



## **GUADALUPE RIVERA**

### **Senior Appellate Justice**

2014-2024 Sitting by Assignment presiding over trials in the 6th and 3rd Judicial Districts of Texas

Mediation and Arbitrations

2008-2014 Justice Court of Appeals Eighth District of Texas

1991-2008 Judge 168th Judicial District Court

Presiding Judge 6th Administrative Judicial District

1985-1990 Family Law Court - Associate Judge  
Criminal Law Magistrate El Paso County, Texas

1983-1985 Assistant District Attorney  
34th Judicial District El Paso County, Texas

1981-1983 Private practice El Paso, Texas

#### **HONORS**

Samuel Pessara Outstanding Jurist Award 2001 Texas Bar Foundation  
Community Service Award Black El Paso Democrats 1999  
Outstanding Jurist 1997 El Paso Young Lawyers 2000  
Outstanding Jurist - Presidential Award 1997 Mexican American Bar Association  
Fellow - Texas Bar Association 1989  
Fellow- El Paso Bar Association  
Leonor Walker Award 1993  
Commitment to Solving the Problem of Domestic Violence  
El Paso County Task Force on Domestic Violence  
Outstanding Alumnae 1960 - 1970-1991 Loretto Academy, El Paso, Texas  
El Paso Women's Hall of Fame 1991  
El Paso Commission for Women  
Outstanding Woman in Business Honoree 1991  
The Chamber Women in Action  
Public Citizen of the Year -El Paso 1990  
El Paso Unit of the National Association of Social Workers of Texas  
Public Citizen of the Year -Texas 1990  
Texas Chapter of the National Association of  
Social Workers Woman of the Year in Law 1986  
El Paso Women's Political Caucus  
Recognized by Adelante Mujer Hispana 1986  
Conference IV for Contributions in Politics  
Recognized by Adelante Mujer Hispana Conference 1985 For Contributions and Commitment to the  
Advancement Of Hispanic Women

#### MEMBERSHIPS/COMMITTEES

Board Member, Texas Center for the Judiciary 2002-2004  
Founding Chair, El Paso Commission for Women 1985  
Former Director, El Paso Legal Assistance Society 1983-1984  
Founding Member, El Paso Domestic Violence Task Force 1986  
Chair-El Paso Mexican American Bar Association 1988  
Board of Women's Advocacy Project, Inc., Austin, Texas 1990-1991  
University of Texas at El Paso Alumni Association - Board member 1991-1992 3  
1991-1993 MALDEF Advisory Committee El Paso  
1992-1993 Training Specialist for the National Organization for Victim Assistance Washington, D. C.  
1989-1990 District 17 Committee on Admissions State Bar of Texas  
1989-2001 Leadership Development Committees University of Texas at El Paso  
1989 Hispanic Leadership Institute Executive Committee  
1987 Texas Supreme Court Child Support Guidelines Advisory Committee

#### TEXAS STATE BAR ACTIVITIES:

1987 - 1993 State Bar of Texas Family Law Section Council Member  
1993 - 1998 State Bar of Texas Litigation Section Council Member  
1997 - 1998 Chair Litigation Section of the State Bar of Texas  
1995 - 1996 Chair Women and the Law Section of the State Bar of Texas  
1991 - 1996 Texas Supreme Court Task Force on Judicial Appointments

#### EDUCATION/LICENSURE

1981 - University of Texas School of Law  
1981 - State Bar of Texas