

October 1977-October 1983	Trial Attorney, United States Department of Justice, Criminal Section, Tax Division, Washington, D.C. (prosecutions and grand jury investigations involving violations of the Internal Revenue Code and Title 18 of the United States Code.)
October 1975-October 1977	Staff Attorney, District of Columbia Superior Court, Washington, D.C.

PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

Recipient, Lola Wright Foundation Award from the Texas Bar Foundation for outstanding public service in advancing and enhancing legal ethics in Texas	2009
Selected as one of the 30 Extraordinary Women in Texas Lawby <i>The Texas Lawyer</i>	2008
President's Award, State Bar of Texas	2007
Presidential Citation, State Bar of Texas	2004
Southern Methodist University School of Law Don Smart Teaching Award	1989, 2004, 2006 and 2008
Southern Methodist University Scholar/Teacher of the Year	1991
Southern Methodist University Golden Mustang Teaching Award	1989
Southern Methodist University School of Law Don Smart Directed Research Award	1993, 2004, 2005
United States Attorney General's Special Commendation Award	1983
Outstanding Attorney Award, United States Department of Justice	1981, 1984

BAR MEMBERSHIPS

Texas	1975
District of Columbia	1976

COURSES TAUGHT

Medicine course (with focus on professional ethics)	1994-1998
Member, ABA Committee on Rules of Criminal Procedure and Evidence	1988-present
Director, National Institute for Trial Advocacy (NITA), Southern Regional Program	1989-91
Director, Dallas Bar Association Trial Skills Course	1989
Faculty, National Institute for Trial Advocacy–Southern and Pacific Regionals	
Faculty, Emory University School of Law Trial Skills Course	1994, 1997
Chair, Southern Methodist University President’s Commission on the Status of Women	1988-90
Program Chair, Women in Litigation, Southern Methodist University School of Law Professional Seminar	1994
Member, Planning Committee, State Bar of Texas Advanced Evidence and Discovery Course	1990

PROFESSIONAL ADDRESSES AND PRESENTATIONS

Presenter, “The Religion of Judges: Should We Care?” Southern Methodist University, Ethics Colloquy	2010
Speaker, “Changes in the Texas Rules of Professional Conduct” Austin Bench-Bar Conference	2010
Speaker, “Changes in the Texas Rules of Professional Conduct” Dallas Bar Ethics Fest	2010
Speaker, “Should We Permit Surrogacy, and Other Reproductive Questions” Dallas Women’s Legal Association	2010
Speaker, “Changes in the Texas Rules of Professional Conduct” State Bar of Texas Webcast	2010

Speaker, "Ethics for Government Lawyers" Texas Attorney General's Office	2009
Moderator, discussion led by State Representative Rafael Anchia on Voter Registration in Texas.	2009
Speaker "Conflicts of Interest." Dallas Bar Association, Torts & Insurance Section	2009
Moderator, Panel on "Remarkable Women Lawyers." Dallas Bar Association.	2009
Lecturer on Evidence. BARBRI Georgia.	2009
Presentation on "Proposed Changes to Texas Ethics Rules." Dallas Bar Association, Business Litigation Section.	2009
Faculty, "Voir Dire Workshop." Dallas Bar Association, Young Lawyers Section.	2009
Speaker, Dallas Bar Association, Trial Skills Section, Conflicts of Interest in Joint Representation	2008
Speaker, Dallas Bar Association, Solo and Small Firm Section, Proposed Changes to the Texas Disciplinary Rules	2008
Speaker, Woman and Negotiation, JAMS	2008
Speaker, State Bar of Texas, Advanced Tax Course, Ethical Issues in Tax Practice	2008
Speaker, Fort Worth Women's Bar Association, Proposed Changes to the Texas Disciplinary Rules	2008
Speaker, Dallas Bar Association, Women in the Law	2008
Speaker, University of Texas Program, "Ethical Considerations in Mergers & Acquisitions"	2007
Speaker, Higginbotham Inn of Court, "Proposed Changes In the Texas Disciplinary Rules"	2007

Speaker, Dallas Bar Association, Real Property Section, Conflict of Interest Issues	2007
Panelist, Dallas Bar Association "Current Work of the State Bar on the Disciplinary Rules"	2006
Panelist, American Bar Association "Ethical Issues in Pass-Through Claims"	2006
Panelist, Public Investors Arbitration Bar Association	

“Ethics for Government Counsel”, to National Association of Attorneys General	2000
“The Aetna-Texas Settlement of Managed Care Litigation”, University of Texas School of Law	2000
“Ethics for Government Lawyers” to the United States Attorney’s Office for Northern District of Texas	1999
“Leadership in a Democracy: What It Takes Morally” given at the Provost’s Academic Symposium at Southern Methodist University	1997
“What Makes a Leader”, given to Dallas Young Lawyer’s Association	1997
“Ethics of Lawyering” given to J. Reuben Clark Law Society	1997
“Ethics in the Electronic Era”, given to the Plano Bar Association and the Dallas Women’s Bar Association	1997
“The Law and Women”, The Godbey Lecture Series, Southern Methodist University	1995
“Equality vs. Special Treatment: Different Dialogues in the Woman’s Movement”, given to the Southern Methodist University’s Woman’s Study Forum	1993
“The Imprisonment of America” given to the Southern Methodist University Breakfast Forum	1993
“Sexual Harassment in the Workplace” given at the ABA’s Winter Meeting	1992
“Prosecutors’ Ethical Duties” given to the Dallas County Prosecutors Association	1992
“Attorney-Client Privilege”, given at State Bar of Texas Advanced Evidence and Discovery Course	1990
“Ethical Issues for Federal Prosecutors” given to Department of Justice, Tax Division	1990
“Professional Responsibility Issues for Corporate Counsel”, given to Electronic Data Systems	1990

“Attorney-Client Privilege, Work Product Doctrine and
Factors in Settling a Case”, given to Centex Corp

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION

The American University
Washington, D.C.

B.A. in International Studies with Honors, 1971