

BIO for Stacy Canan



Stacy Canan has been the Deputy Assistant Director in the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau's (CFPB) Office of Financial Protection for Older Americans since November 2012. The Office for Older Americans, within the CFPB's Consumer Education and Engagement Division, engages in education and policy initiatives to protect older Americans against unfair, deceptive, or abusive financial practices, and to support their financial well-being through sound financial decision-making.

Since joining the CFPB, Ms. Canan oversaw the development, release and dissemination of several reports and consumer guides on a range of topics including, among others, elder financial exploitation, reverse mortgage advertising, senior designations for financial advisers, pension advance loans, and consumer complaints submitted to the CFPB by older consumers about mortgages, reverse mortgages, and debt collection.

Prior to joining the CFPB in November 2012, Ms. Canan was a managing attorney in the AARP Foundation. She handled third-party impact consumer and health cases in federal and state trial and appellate courts nationwide. Ms. Canan also drafted and filed AARP's *amicus curiae* briefs supporting a broad range of consumer issues. She started her legal career as a legal services attorney working mostly on housing and fraud cases for low-income, elderly clients in Washington, DC.