

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Melanie R. Tobias

Columbus City Attorney Zach Klein's Office
375 S. High St., 7th Fl
Columbus, Ohio 43215



PERSONAL STATEMENT:

Having an engaged bar association that serves the professional needs of Columbus' attorneys is vital to building and fostering a strong community. Columbus is a thriving, welcoming city to live in, start a business in, as well as visit and the Bar Association is a contributing factor to the City's success. I look forward to continuing my service on the Board to help the CBA pursue its goals of enriching the professional development of our legal community and advancing the justice system for all.

EDUCATION:

The Ohio State University (B.A. 1996)

Moritz College of Law- The Ohio State University (J.D., 1998)

LAW RELATED BACKGROUND:

Criminal Chief – Prosecutor Division of Columbus City Attorney Zach Klein's Office

Appellate Director – Columbus City Attorney's Office 2008-2019

Assistant City Prosecutor – Columbus City Attorney's Office 1999-2008

BAR ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES:

Columbus Bar Association: current Secretary-Treasurer of Board of Governors

Member of Columbus Bar Publications and Editorial Board 2017- present

OTHER BAR ASSOCIATION AND LAW RELATED ORGANIZATIONS:

Board Member- Ohio State Legal Services Association 2017-2023