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- **Data Privacy & Security /Breach Notifications**
- **Compliance & Workplace Ethics**
- **Anti-corruption/FCPA**
- **Investigations**
- **Commercial & Employment Litigation**

Jana is a privacy and compliance lawyer. A Texas attorney for almost 25 years, Jana is also certified as a information privacy professional (US & Europe) (CIPP/US & CIPP/E), a compliance & ethics professional (CCEP) and a fraud examiner (CFE). Jana has a strong background in litigating employment and commercial cases for corporate clients in state courts, federal district, bankruptcy and appellate courts, and the AAA. Jana formed Beckstead Terry PLLC in 2014 after working in the bankruptcy and litigation practice groups of three top-tier law firms in Dallas, Houston, and Austin (McKool Smith, BakerHostetler, & Greenberg Traurig).

Representative Experience

- Advise and counsel businesses regarding data privacy & security laws, fraud prevention, creditors' rights and other commercial matters. Negotiate agreements, review, and prepare contracts and policies.
 - Defend oil & gas services company in multiple arbitration proceedings.
 - Defended and prosecuted multiple cases involving allegations of fraud and fraudulent transfer.
 - Litigated non-compete and other employment-related cases.
 - Managed the national litigation and bankruptcy docket for a Fortune 25 global healthcare company.
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Education & Certifications

- Certified Information Privacy Professional (CIPP/E – 2020, CIPP/US – 2018)
- Certified Fraud Examiner (CFE), 2019
- Certified Compliance and Ethics Professional (CCEP), 2018
- J.D., with honors, University of Chicago Law School, 1996
 - Member, *The University of Chicago Law Review*
 - Recipient, Joseph Henry Beale Prize for legal research and writing
- B.A., *summa cum laude*, English, Texas A&M University, 1993
- M.A. (Theological Studies), Regent College, 2002

Clerkship

- Law Clerk, John D. Rainey, United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas.
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Speeches and Articles

- Panel Speaker, Knowledge Group, *Understanding the New CCPA/CPRA Amendments*, January 2022
 - Panel Speaker, Knowledge Group, *Trends & Developments in the CCPA*, March 2021
 - Speaker, Austin Bar Civil Litigation Section, *Current Trends in US Privacy/Data Security Legislation & Litigation*, March 2021
 - *Texas Businesses Take Heed: Five misconceptions about the California Consumer Privacy Act debunked*, TEXAS BAR JOURNAL, March 2020
 - *The Draft CCPA Regulations Reviewed: Key Takeaways*, CEP MAGAZINE, February 2020
 - Panel Speaker, Austin Talent Form, session regarding the impact of the California Consumer Privacy Act on Texas Businesses, September 2019.
 - Panel Speaker, SIIA Software & Services Division Deciphering Series, *Privacy Compliance – Running and Measuring a Privacy Program*, April 2019.
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Professional and Community Involvement

- Member, Austin Bar Association, College of the State Bar of Texas, Travis County Women Lawyers Foundation, and the Texas Bar Foundation
- Co-Founder & Permanent Board Member, Mother Attorneys Mentoring Association (MAMA's) – Austin