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Malinda practices in the areas of professional liability (medical, legal, A&E, E&O, D&O), employment litigation, sexual misconduct matters, premises liability, transportation, bad faith insurance claims, and coverage disputes.

Highlights

Malinda began her career in litigation with a medical malpractice defense firm in Tulsa, followed by serving as Chief Compliance Officer for a large comprehensive health system. Malinda relocated to Oklahoma City in 2000 and has extended her practice to all-inclusive insurance defense litigation.

Malinda has tried lawsuits before arbitrators, judges, and juries in federal courts in Oklahoma and Missouri, and in many of Oklahoma's state courts. She has also resolved hundreds of cases through motion practice, negotiation, and mediation.

Malinda has been peer-selected as an Oklahoma SuperLawyer for more than ten years, and has been listed among America's Top 100 High Stakes Litigators.

Education

- Undergraduate School: University of Oklahoma (Finance, *magna cum laude*)
- Law School: University of Oklahoma College of Law

Admitted to Practice

- Oklahoma (including its three federal district courts)
- U.S. Court of Appeals (Eighth Circuit, Tenth Circuit)
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of Missouri

Field of Practice

- Professional Liability
- Medical Malpractice
- Labor and Employment
- Premises Liability
- Transportation/Trucking
- Insurance Coverage/Bad Faith

Professional Affiliations

- Oklahoma Bar Association (former member of Bench & Bar Committee, Civil Procedure Committee, and Oklahoma Uniform Jury Instruction Committee)
- Oklahoma Association of Defense Counsel (past President, former Board member, and recipient, Distinguished Service Award)
- Defense Research Institute
- Claims and Litigation Management Alliance

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