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Matt Burns is a graduate of the University of Texas School of Law. Before attending law school he received a Bachelor of Science degree from Oklahoma State University and worked for several years with commercial and civil construction contractors. He has represented governmental entities and private parties in contract, copyright, bankruptcy, and other commercial matters, as well as civil rights, real estate, probate, and personal injury litigation. Matt is an experienced civil trial attorney in Texas and federal court. He also serves as a Criminal Associate Judge for the District and County Courts in Hays County, Texas, as well as Presiding Judge in two Texas municipal courts.

Education/Licenses:

Doctor of Jurisprudence, University of Texas at Austin
Bachelor of Science, Oklahoma State University

Licensed to practice by the Texas Supreme Court; United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit; and United States District Courts for the Northern, Eastern, Southern, and Western Districts of Texas. Member of the State Bar of Texas.

Professional Experience:

Criminal Associate Judge, Hays County District and County Courts (Current Position)

Presiding Judge, City of Wimberley Municipal Court (Current position)

Presiding Judge, City of Blanco Municipal Court (Current position)

Law Offices of Daniel M. Burns (Current position)

General practice law firm serving governmental entities and private clients in litigation, transactional, and general counsel capacities.

Walsh, Anderson, Brown, Schulze & Aldridge (Prior position)

Attorney in law firm primarily serving Texas independent school districts and junior college districts. Practice included litigation of state and federal claims by and against clients, as well as providing general counsel services to governmental entities on purchasing, financial and commercial law issues, employment, civil rights, and other areas of public school operations and governance.

Office of the Texas Attorney General (Prior Position)

Assistant Attorney General in the Tort Litigation Division, Commercial Law Section. First chair litigation responsibility for lawsuits involving Texas state agencies, officials and employees. Areas of practice included personal injury and medical malpractice defense, construction defect and claim issues, bankruptcy, intellectual property and general contract related matters.