

**PATRICIA A. BRECKENRIDGE**  
**Supreme Court of Missouri**

	<u>No.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>
Being fair and impartial toward each side of the case	503	4.48
Writing opinions that are clear	494	4.35
Writing opinions that adequately explain the basis of the court's decision	494	4.32
Issuing opinions in a timely manner	480	4.18
Allowing parties to present their arguments and answer	485	4.48
Making decisions without regard to possible criticism	492	4.33
Refraining from reaching issues that need not be decided	488	4.32
Treating parties equally regardless of race, sex or economic status	503	4.57
Being courteous toward attorneys	512	4.50