

## *JOAN ANTOINETTE STRINGER*

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**Education:** Indiana University of School of Law, Bloomington, Indiana  
Juris Doctorate, May 1982

Kentucky State University, Frankfort, Kentucky  
Bachelor of Arts (*cum laude*), May 1978

### **Work**

**Experience: Senior Status Judge February 1, 2009 – November 24, 2014**

**Jefferson County District, Circuit and Family Courts  
Thirtieth Judicial District of Kentucky  
600 West Jefferson Street/700 West Jefferson Street  
Louisville, Kentucky**

Presided over all Family Court matters, as well as matters in circuit and district courts involving misdemeanor criminal offenses, small claims, traffic offenses, and civil cases. Duties include hearing disputes, conducting trials, and the performance of such other services to the public as warranted by judicial dictates.

**Judge, Jefferson District Court, Division 13 January, 2000 –January 31, 2009  
Thirtieth Judicial District of Kentucky  
600 West Jefferson Street  
Louisville, Kentucky**

Presided over misdemeanor criminal offenses, small claims, traffic offenses, and minor civil cases. Duties include hearing disputes, conducting trials, and the performance of such other services to the public as warranted by judicial dictates.

**Jefferson County Commonwealth's Attorney's Office February, 1986 - January, 2000**  
514 West Jefferson Street  
Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky

### **Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney**

Prosecution of felony cases from the date of indictment through trial or negotiated resolution, and for some post-conviction matters in the District, Family and Circuit courts of Jefferson County, Kentucky. Litigation of cases included domestic violence, child physical and sexual abuse, and elder abuse cases, including capital murder

### ***Areas of Concentration:***

*1992- 2000 Domestic Violence and Child Abuse Prosecution*

*1990-1992 Persistent Felony Offender Specialist*

*1988-1990 Advisor to Jefferson County Grand Jury*

**Indiana State Public Defender**  
Indianapolis, Indiana

**February 1985- January, 1986**

**Deputy State Public Defender**

Represented indigent clients in all matters of post-conviction relief at the appellate level, including the preparation and filing of legal memoranda and briefs, and litigation in state and appellate courts of Indiana.

**Jefferson District Public Defender Corporation**

**1983- 1985**

719 West Jefferson Street  
Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky

**Deputy District Defender**

Representation of indigent juveniles in all court matters from the time of arrest through resolution through trial or negotiated resolution in the Jefferson County Court System.

**Jefferson Community College**

**1990-1992**

Louisville, Kentucky

**Adjunct Professor**

Instructor of Introduction to Business Law for the Fall and Spring semesters.

**Sullivan University**

**2002 - Present**

Louisville, Kentucky

**Adjunct Professor**

Instructor for Paralegal Studies Department teaching classes in Criminal Law, Torts, Litigation, Estate Planning, Administrative Law, Business Organizations and Commercial Practices, and Domestic Relations.

**Simmons College of Kentucky**

**2018 - Present**

Louisville, Kentucky

**Adjunct Professor**

Instructor for Department of Communications teaching Argumentation and Persuasion and Conflict Management and Dispute Resolution.

**Professional  
Honors and  
Activities:**

**Recipient, Louisville Metro Police Dept. *Chief's Community Partnership Award*, 2006**

**Recipient, *Today's Woman Magazine* H.E.R. "Community Angel" Award, 2006**

**Recipient, Louisville Metro Office of Youth Dev. *Distinguished Service Award*, 2003**

**Recipient, WLKY-TV 32 *Bell Award*, 1999**

**Recipient, *Champions for Children Award - Child Advocate Section*, 1999**

**Louisville Bar Association Board Member, 1998-1999**

**National Bar Association, Louisville Chapter President, 1990-92**

**Member, Council for Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, 2006**

**Board Member, Sullivan University Paralegal Studies, 2002 - 2014**

**Speaker/Participant:**

Louisville Bar Association New Lawyers' Orientation  
Louisville Bar Association Leadership Academy  
Kentucky High School Mock Trial Competition  
University of Louisville School of Law Mock Trial Competition  
Bellarmine University Mock Trial Competition  
Central High School Law and Government Magnet Program

**Professional  
Organizations:**

Kentucky Bar Association  
Women Lawyers Association  
National Bar Association, Louisville Chapter (Past President)  
Metropolitan Women's Political Caucus

**Bar Admissions:**

Kentucky  
Indiana