



PRINCIPAL ATTORNEY

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Darice Weber has secured defense verdicts in complex, high-exposure litigation for nearly 30 years, representing clients in malpractice, trucking, employment, and negligence matters.

Darice believes that every move in a case should accomplish something meaningful, whether in discovery, motion practice, settlement negotiations, or trial. Clients rely on her to identify strengths and risks and to develop a plan that positions the case for the best possible outcome without unnecessary litigation activity. She has secured defense verdicts, obtained dismissals in complex litigation, and handled appellate matters in state and federal courts, including the United States Supreme Court, the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals, and the Michigan Supreme Court.

Darice's practice includes complex litigation involving legal malpractice, trucking and transportation claims, employment disputes, professional liability, and negligence defense. Her focus is on delivering value and directing case strategy from start to finish. Darice demonstrates command of both the facts and the law in the legal malpractice matters she handles. She also has extensive experience handling high-exposure trucking and automobile negligence matters and has won numerous jury trials involving weeks of testimony and trial work.

Darice views her clients as partners. Before shaping litigation strategy, she works to understand how each client's business or organization operates. She also strives to help clients learn from the immediate dispute to avoid similar issues in the future. Known for strong cross-examination and disciplined preparation, she is often called on to revise defense strategy, prepare key witnesses, and guide high-risk litigation approaching trial.

Darice earned her Juris Doctor from the University of Michigan Law School after completing a double major in mathematics and political science with highest honors at the University of Michigan–Dearborn. Early clerkships with Michigan Supreme Court Justice James H. Brickley and Justice Robert P. Griffin continue to shape her analytical approach and interest in appellate advocacy.

Outside the office, Darice supports animal rescue organizations, spends time with family, and enjoys community theatre with her sisters. She recently picked up the trumpet after years away from music and is also determined to return to competitive tennis.



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Business & Commercial Litigation
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Insurance Coverage
Insurance Defense
Insurance Fraud
Insurance Insolvency & Liquidation Law
Malpractice and Professional Liability
Products Liability
Transportation Law

EDUCATION

University of Michigan,
Juris Doctor, 1993

University College, Oxford University,
Southern Methodist University
Summer Law Program, 1992

University of Michigan, Dearborn,
Bachelor of Science, Mathematics, 1990
Bachelor of Science, Political Science, 1990
Highest Honors
Political Science Intern with Hon. Patricia Boyle

BAR ADMISSIONS

State of Michigan
U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan
U.S. District Court for the Western District of Michigan

PUBLICATIONS

"Medical Marijuana," Detroit Metropolitan Bar Association's
Teens and the Law, Summer 2011
"Where Have All The Products Gone? Spoliation of
Evidence in Product Liability Actions," *Defense Research
Institute Young Lawyer Committee*, Fall 1997
"Are They Qualified? Excluding Expert Testimony Under
MRE 702," *Michigan Defense Trial Quarterly*, Spring 1997
"Crashworthiness After Sumner: Plaintiff's "Enhanced"
Burden of Proof," *Michigan Defense Trial Quarterly*,
Fall 1996

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