

Laurie J. Briggs
Curriculum Vitae

Education:

Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
Juris Doctor, 1993

State University of New York at Plattsburgh, Plattsburgh, NY
M.S. Educational Leadership, 1987

State University of New York at Albany, Albany, NY
B.S. Education, 1982

Admitted to Practice:

United States Supreme Court, 2012
Florida, 1993
United States District Court, Northern District of Florida, 2009
United States District Court, Middle District of Florida, 2009
United States District Court, District of New Mexico, 2016
United States District Court, Southern District of Florida, 2020

Experience:

Searcy Denney Scarola Barnhart & Shipley, P.A., West Palm Beach, FL
Shareholder, 2020-present
Associate/law clerk, 1994-2020

Professional Associations and Awards:

Florida Bar, Admitted October 5, 1993
Student Education and Admission to the Bar Committee, 2014-2020

American Bar Association, 1993 – present

National Trial Lawyers Top 100, 2020 - present

American Association for Justice, Washington, D.C.

Women's Trial Lawyer's Caucus, 2014 – present
Finalist, Trial Lawyer's Care Award, 2014

Florida Justice Association, 1994 – present

Executive Committee, 2014-present

Board of Directors, 2012-present

Fellow, 2016- present

Membership Chair, 2013-2015

Women’s Caucus Chair, 2012-2014

Women’s Caucus Board of Directors, 2010-2018

Budget Review Committee, 2020

B.J. Masterson Award for professionalism, 2018

W. McKinley Smiley, Jr. Award for mentoring young lawyers, 2014

Cornerstone Award for membership recruitment and retention, 2014-present

Rising Star Award, 2012

Palm Beach County Justice Association

Social Justice Committee Co-Chair, 2020

Palm Beach County Bar Association

American Civil Liberties Union

Palm Beach County Women’s Chamber of Commerce, 2019-present

South Florida Legal Guide Top Lawyer 2015

Florida’s Legal Elite 2014

Florida Super Lawyers, 2015-present

Charities and Community Involvement:

Friends of Foster Children of Palm Beach County, Inc., West Palm Beach, FL

President, 2010-present, Board member, 2004-present

SDSBS Giving B.A.C.K., Inc., West Palm Beach, FL

President, 2000-present

Andros Isle Property Owners Association, West Palm Beach, FL

President, 2010-present, Board member 2004 – present