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William H. "Bill" Oliver has practiced law for more than 35 years and comes from a long line of Oliver lawyers in San Antonio beginning with his grandfather, Herbert Oliver, in 1921, and his father, uncle, brother and daughter. The primary focus of his career has been business law through many different business cycles, beginning with a real estate transaction and commercial lending practice during the 1980s, followed by a workout and bankruptcy practice into the early 1990s, and evolving into a business practice that included state and federal court litigation, business entity formation, and transactions.

Bill is a "go to" business litigation specialist, and his trial skills have earned him the confidence of clients in many other areas as well, including complicated real estate litigation and complex commercial litigation. While the common thread throughout Bill's diverse law career has been business-oriented cases, he routinely represents clients in contested probate and estate litigation and in oil and gas disputes.

Bar Admissions

Texas, 1983

US District Court – Northern District of Texas, 1983

US District Court – Western District of Texas, 1986

US District Court – Southern District of Texas, 1991

Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals, 1995

Professional Recognitions

Life Member, Multi-Million Dollar Advocates Forum,
the Top Trial Lawyers in America® (*Selected by Million Dollar Advocates Forum, LLC*)
America's Top 100 High Stakes Litigators® (*Selected by America's Top 100 LLC*)
Texas Super Lawyers® (*Multi-year designation*)
San Antonio Bar Foundation, *Sustaining Life Fellow*
AV Preeminent Rating by Martindale-Hubbell
Who's Who in American Law (*Selected by Marquis Who's Who*)

Education

Southern Methodist University
Bachelor of Business Administration, with accounting emphasis, 1980
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science, 1980
Doctor of Jurisprudence, Order of the Coif, 1983
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Papers & Presentations

Transfers in Fraud of Creditor: When Do Common Planning Techniques Cross the Line?, presented at the William W Gibson, Jr. Mortgage Lending Institute.