

T. GERALD TREECE

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I. EDUCATION

Juris Doctor, 1969, with honors

- * **University of Houston**
- * **Full law school scholarship 1967-1969**

Honors and Activities

- * **Moot Court - Order of Barristers**
- * **Top Ten Student at University (1969)**

II. ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

1977 - Present (Director of Advocacy)

- * **W. James Kronzer Distinguished Professor of Advocacy, Associate Dean, Vice President, and Professor of Law**

South Texas College of Law Houston

Houston, Texas

1974 - 1977

- * **Professor of Law**
Pepperdine University School of Law

Malibu, California (then at Santa Ana, California)

Courses Taught

- * **Constitutional Law**
- * **Torts**
- * **Federal Courts**
- * **Advocacy**
- * **Bar Review Lecturer (Constitutional Law and Tort Law, 1982 - 1997)**

III. OTHER PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

1972 - 1973

- * **Law Clerk, U.S. Federal District Court, Judge Earl O'Connor, Kansas City, Kansas**

1984

- * **Special Advisor to President Ronald Reagan (the presidential debates of the 1984 election)**

1978 - Present

- * **Consultant to numerous law firms in Texas on tort law and constitutional law**
- * **Have written and argued in excess of 100 appellate cases in tort and constitutional law**

IV. MILITARY SERVICE

1970 - 1972

- * **Decorated Vietnam veteran**

V. SCHOLARSHIP

Publications

- * **South Texas Appellate Advocacy Manual (Civil and Criminal)**
- * **Numerous appellate briefs (both state and federal)**
- * **Numerous speaking engagements (State Bar of Texas CLE, Houston Bar Association CLE), as well as presenting papers for publication on oral and written advocacy and various trial matters, e.g.,**
 - **Texas Trial Lawyers Association, “ A Look at Recent Cases Impacting the Personal Injury Practice”, 2004**
 - **State Bar of Texas, "Preparation and Use of a Trial Notebook", Ultimate Trial Notebook --Personal Injury, 1994, 1998**
 - **Texas Trial Lawyers Association, “Making First Impressions Count During Jury Selection”, 1996**
 - **State Bar of Texas, "The Art & Science of Oral Advocacy", Appellate Practice Institute, 1994**

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

- * Recipient of American Bar Association Silver Key Award**

- * Legal expert - Channel 11 (KHOU-TV, Houston), host of "Professor Treece's Weekly Legal Journal" for the past 20 years**

- * Outstanding Professor Award, Student Bar Association, Houston College of Law (1982, 1985, 1989, 1992, 1995, 1996, 1998, 2002)**

- * Advocacy coach - Houston College of Law (122 national advocacy championships).**