

BIOGRAPHY

CURRENT ASSIGNMENT

Court: Superior Court of California
County of Los Angeles
Title: Commissioner
Dates: 1990 to Present
Status: Elected
Appointed by: Judges of the Court
Date: April 1, 1990
Case Types:
Civil: 100% % Juvenile: 100%

PREVIOUS JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS

Status: Appointed

Court: Los Angeles County Superior
Court
Title: Juvenile Traffic Hearing
Officer
Dates: 1986 to 1988
Status: Appointed

EDUCATION

Law School: Western State
University School of Law
Location: Fullerton, CA
Date: 1979
Degree: J.D.

College: USC
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Date: 1970
Degree: M.S. w/ Honors
Honors: M.S. w/ Honors

College: UC Berkeley
Location: Berkeley, CA
Date: 1965
Degree: B.A. Psychology
Honors: Alumni Scholar

PRACTICE HISTORY

Legal Offices of the State
Department of Education -
Mediator
Location: Southern California
From: 1985 to 1990
Specialty: Special Education
Mediation

Mental Health Advocacy Services,
Inc. - Staff Attorney
Location: Los Angeles, CA
From: 1981 to 1990

BARS AND RELATED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2000-present: National Association
of Women Judges
1980-present: Woman Lawyers
Association of Los Angeles,
Member
1980-present: Los Angeles County
Bar, Member
1980-1981: Barristers (Juvenile
Justice and Developmental
Disabilities)
1979-present: Admitted to California
State Bar

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

1991-1993: California Juvenile
Courts Association - Legislation
Committee, Member
State Bar - Committee on Juvenile
Justice

PERSONAL HISTORY

Birthplace: Alhambra, CA
Sex: F
Spouse: Marshall R. Martinez
Religion: Jewish
Political Affiliation: Democrat
Recreation: Family activities and
sports.