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Joshua Ross spent over a decade as lead counsel in high-profile litigation as a state attorney, which included organized crime, fraud, employee embezzlement and identity theft, as well as capital murder, narcotics trafficking, and other serious criminal offenses. With over 70 trials to jury verdict, Mr. Ross joined Cantey Hanger to practice white collar criminal defense in federal and state court, and to continue the firm's ardent defense of Texas physicians, hospitals and health care providers.

PRINCIPAL PRACTICE AREAS

- Health Law
- White Collar Criminal Defense
- Administrative Law
- Environmental Law

EDUCATION

- St. Mary's University School of Law, San Antonio, Texas, 2004
- St. Mary's University School of Law, Institute on World Legal Problems, Innsbruck, Austria, Summer, 2002
Studied Concepts of Foreign Legal Systems, The Internationalization of the Legal Profession, and issues relating to Comparative Constitutional Law under United States Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia
- The University of Texas, B.S., May, 2001

EXPERIENCE

Eleven years as an Assistant District Attorney in the Tarrant County District Attorney's Office, with lead counsel trial experience in the office's Misdemeanor Trial Division, Family Violence/Domestic Crimes Unit, Felony Trial Division, Juvenile Division, and the Gang/Homicide Unit.

Defense of clients against environmental criminal charges.

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Over 70 trials to jury verdict. Lead counsel on thousands of cases.

Many of Mr. Ross' criminal trials garnered significant media attention in local, national and worldwide publications and media outlets, including the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, The New York Daily News, The Daily Mail, etc.

Mr. Ross' prosecution and trial of an Aryan Brotherhood of Texas "kingpin" in 2015 was part of a state-wide law-enforcement crackdown by local, state and federal officials targeting the leadership of one of the most violent organized criminal enterprises in the nation.

BAR ADMISSIONS & CERTIFICATIONS

- State Bar of Texas, 2004
- United States District Court – Northern District of Texas
- U.S. District Court – Eastern District of Texas

PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Mr. Ross serves on the Brown Bag Committee of the Tarrant County Bar Foundation.
- Invited speaker at the Tarrant County Bar Foundation in 2016: Presentation on Social Media as Evidence in Litigation.
- Invited speaker at Northeast Tarrant County Bar Foundation in 2016.
- Fellow, Tarrant County Bar Foundation, 2018
- Recognized in Fort Worth Inc. Magazine for being a "Top Attorney" for 2018

NEWS

- Cantey Hanger Attorneys Listed in Fort Worth Inc. Magazine
 - Brisco, Ross Named Equity Partners at Cantey Hanger LLP
 - 15 Cantey Hanger Lawyers have become Fellows of the Tarrant County Bar Foundation in 2018
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