

Judge Brian P. Stern is an Associate Justice of the Rhode Island Superior Court. Appointed in 2009, he has since presided over the State Business Calendar, in addition to overseeing civil and criminal jury trials.

Prior to his tenure on the bench, Judge Stern worked in state government. He has held several significant roles, including Chief of Staff to Governor Donald L. Carcieri, Executive Director of the Department of Administration, and Deputy Chief of Legal Services for the Department of Business Regulation. He came to Rhode Island after private practice in New York City.

Judge Stern is the Chairperson of the Roger Williams University School of Law Board of Directors and a Trustee of Roger Williams University. His leadership extends to the American College of Business Court Judges, where he is a director and co-chairs the Rhode Island Supreme Court Judicial Education Program.

Judge Stern has contributed numerous articles to legal and public policy discussions and has been a featured speaker at various national seminars. He recently spoke at the American College of Real Estate Lawyers' forum, "GenAI in Real Estate Practice," sharing his insights into the evolving intersection of AI and legal practice. His scholarly pursuits continue with an upcoming article on Ethical Issues and AI set to be published in April. In addition, he is slated to moderate an Artificial Intelligence panel at the Rhode Island Bar Association Annual Meeting.

Judge Stern's personal life is as rich as his professional one. He resides in East Greenwich with his wife, Jennifer, and is a proud father to three adult children.