing the Dayton Chapter. Upon being sworn in as president, the Dayton Chapter's membership hovered between 20 and 30 members and the chapter hosted only one event per year. With the encouragement of his local federal judges, he formalized and grew the Dayton Chapter, serving as president for three consecutive terms. At the end of his final term as president in October 2013, the Dayton Chapter had adopted new bylaws, was servicing approximately 115 members, and was hosting/sponsoring approximately 15-20 social and CLE events per year. This resurgence culminated with the Dayton Chapter's receipt of the Chapter of the Year Award at the FBA's 2014 Annual Meeting and Convention in Providence, R.I.

McMurry also serves as member of the Younger Lawyers Division (YLD) National Board of Directors as chair. In 2011, he assisted the YLD board by authoring our current YLD bylaws and was ultimately selected to be the national secretary in 2013. He previously served as the treasurer and vice-chair of the division. McMurry was also one of the driving forces behind the FBA's YLD membership age expansion and was the author of the YLD's report and recommendation regarding the FBA's modification of the current YLD age and years of practice membership restrictions, which was adopted in 2016. McMurry previously served as a member of the Government Relations Committee and currently serves as the Columns Editor for *The Federal Lawyer* editorial board. McMurry was also a co-chair of the 2016 Annual Meeting Planning Committee for the Annual Meeting and Convention taking place in Cleveland. ☺