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Cory Carlyle is an experienced appellate lawyer who recently concluded a six-year term on Texas' Fifth District Court of Appeals in Dallas. During his term, Cory handled more than 1000 cases in various subject areas. His advocacy skills are unparalleled, and his expertise is demonstrable.

In addition to regular appellate matters, Cory assists clients as appellate counsel before and during trial when it's most essential. His extensive experience handling law-heavy trial portions, such as dispositive motions, evidentiary matters, and jury charges, gives him a unique approach to each case.

Cory is always ready to pursue mandamus or appeal, even if the firm did not handle the trial. His philosophy is practical and comprehensive trial preparation leads to appellate success.

Awards & Recognition

TEXAS BOARD OF LEGAL SPECIALIZATION Board Certified in Civil Appellate Law 2024

Related Services

Appellate Litigation

Publications & Speaking Engagements

Case Law Update

Rockwall County Bench Bar Conference 2024

Appellate Justice Panel

Joint Meeting of Dallas and Fort Worth Bar Association Appellate Sections September 22, 2023

Judicial Panel Discussions

Dallas County Bench Bar Conference 2023

The Itsy-Bitsy Burden

Dallas Bar Association Headnotes August 2021

Get Acquainted with the Fifth Court of Appeals

Dallas Bar Association Business Litigation Section April 15, 2019

Drafting the Brief Part I: A Nuts-and-Bolts Guide to Better Legal Writing

Becoming an Appellate Lawyer Texas Bar CLE conference March 6, 2025

Properly Presenting Your Appeal (with Scott Stolley and Anne Johnson)

Dallas Bar Association December 2, 2021

Supreme Court Update

North Dallas Chamber of Commerce Civics for Business November 6, 2019

Education, Admissions & Activities

EDUCATION

University of Houston Law Center

J.D., 2005

University of Texas at Austin

B.A., 2001

BAR ADMISSIONS

Texas

2005

District of Columbia

2008

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Texas Judicial Commission on Mental Health

Commissioner, 2020–2023

Dallas Bar Association Labor & Employment Committee

Judicial Liaison, 2021–2024

William 'Mac' Taylor Inn of Court

Master of the Bench, 2019-present

State Bar Litigation Section Report

Associate Editor, ex officio member of editorial board, The Advocate 2006-present