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## MELANIE D. MANDLES

### Admitted

- 1997, California

### Memberships

- **Beverly Hills Bar Association** (Member, Family Law Section; Member, Executive Committee - 2011 to present)
- **Los Angeles County Bar Association** (Member, Family Law Section)
- **State Bar of California**
- **The Alliance for Children's Rights** (Former committee member and pro bono attorney)
- **The Los Angeles Center for Law and Justice** (Member, Board of Directors)

### Biography

- Selected as a Southern California "**Rising Star**", 2005 - 2011
- Named in Southern California "**Super Lawyers**", 2012 - present
- Named in "**The Best Lawyers in America**," 2013 - present
- Named in "**Top Women Lawyers in Southern California**", 2013 - present
- Named in "**Top 50 Women Lawyers in Southern California**", 2017-present

### Speaking Credits

- **Beverly Hills Bar Association**, "Spousal Support: How to Navigate this Challenging Financial Issue" (June 15, 2011)
  - **Beverly Hills Bar Association**, "Fiduciary Duty Claims: Translating Legal Concepts to Practical Advocacy" (June 26, 2013)
  - **Beverly Hills Bar Association**, "Settlement, Judicial Economy and Professional Relationships: Creating a New Paradigm for Family Law in Los Angeles" (November 2, 2013)
  - **UCLA School of Law**, Guest Lecturer (Fall 2014)
  - **UCLA School of Law**, Guest Lecturer (Fall 2015)
  - Cal CPA Conference, "Sophisticated Tracing Concepts" (Fall 2014)
  - LACLJ, Family Law Practice Pointers (Spring 2015)
  - **UCLA School of Law**, Inaugural Speaker to the Family Law Society, Fall 2016
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