

# ***Curriculum Vitae – Jonathan Fish***

## Adjunct Professor, Whittier Law School

- Designed the course (including all reading material), “Criminal Street Gangs and the Law”
- Taught Spring semesters 2012, 2013, 2014

## Judge of the Superior Court of California, County of Orange

- Elected by the voters of Orange County, June 2008
- Appointed in interim by Governor Schwarzenegger, November 2008
- Assigned North Justice Center

Presided over criminal calendar courts

Conducted over 50 felony and misdemeanor jury trials

- Appointed to “Supervising Judge” Central Justice Center, February 2014
- Received Whittier Law School Legal Leadership Award, October 24, 2012

## Deputy District Attorney

- 1996 through 2008
- Tried over 50 felony jury trials and over 20 misdemeanor jury trials with a 95% conviction rate
- Assigned to 3 Separate Gang Task Forces and the Orange County Proactive Meth Lab Task Force
- Assigned to Major Narcotic detail prosecuting Cartel narcotic cases
- Lectured on Fourth Amendment and Gang Prosecution to Orange County Narcotic Officer Association and Orange County Gang Investigator Association

- On training staff for the California Narcotic Officer Association, Region 5
- Recognized as a Deputy DA as follows: OCNOA Prosecutor of the Year, OCNOA Narcotic Unit of the Year, California Narcotic Officer Association Region 5 Prosecutor of the Year, DEA Accommodation, and the Community Policing Award from the Orange County Human Relations Committee

Teacher, Houston Independent School District via Teach For America

- Graduated Teach For America Teaching Institute, University of Southern California, Summer 1991
- Taught English and Reading at Deady Middle School 1991-92
- Taught English, Reading and French at Johnston Middle School 1992-93
- Received Secondary Teaching Certificate 1992, Texas Education Agency

California Western School of Law

- J.D. December 1995
- Law Review (grade based)
- Grade Based Scholarship
- Regional Champion and National Finalist in both Mock Trial and ABA Negotiation
- Awards: Advocate of the Year (Advocate Honors Board), Robert Fish (no relation) Legal Skills Award, The Corpus Juris Secundum Award (Best Torts Student), American Juris Prudence Award (Torts II, Legal Internship (San Diego District Attorney's Office) and Trial Team).

Claremont McKenna College

- B.A. May 1991
- Dual Major of International Relations and Literature