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Curriculum Vita

The University of Texas at San Antonio
Department of Political Science & Geography
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Academic Appointments:
University of Texas at San Antonio
Senior Lecturer 2012 to present
Lecturer III 2006-2012
Lecturer II 2002-2006
Lecturer I 1992-2002

Personal Data:

Born: August 2, 1964
Place: Atlanta, Georgia
Married: Suzanne Dapra Oliva, J.D., C.P.A.
Children: Stephen (24), Ryan (22), Christopher (20), and Blake (18)
Bilingual: Fluent English/Spanish

Education

Legal: St. Mary's University School of Law
San Antonio, Texas
JD Law, December, 1990

University of Innsbruck, Austria,
Summer Law Program, 1989

Graduate: St. Mary's University Graduate School
San Antonio, Texas.
MS Public Administration, May, 1987

Undergraduate: University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana.
BA Government & International Studies May, 1985

High School: Antonian College Preparatory, San Antonio, Texas
May, 1982

Work Experience:

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT SAN ANTONIO
College of Liberal and Fine Arts

**Department of Political Science
Institute for Law and Public Affairs
Honors College**

6900 North Loop 1604 West.
San Antonio, Texas 78249, (210) 458-2990
Senior Lecturer 2012 to present
Lecturer III 2006 to 2012
Lecturer II 2002 to 2006

Courses:

American Legal Process, Judicial Politics, Law & Society
Legal Research and Writing, Legal & Philosophical Reasoning
Introduction to Legal Studies

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT SAN ANTONIO

College of Public Policy

Department of Criminal Justice
501 West Durango Blvd.
San Antonio, Texas 78207, (210) 458-2535
Visiting Assistant Professor - 2001-2002
Lecturer II - 2000-2001
Lecturer I - 1992-2000

Courses:

Law Courts and Legal System, Trial and Evidence
Criminal Law, Legal Research and Writing
Criminal Procedure

OLIVA, SAKS, GARCIA & CURIEL L.L.P.

OSGC Building
14255 Blanco
San Antonio, Texas 78216
(210) 308-6600
September, 1992 to Present
Founding Partner
Attorney and Counselor at Law
General Civil & Criminal Litigation: Emphasis on family law, corporate law,
employment law, contract, and real estate law.

LAW OFFICES OF DOUGLAS E. DILLEY, P.C.

635 S. Presa
San Antonio, Texas 78210, (512) 225-0111

August 1989 to August 1992
Law Clerk 1989- 1991
Attorney and Counselor at Law 1991-1992
General Civil Litigation & Criminal Practice

St. Mary's Univ. School of Law, San Antonio, Texas.

One Camino Santa Maria
San Antonio, Texas, 78228
August 1989 to May 1991
Teacher's Assistant
Instruction in Torts, Legal Method, and Legal & Writing
Research Assistant
Authored annotations on case law & legal publications for book on punitive damages.

KAUFMAN, BECKER, CLAIRE & REIBACH, INC.

Summer 1989, winter 1990
Law Clerk
Banking, Commercial Real Estate & Municipal Law.
Prepared briefs, discovery, and researched recent case law.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD

San Antonio, Texas
March 1987 to August 1988
Casualty Management Representative
Investigated employee personal injuries, evaluated company liability, monitored medical progress, and negotiated settlements directly and with represented counsel.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

August 1986 to February 1987

Special Assistant to the Mayor
I worked on economic development programs, analyzed statistics, prepared special events, and correspondence.

Activities and Honors

Legal:

Member: American Bar Association
Federal Bar Association
Texas Bar Association
San Antonio Bar Association

San Antonio Criminal Defense Law Association
State Bar Grievance Committee 1996-2001
Panel Chair 2000-2001
Phi Alpha Delta Legal Fraternity, 1989

Licensed: United States District Court Western District of Texas, 1991
United States Court of Appeals 5th Circuit, 1998
United States Supreme Court, 2002
State Bar of Texas, 1991

Political: Elected Alderman Place #3, City of Castle Hills, May 1994. Re-elected May 1995 to Jan 1997.
Member of the Permanent Platform Committee Republican State Convention, 1988, Houston, Texas.
Elected Republican Precinct Chairman #2036, March, 1988.
Re-elected Republican Precinct Chairman, March 1990.
Assistant Chief Page, Republican National Convention, 1984.
Hispanic Excellence Education Award U.S.
Department of Education; presented by Ronald Reagan, 1984

Civic: Catholic Charities of San Antonio, Member of Board of Directors 2014 to present.
Antonian College Preparatory High School, School Council, 2006 to present
President, 2009, 2010
Sendero Ranch Homeowners Association, President 2000-2002, 2006-2007
Board of Directors, 1998 to Present
McAllister Park Little League, Board of Directors, Director for Sponsorships 2004 -2007, Vice President, 2007 to 2008
Appointed Trustee and Vice Chairman for Center for Health Care Services Board of Trustees, 1995 to 1996
Appointed Texas Risk Management Fund Board of Directors, 1995 to 1996
Legal Counsel San Antonio Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, 1994-1996

Member: St. Padre Pio Catholic Church & Knights of Columbus
Director & Co-Director St Padre Pio Men's Acts Retreat
Catholic Youth Organization, Coach 1996 to 2001.
Baseball, Basketball and Soccer
Certified Baseball Coach National Youth Sports Coaches Association.
San Antonio Symphony Board, 1994 to 1996.
San Antonio Dragons, IHL, Director, Legal Counsel
San Antonio Business Development Fund, Legal Advisor.
San Antonio Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Board Member 1992-1996.

Olmos Kiwanis Club, Board Member, 1994.
Boy Scouts, Leader 1998 to Present