

# JOHN W. BOCCHINO

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## BIOGRAPHY

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Date of Birth: August 20, 1959  
Place of Birth: Queens, New York  
Married with three children

## EDUCATION

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- 1981 Bachelor's Degree - Criminology, *Florida State University, Graduated with Honors*
- 1985 Juris Doctorate, *Florida State University College of Law, Top 25% of class*

## EXPERIENCE

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- 1985-1986 Assistant State Attorney, *Ninth Judicial Circuit, Osceola County, Florida*
- Handling the prosecution of misdemeanors and traffic offenses along with the Consumer Complaint department. During this time tried approximately 20 jury trials to verdict
- 1986-1989 Associate Attorney, *Adams, Hill, Fulford & Morgan, P.A.*
- A medium sized defense firm that specialized in the representation of healthcare institutions throughout the state of Florida. Practiced in all jurisdictions from Dade County to Escambia County. Handled depositions, work up of cases for trial, administrative investigations, peer review consultations and institutional hospital administration matters. Cases included an array of medical negligence causes of action, antitrust, employment, administrative, contract dispute and fair hearings. Participated in approximately 7 to 10 trials all as second chair counsel.
- 1989-2014 Partner, *Bobo, Ciotoli, Bocchino, White & Buigas, P.A. (Formerly Bobo, Spicer, Ciotoli, Fulford, Bocchino, Debevoise & Leclainche)*
- A medium size firm that was situated in Palm Beach. Joined firm as an associate and became a name partner within the firm in 1992. In 1991 was charged with the responsibility of opening a branch office of said law firm in Orlando. Over the years has handled cases as lead counsel since 1993 in all jurisdictions from Dade to Escambia Counties. Principally medical negligence defense, commercial carrier liability, auto defense, premises liability, employment, defamation, antitrust, insurance fraud and breach of contract. Also consulted on contractual issues. Over time have tried cases as first chair (initially second chair up to 1994) see attached trial listing.
- 1989-2014 Partner, *Beytin, McLaughlin, McLaughlin, O'Hara, Bocchino & Bolin, P.A.*
- Joined firm in 2014 with principal office in Tampa but 6 attorney office in Orlando, same duties and scope of practice as listed during Bobo association.

## AWARDS

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2004-2014	Martindale-Hubble, rated AV Preeminent
2012, 2014	Rated Best Lawyers in America
2012, 2013, 2014	Rated Orlando Top Lawyers
2014	Best Attorneys in Florida

## PRESENTATIONS

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Over the years has presented on various medical negligence issues, including Amendment 7, discovery practices in medical negligence cases, how to prepare your client for deposition, understanding medicine and electronic medical records.

## PUBLICATIONS

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1993 Florida Physician's Association: Physicians Desk Guide to Law and Medicine

## GOALS

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To undertake the representation of my clients with the vigor and honor that I would expect an attorney to represent myself and to leave nothing in the tank.

## INTERESTS

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Travel with family, sports and military history.