

# BROWN & STREZA

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### Sanaz "Sunny" Jahangard

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#### RELATED PRACTICES

Business Tax Planning  
Business Representation  
Real Estate Transactions  
Mergers & Acquisitions



#### BIO

Sanaz "Sunny" Jahangard is a partner in the business planning department, representing companies from all industries. Sunny understands the unique and complex dynamics of closely held businesses and helps her clients successfully navigate the competing goals of financial growth and harmony amongst owners. As a successful former business owner, Sunny has confronted many of the same challenges her clients encounter and can easily relate to them. She applies her inherent business understanding and experiences when providing business and tax planning.

Sunny frequently represents clients in succession planning, joint ventures, tax planning, commercial transactions, employment matters, real estate transactions, and mergers & acquisitions. Her experience includes negotiating and drafting key project documents and advising on complex tax issues. Sunny often works closely with other advisors, such as accountants, valuation experts, financial planners, and bankers to provide comprehensive services that benefit her clients.

Sunny is the founder of Co-NetWomen, a non-profit, volunteer driven, women's business networking organization that provides a platform for likeminded professionals and entrepreneurs to connect, inspire and be inspired, learn, motivate, and empower each other and other women.

Sunny is fluent in Farsi and German. She enjoys spending time with her family and traveling.

## PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Brown & Streza LLP, Irvine, California  
Partner, 2022-Present  
Attorney, 2014-2022

Sanaz Jahangard State Farm Agency, Inc., 2012-2014

Sybron Dental Specialties, Inc. (in-house legal), 2010-2012

Juris Doctorate, Chapman University, School of Law, 2011  
Clerk to the Honorable Roy L. Paul at the Los Angeles Superior Court  
Co-Author of an Amicus Curiae brief to the Supreme Court of United States on behalf of the  
Center for Constitutional Jurisprudence  
Certified Mediator  
Editor for Orange County Lawyer Magazine

Keller Williams Realty, 2005-2007

Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude, California State University, Northridge, 2003

## PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

### 2016-2022 "Southern California SuperLawyers-Rising Star"

Published by *Los Angeles Magazine* and *The Journal for Law & Politics*. Only 2.5% of Southern California lawyers in Los Angeles and Orange Counties receive this prestigious honor.

### Orange County Coalition for Diversity in the Law (OCCDL): Top Young Diverse Lawyer

Awarded for Co-Authoring the Amendments to the Nevis Estate & Trust Ordinance and Limited Liability Company Act

## SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

**National Iranian American Council and Iranian American Bar Association**, Live Interactive Webinar Panelist, July 8, 2020  
Sustaining Your Small Business Through COVID-19

**Orange County Bar Association**, Live Interactive Webinar Panelist, May 15, 2020  
Unity in a Time of COVID-19 Part 2: OC Diversity Bars in Action

**Iranian American Bar Association OC Chapter**, Live Interactive Webinar Co-Presenter, April 10, 2020  
COVID-19 and the Challenges Ahead

**Iranian American Bar Association OC Chapter**, Irvine, California, April 5, 2018  
Choice of Entity Under the New Tax Law

**2018 Agents Helping Agents (AHA) Conference**, Hotel Irvine, Irvine, California, March 30, 2018  
Using Life and Disability Insurance for Business Planning

**State Farm - TICA**, San Diego, California, August 27, 2015  
Avoiding the 6 Mistakes That Can Destroy Your Business and Your Future

**State Farm MDRT Conference**, Omni San Diego, California, July 7, 2015  
Avoiding the 6 Mistakes That Can Destroy Your Business and Your Future

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

**Orange County Bar Association:** Member

**Los Angeles Bar Association:** Member

**Co-NetWomen:** Founder

**Iranian American Bar Association:** Board Member, OC Chapter President

**Orange County Racial Justice Task Force:** Member

**Orange County Coalition for Diversity in the Law:** Mentor

**International Society for Children with Cancer:** Member and Volunteer

**CSP – Dispute Resolution:** Past Volunteer Mediator