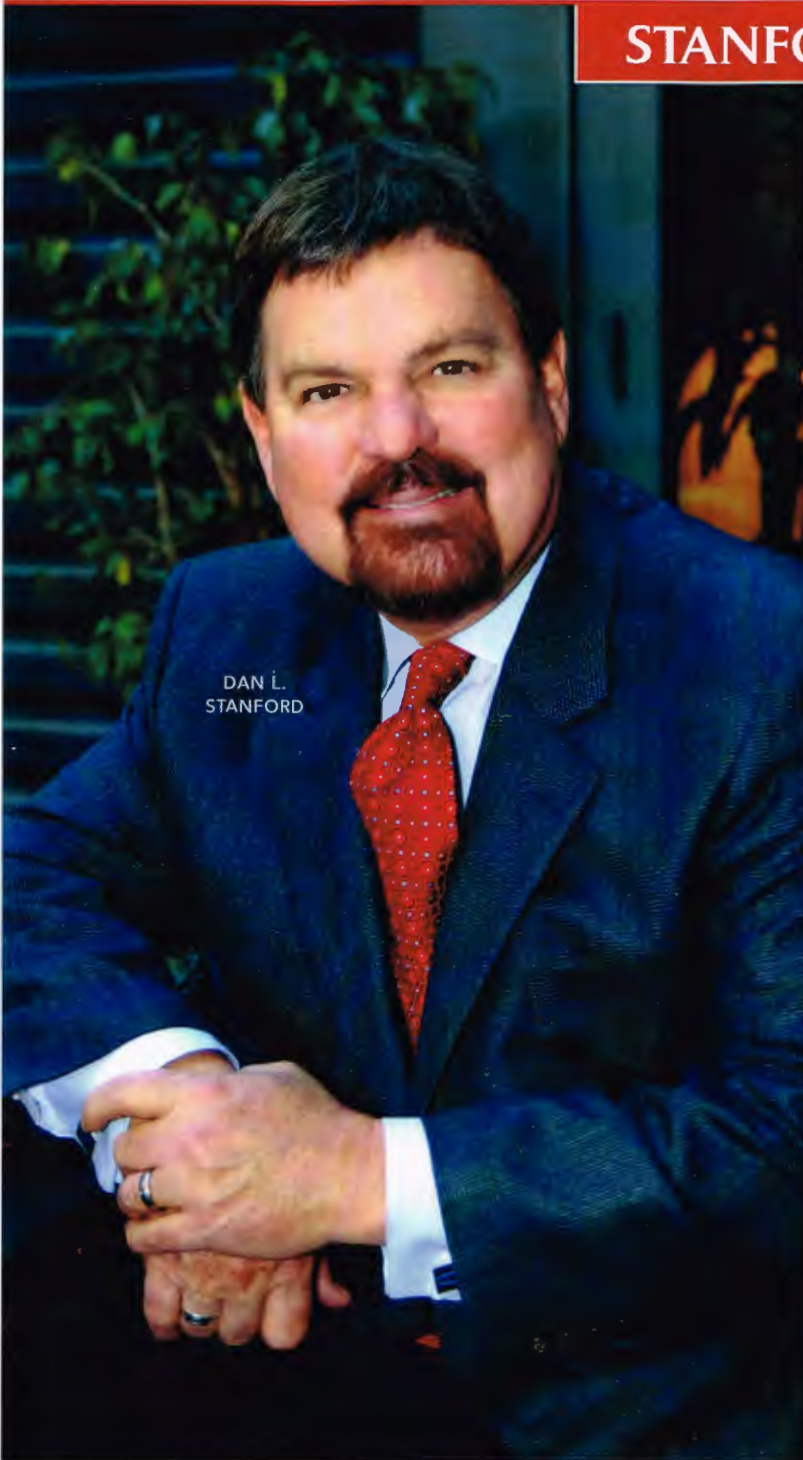


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### LEGAL MALPRACTICE SPECIALIST

- *San Diego Super Lawyers*®
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- *San Diego Magazine's* Top Lawyers

### TRIAL EXPERIENCE

- More than 32 years of jury trial experience
- Tried cases for 15 years as defense lawyer
- Tried cases for more than 17 years as plaintiffs' lawyer
- Multimillion-dollar settlements and verdicts

### SERVICE TO THE BAR

- Inns of Court leader
- Frequent seminar speaker
- Published author on legal malpractice
- Mediates disputes between lawyers and clients

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#### LEGAL MALPRACTICE

If a substantial legal malpractice case is filed in Southern California, chances are Dan L. Stanford and his specialty law firm, Stanford And Associates, will be representing the plaintiff. When a pension crisis unfolded in San Diego and city officials needed outside counsel to evaluate and prosecute professional liability cases against former attorneys, they naturally turned to Stanford And Associates. Regarded as the pre-eminent legal malpractice attorney in Southern California, Stanford has obtained multimillion-dollar judgments and settlements for his clients, including several million dollars for San Diego's general fund.

#### TRIAL EXPERIENCE

In his 31-year legal career, Stanford has been on both sides of the legal profession—civil litigation defense and plaintiffs' legal malpractice. "For over 15 years I was fortunate to be trained and [to] try cases in large, prestigious law firms [Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps and Pillsbury, Madison & Sutro], but for the past 16 years our practice has been limited to representing clients in claims against lawyers," Stanford says. He has tried dozens of jury trials and is known for his skill and willingness to take cases to trial.

#### AGGRESSIVE ADVOCACY

"Dan Stanford is known and respected for his aggressive advocacy and results," says J. Lawrence Irving, a retired federal court judge and respected mediator. Dan White, a San Diego defense lawyer with White & Oliver, agrees. "He is one tough lawyer who cares about his clients," he says. Stanford, who receives all of his legal malpractice cases on referral from other lawyers and former clients, is very selective and limits the firm's caseload to less than a dozen cases at one time.

#### SERVICE TO THE BAR

Even though some may view his practice as "unpopular," Stanford works long hours to represent his clients while providing service to his profession. He lectures and writes extensively on legal ethics, teaches lawyers how to avoid legal malpractice

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claims, and volunteers his time to help young lawyers in their practices. "I spend almost as much time talking prospective clients out of filing lawsuits against lawyers, or informally resolving disputes between lawyers and disgruntled clients, as I do prosecuting claims," Stanford says. "Most lawyers are honest, hard-working and take great pride in our profession."

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