



Pamela Bridge

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PAMELA BRIDGE is currently the Director of Litigation and Advocacy for Community Legal Services. In her position, Pamela directs the advocacy and litigation of the firm's thirty attorneys located in 5 counties: Maricopa, Yuma, La Paz, Yavapai, and Mohave.

Pamela successfully co-counsels complex federal and state cases under the Federal Labor Standards Act, Family Leave Medical Act, OSHA, Age Discrimination Employment Act, Agriculture Workers Protection Act, Fair Debt Collection Act, Title VII, Mobile Home Residential Tenant Act, and Arizona Residential Landlord & Tenant Act. Appealing three cases to the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals and one case to the Arizona Court of Appeals, some of her reported cases include *Diaz v. Eagle Produce*, 521 F3d 1201 (9th Cir. 08); *Ochoa v. Martin*, 287 F3d 1182 (9th Cir. 02); *Gonzalez v. Tanimura & Antle*, 2008 WL 44446536 and *United Effort Trust v. Holm*, 209 Ariz 347, 101 P.3d 641 (Ariz. App. Div.1 2004).

Pamela advocates on behalf of the rights of low-income Arizonans. She speaks nationally concerning the rights of tenants and agricultural workers. She published the article, "IOLTA Funds Empower Arizona Farmworker" in the ABA Dialogue Magazine. A member of the Access to Justice Commission, Pamela speaks throughout Arizona concerning barriers to access to justice. As a member of the Commission, Pamela works to improve access to the courts through rule petitions and creates materials and videos for self-represented litigants.

Pamela received her Juris Doctorate from the University of Southern California Law Center. She was awarded the 2011 Sharon A. Fulmer Legal Aid Attorney of the Year award by the Arizona State Bar Association.

Pamela and her husband David have three children, Logan, Annika, and Collin.