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Debby J. Sawyer, ACP, is employed as a Judicial Assistant/Paralegal for United States District Judge Aleta A. Trauger in the US District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee in Nashville. Prior to this assignment, she was a Civil Case Manager/Courtroom Deputy to Chief Judge James C. Dever III in the US District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina in Raleigh. Before transitioning to the federal court system in 2010, Debby had over 20 years' experience as a litigation paralegal, working primarily in the field of insurance defense/medical malpractice.

Debby received her Bachelor's Degree in Leadership and Management from Regent University and her Paralegal Certificate from Jackson State Community College. She received her CP designation in 2004 and her ACP in Trial Practice in 2010.

She has served as NALA's Affiliated Associations Secretary, Affiliated Associations Director, Region 2 Director, Region 3 Director, and NALA At Large Director. She is very active in her local association, the Tennessee Paralegal Association, having recently served as President. She also serves as Secretary on the Board of the Federal Association of Judicial Assistants (FJAA).