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Joe Guzman is a member of O'Melveny's Litigation and White Collar Defense & Corporate Investigations practices. Joe's practice at O'Melveny involves complex civil litigation, government and corporate investigations, and regulatory matters. Joe has participated in numerous civil trials, criminal trials, and arbitrations. Joe maintains an active pro bono practice that includes impact class action litigation and appellate litigation.

Prior to joining O'Melveny, Joe served as law clerk to the Honorable Mary H. Murguia of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and the Honorable John A. Mendez of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. While in law school, Joe externed in the United States Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York and in the Executive Office of then-California Attorney General Kamala D. Harris. Prior to law school, Joe worked in the Antitrust Division and the Office of Legislative Affairs of the United States Department of Justice.

Joe is active in the Los Angeles and O'Melveny communities. Joe serves as a board member and the secretary of Central City Neighborhood Partners, the Co-Chair of the Mexican American Bar Association of Los Angeles County Judicial Externship Program, a board member of FORT: LA, and the head of O'Melveny's Latino/a Attorneys employee network. Joe previously served as a Trustee of the Mexican American Bar Association of Los Angeles County.

Admissions

Bar Admissions

California

Court Admissions

US Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit

Education

Columbia University, J.D.; Executive Submissions Editor, *Columbia Human Rights Law Review*

University of California at Berkeley, B.A., Philosophy, History

Professional Activities

Clerkships

- Honorable Mary H. Murguia, US Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit
- Honorable John A. Mendez, US District Court, Eastern District of California

Author

- State Human Trafficking Laws: A New Tool to Fight Sexual Abuse of Farmworkers, *46 Colum. Hum. Rts. L. Rev.* (April 2015)