

ALARCÓN, Arthur L.

SENIOR JUDGE, UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS, Ninth Circuit

Appointment/Election: Assumed Senior Judge status Nov. 21, 1992. Circuit Judge, same court, Nov. 2, 1979 (date commission issued) to Nov. 21, 1992, nominated by President Carter Aug. 28, 1979, confirmed by U.S. Senate Oct. 31, 1979 (oath Nov. 20, 1979).

Other Judicial Office: Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, Second Appellate District, Division Four, June 8, 1978 (date of oath) to Nov. 20, 1979 (date of resignation), appointed April 19, 1978, by Governor Brown Jr. and confirmed by Commission on Judicial Appointments May 26, 1978. Served as Associate Justice *pro tempore*, same court, in 1969. Judge, Superior Court, Los Angeles County, June 1, 1964 (date of oath) to June 8, 1978, appointed May 28, 1964, by Governor Brown Sr.

Past Employment: Chairman, Calif. Adult Authority, March July 1964 (temporary assignment). Executive Secretary (1962-64) and Clemency and Extradition Secretary (1961-62) to Governor Brown Sr. Director, Governor's Special Study Commission on Narcotics, 1960-61. Deputy District Attorney, Los Angeles County, 1952-61. Private law practice, Los Angeles, Calif., 1952 (2 months). Law clerk, Los Angeles County Superior Court, Appellate Department, 1952.

Memberships/Awards: Former Chair, Executive Committee, Ninth Circuit Judicial Conference. Member: Legion Lex (USC support group); and Univ. of Southern Calif. Law School Alumni Assn. (served on Board of Directors; President, 1973-74). Benchers, Legion Lex, American Inn of Court, 1984—. Former member: Judicial Criminal Justice Planning Committee, 1974; and Calif. Council on Criminal Justice. Founder and first President, Mexican-American Scholarship Foundation Assisting Careers in Law. Founder, and former board member, Council on Mexican-American Affairs.

Teaching/Lectures/Panelist: Adjunct Professor of Law: Southwestern Univ. School of Law, Los Angeles, 1985-2004. Former Adjunct Professor, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles. Faculty: Calif. Judicial College (CJER), Berkeley, 1987 (“Criminal Procedure Before Trial”) and 1978-86, and its predecessors, Calif. Trial Judges College Session, 1973-77, and Calif. College of Trial Judges, 1967-72. Speaker: ABTL program, “Roundtable Discussions of „Hot’ Issues in Business Litigation, 1991 (and panelist, Audio/Video program, 1991); Sixth Annual Federal Practice Institute, 1983 (“Appellate Practice— Substantive Aspects”). Former Lecturer, Univ. of Southern Calif. Law School, Los Angeles. Participant, 4th Annual Calif. Institute for Trial Advocacy Skills, 1979.

Publications: Author: “Prescription for California’s Ailing Inmate Treatment System: An Independent Corrections Ombudsman: Hastings Law Journal, Vol. 58 (2007); and “Remedies for California’s Death Row Deadlock” Southern California Law Review, Vol. 80 (2007); Editor: Fricke & Alarcón, *California Criminal Law* (10th ed); Fricke & Alarcón, *California Criminal Evidence* (7th ed); and Fricke & Alarcón, *California Criminal Proceedings* (7th ed) [books revised every 3 years]. Co-author (with Anthony Murray and Gordon Ringer), “Prison Reform: Backward or Forward?” 50 State Bar Journal 356 (1975). Author: Ch. 5, “Search and Seizure Problems,” California Criminal Law Practice (CEB Handbook, 1964); and A Summary of the Law of Searches and Seizures and the Exclusionary Rule (1955).

Military Experience: Served to Staff Sergeant, U.S. Army, World War II, 1943-46 (European Theatre). Recipient: Combat Infantry Badge; 4 Battle Stars; Bronze Star; Purple Heart.

Education: LL.B. (1951), Univ. of Southern Calif. Law School [now Law Center], Los Angeles, Calif.; B.A. (June 1949), Univ. of Southern Calif., Los Angeles. Attended Univ. of Calif., Los Angeles (Westwood), 1946-48; Graduate (1943), John C. Fremont High School, Los Angeles, Calif.

Personal: Born Aug. 14, 1925; Los Angeles, Calif.; Married. Three children (one is a Los Angeles Superior Court Judge).

Admission: Admitted to Calif. Bar Jan. 9, 1952.

Political Affiliation/Religion: Republican; Catholic.