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Bonnie Polk is a litigation attorney.

She focuses on clients involved in probate and trust disputes, representing trustees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, and interested third parties in trust proceedings, will contests, and other fiduciary litigation. Bonnie also represents clients involved in corporate and real estate disputes.

Bonnie is a Board member of Cenacle Legal Services, Inc., a non-profit organization that provides legal services to the poor in the local community. She is a member and past Chair of the Twelfth Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission, a member of the Board of Directors of the Sarasota County Bar Association, and recently served as President of the Judge John M. Scheb American Inn of Court.



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EDUCATION

J.D., **Stetson University College of Law**, Cum Laude; Moot Court Board Member; Law I, II & III Academic Scholarship; ABWA Academic Scholarship

B.S., **Lynn University**, Valedictorian; Summa Cum Laude

PRACTICES

Litigation

Estate & Trust Litigation

ADMISSIONS & LICENSURE

Bar

Florida

HONORS

Judge John M. Scheb American Inn of Court Professionalism Award, 2019

Sarasota County Bar Association C.L. McKaig Award for Distinguished Service, 2016

Martindale-Hubbell, AV Preeminent

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

Making Florida Your New "Home" - How to Ensure Florida is Deemed Your Domicile (6/1/2010)

So You Have Been Asked to Serve as a Trustee of a Trust? What You Should Know about Serving (10/1/2008)

What is E-Discovery and Why Do I Care? (5/10/2007)

Lessons Learned: Tips for Avoiding Litigation in Real Estate Contracts (10/18/2006)

PROFESSIONAL & CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Twelfth Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission, Member,
Past Chair

Judge John M. Scheb Inn of Court, Master Member, Past
President

Cenacle Legal Services, Inc., Board of Directors Member

Cardinal Mooney Catholic High School, Advisory Board Member

Catholic Lawyers Guild, Board of Directors Member

Florida Bar, Real Property, Probate & Trust Law Section Member

Sarasota County Bar Association, Board of Directors Member,
Estate Planning and Probate Section Member, Annual Awards
Committee, Past Chair

Johns Hopkins All Children's Hospital Foundation, 2018-2019
Committee Member,
A Women's Journey

Florida Association for Women Lawyers, Sarasota Chapter,
Past President

Catholic Diocese of Venice School Board, Former Member

St. Martha Catholic School Board, Former Member