

T. Douglas Stump, AILA President 2013–2014

Doug Stump was installed as AILA's 67th President at AILA's Annual Membership Meeting on June 27, 2013. He is in his sixth year of service as a national officer and devotes hundreds of hours each year to the demanding role of the AILA Executive Committee. Executive Committee members meet in person at least four times a year, via teleconference every two weeks, hold numerous ad hoc phone conversations, and email exchanges between officers and staff happen virtually seven days a week/24-hours a day. Doug ran successfully by petition for the Board of Governors and then AILA Secretary, proving that the petition process does work!

Founder and senior attorney at Stump & Associates, P.C., Doug has over 30 years of experience in a practice limited primarily to immigration law. His practice focuses on employment-based immigration law, complex deportation, federal court litigation, unlawful presence waivers, and other family immigration matters. He represents a large portfolio of clients across the United States, ranging from Fortune 500 corporations to individuals. His clients include energy companies, engineering firms, I.T. firms, hospitals, colleges and universities, non-profit organizations, medical research institutes, and many others.

Doug has been listed in the Bar Register of Preeminent Lawyers since 1996, and is listed in Best Lawyers in America for Immigration Law. He was recently recognized by Best Lawyers as "Immigration Lawyer of the Year (2013) for Oklahoma City." Mr. Stump was also recognized in Oklahoma Magazine as one of the "Top 50 Super Lawyers in Oklahoma" and is listed in *Who's Who of International Corporate Immigration Attorneys*. He has co-edited over 30 books on immigration law and spoken at hundreds of national and international conferences on immigration law. He regularly appears as an expert on radio and TV programs addressing immigration law-related issues.

Doug is past chair of the AILA Texas Chapter and is a member of IMMLAW, a national consortium of immigration law firms.

Doug is married to Kaye Stump and father of Kelli Stump and Matt Stump, both of whom are AILA members practicing with him in Oklahoma City. He is an avid waterfowler, private pilot, and bass fisherman, having previously competed professionally on the Bassmaster Tournament Trail.