Laura Thielmeier Roy Succeeds to Office of President of the National Conference of Appellate Court Clerks

Laura Thielmeier Roy, Clerk of Court for the Missouri Court of Appeals, Eastern District, recently succeeded to the office of President of the National Conference of Appellate Court Clerks (NCACC) for the 2019–20 term.

The Missouri Court of Appeals Eastern District en banc appointed Laura Roy as Clerk effective January 1, 2001. She received her Bachelor of Journalism (News Editorial) degree in 1985 and her Juris Doctor degree in 1988 from the University of Missouri-Columbia. After graduation, she served as a law clerk to the late Hon. Almon H. Maus, Missouri Court of Appeals, Southern District. She moved to St. Charles, Missouri, and was the Assistant County Counselor for St. Charles County for two years prior to becoming Assistant Staff Counsel for the Missouri Court of Appeals Eastern District in 1991.

Roy is a member of the Missouri Bar, the Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis, and the NCACC. She has served on various NCACC committees, including the Executive Committee, and has chaired the Public Relations Committee and the Awards Committee. She has been on the Board of Directors for the Center for Autism Education, and she is
a former trustee and past-President of the Missouri Family Trust, now known as the Midwest Special Needs Trust. Roy resides in St. Charles, Missouri, with her husband and their son, Andrew.

The NCACC was established in 1973 with the objectives of improving the skills and knowledge of its members, promoting effective court administration, providing a forum for the exchange of ideas, and maintaining facilities for the dissemination of information concerning appellate court operations. Its membership is composed of state, federal, and military appellate and supreme court clerks from the United States, District of Columbia, territories and possessions of the United States, and tribal appellate courts.