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# Kim Beight Kelly

#### **ASSOCIATE**

Kim Kelly is a civil litigator who represents individuals and corporations in both federal and state courts. She has experience defending major corporations, insurance companies, and small businesses in a wide variety of cases, including product liability, insurance coverage and bad faith litigation, dealership liability, personal injury and wrongful death, and business contract disputes.

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## **PRACTICE AREAS**

- Product Liability Litigation
- Commercial Litigation
- Insurance Defense and Coverage

#### **EDUCATION**

- Southwestern Oklahoma State University (B.A., cum laude, 2012)
- University of Oklahoma College of Law (J.D. with Honors, Order of the Coif, 2015).

#### **ADMISSIONS**

- 2015, Texas
- 2015, U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas
- 2016, U.S. District Court, Southern District of Texas
- 2016, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Texas
- 2016, U.S. District Court, Western District of Texas

#### **BIOGRAPHY**

Kim Kelly is a goal-oriented litigator who advocates for clients through every stage of litigation, from pre-suit negotiations through final resolution. Kim works closely with clients to identify strategic objectives and manage risk at each critical juncture over the life of a lawsuit. She is experienced in defending clients of all sizes in both state and federal courts.

While at the University of Oklahoma College of Law, Kim served as the Business and Marketing Editor for the Oklahoma Law Review, and as President of the Board of Advocates. She also served as a mentor for 1L students. She was also inducted as a Member of the Order of the Coif.

She lives in Dallas with her husband, two children, and their Great Pyrenees rescue dog. She is active in her community and focuses her volunteering on the homeless in her neighborhood of downtown Dallas. She is also an active member at Chapel of the Cross in Uptown Dallas. In her free time, she enjoys baking, camping, and spending time with her family.

#### PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Texas Bar Association
- Dallas Bar Association
- Dallas Association of Young Lawyers (Member, 2019 Leadership Class)

#### RECOGNITION

Best Lawyers® in America: Ones to Watch (2021)

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- E-Discovery in a Post-COVID World
- Phillips Murrah announces 61 attorneys named to 2021 Best Lawyers lists