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Areas of Practice

- Estate Planning
- Alternate Dispute Resolution
- Probate, Estate & Trust Administration
- Business

Education

- University of Missouri at Kansas City
J.D., 1996
Chief Judge of Honor Court
Staff Member of Urban Lawyer
Inten Law Clerk of Chief Judge of the U.S. District Court for the District of Kansas
- University of Missouri – Columbia
LL.M, Dispute Resolution, 2006
- University of Kansas
B.A., 1993

Bar Admissions

- Kansas
- Missouri
- Arkansas

Experience

Katie Moore joined the firm as Of Counsel in April, 2018 and practices primarily in the firm's office in Springfield, Missouri. Ms. Moore focuses her practice on estate planning, trust and probate administration, business succession planning and mediation.

Ms. Moore received her Juris Doctor degree from the University of Missouri at Kansas City and a LL.M. in Alternative Dispute Resolution from the University of Missouri - Columbia. While at UMKC, Ms. Moore was an intern law clerk for the Chief Judge of the US District Court for the District of Kansas, served on the staff of The Urban Lawyer and was the Chief Judge of the Honor Court. Ms. Moore practiced in the Kansas City area in both Kansas and Missouri for five years before moving to Springfield with her family. She has served as an adjunct professor teaching a graduate level Communication and Negotiation course at Missouri State University. Ms. Moore has extensive experience mediating civil and family matters and has assisted in the development of mediation programs in three counties in Southern Missouri.

Ms. Moore is involved in numerous organizations in the Springfield community as a board member and volunteer. She currently serves as a board member of the Springfield Branson National Airport Board, Springfield Greene County Library Board of Trustees, and Mercy Hospital Health Foundation Board. She is a past president of the Junior League of Springfield and past board member of Isabel's House Crisis Nursery of the Ozarks, Child Advocacy Center and the Springfield Ballet. Ms. Moore is a private pilot holding single engine, multi engine and instrument ratings.

Distinctions

- Graduate, American College of Trust and Estate Counsel ("ACTEC") Heart of America Institute
- Recognized by *Best Lawyers* from 2024-2025 in the following fields:
 - Litigation - Trusts and Estates
 - Trusts and Estates

Affiliations

- The Missouri Bar
Vice Chair, Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee
Appointed Member, Complaint Resolution Committee

- Southern Missouri Women Lawyers – Board Member
- Springfield Bar Association
- Lawyer Pilot Bar Association
- Association Of Attorney Mediators
- Association Of Missouri Mediators
- Springfield Branson Nation Airport- Board Member
- Springfield Greene County Library – President of the Board of Trustees
- Mercy Hospital Foundation – Secretary of Board
- Junior League of Springfield – current Board member and Past President

Publications & Presentations

Qualified Joint Spousal Trusts

Protecting Your Assets