

## W. Troy McKinney Bio - 2025

1. Texas Board of Legal Specialization (TBLS) Board Certified in Criminal Law, Criminal Appellate Law, and DWI Defense. The only lawyer in Texas with all three.
2. Licenced for over 38 years. Tried over 250 jury trials to verdict. Handled over 300 appeals. Presented at over 280 CLE presentations across the country and internationally.
3. Fellow and Former Dean National College for DUI Defense.  
Past President - Harris County Criminal Lawyers Association.  
Former Board Member and Executive Committee member TCDLA and CDLP
4. Served on the TBLS Criminal Law Board Certification Examination Committee (six years) and currently serve on the TBLS Criminal Law Advisory Commission (12 years).
5. TCDLA Lawyer of the Year 2012  
Best Lawyers of America - Lawyer of the Year DWI Defense Houston 2013, 2017, 2019, 2024  
Lawyer of the Year Texas DWI Defense Lawyers Assn 2017.
6. Texas Super Lawyer for 20 years in Criminal Law or DWI Defense.  
Texas Super Lawyers Top 100 Lawyers in Texas 2013.  
Texas Super Lawyers Top 100 Lawyers in Houston 2011, 2013, 2014, 2018.
7. Erwin-Taylor Lifetime Achievement Award: National College for DUI Defense 2018.  
Tom Garner Distinguished Service Award: Texas Board of Legal Specialization 2020.
8. Have represented scores of lawyers on grievance matters.  
Have represented 20+ judges and other public officials in election mandamus actions and Judicial Conduct Commission proceedings.
9. NHTSA SFST student and instructor course completion. Intoxilyzer 5000 training. Axion labs blood chromatography course.