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City of Seattle  
Notice of Appointment

<b>Name:</b> David B. Mendoza		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Executive Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Agency Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Council <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Constituency
<b>Residential Neighborhood:</b> Central District	<b>Zip Code:</b> 98122	<b>Contact Phone No.:</b> (206) 992-7705
<b>Appointed to:</b> Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission		<b>Date of Appointment:</b> November 29, 2010
<b>Authority (Ord., Res.):</b> SMC 3.70.020(A)		<b>Term of Office:</b> <b>From:</b> Confirmation <b>To:</b> December 31, 2013
<b>Comments:</b>  New appointment.		
<b>Authorizing Signature:</b> 		<b>Name and Title of Officer Making Appointments:</b> Mayor Mike McGinn

Confirmed by the Following Vote at City Council

<b>In Favor:</b>	<b>Against:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
<b>Attested by:</b>		<b>Title:</b>



# David B. Mendoza

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## Education

**Seattle University School of Law**

**Juris Doctor, May 2007**

Staff Member and Diversity Chair, *Seattle Journal for Social Justice*

Co-Chair, 10<sup>th</sup> Annual National Latina/o Law Student Association Conference

President, Latina/o Law Student Association 2005-2006

Summer Law Institute, Guanajuato, Mexico 2005

**Pitzer College**

**Bachelor of Arts, History, May 1999**

Co-Founder / Writer, *Claremont Collegian*

Study Abroad in Athens, Greece, Spring 1998

## Experience

**Puget Sound Sage – Seattle, WA**

**Research and Policy Analyst**

*August 2010 – Present*

- Conducting research on subsidies provided to drayage industry by local ports, state governments and federal government throughout the United States.
- Developing analysis of Clean Truck Programs passed locally and nationwide.

**Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy - Los Angeles, CA**

**Research and Policy Analyst – Food Service Campaign and Clean Trucks Program**

*December 2007 – July 2010*

- Cultivated relationships with elected officials in order to educate and inform them of conditions in the food service industry.
- Researched, wrote, and prepared for publication a white paper detailing both the structure of the food service industry and the labor conditions found within it.
- Worked with outside legal counsel in developing feasible public policy component to campaign as well as vetting materials for public dissemination.
- Produced briefing materials used in visits to members of Congress providing factual basis advocating for amending the Federal Aviation Administration Act.
- Developed corporate profile of Swift Transportation Co, detailing their corporate structure, financial obligations, and business relationships.
- Composed memo detailing effect of federal injunction on Port of LA Concession Agreement highlighting specific sections enjoined, sections still in force, reporting requirements of concessionaires and enforcement mechanisms available.

**Ronald A. Peterson Law Clinic - Seattle, WA**

**Participant, Community Development and Entrepreneurship Clinic**

*September 2006 – March 2007*

- Interviewed and continually met with assigned clients to determine nature and status of their company and assess what legal services they needed that could provide the greatest amount of value and protection from legal liabilities for their business.
- Drafted memos highlighting legal liabilities that could arise from unclear employment status, explaining benefits and concerns in adding new members to single member LLC, and detailing requirements needed to maintain an LLC including recordkeeping, finances and where to apply for renewal of business licenses.
- Created a single member-member managed LLC operating agreement.

## Experience (Continued)

### **Bolivian Land for Agricultural Development Project – Santa Cruz, Bolivia**

**A project funded by the government of Bolivia and the World Bank**

#### **Field Researcher**

*May 2006 – July 2006*

- All work conducted in Spanish.
- Analyzed the new Bolivian agrarian reform program and its effect on both Bolivian law and the Project.
- Evaluated Project Operation Manual, identifying procedural deficiencies and making recommendations where appropriate.
- Learned various aspects of Bolivian property law, including titling, distribution, and foreclosure, and how the project would affect/be affected by the appropriate law.
- Submitted report detailing findings and recommendations to World Bank representative.

### **City of Seattle - Seattle, WA**

#### **Policy Intern, Office of Councilmember Tom Rasmussen**

*July 2005 through August 2005*

- Researched and prepared draft of advisory ballot for addition to city-wide ballot.
- Examined reconfirmation process for department directors in municipal code and city charter.
- Created report detailing vacancies in city-funded shelters.
- Produced report on the effectiveness of emergency food programs in Seattle.
- Studied various jurisdictions homeless programs and recommended best practices and novel approaches.
- Investigated various issues concerning constituent complaints and concerns and wrote correspondence.

### **Union Station Foundation**

#### **Program Manager, Community and Volunteer Department**

*May 2001 through July 2004*

- Recruited and coordinated 700 volunteer staff members for numerous special events and daily operations of homeless services agency.
- Organized three annual "Dinner-in-the-Park" holiday meals serving as many as 3700 with 1700 volunteers. Duties included pre-planning and day-of coordination of clients, volunteers, and equipment for event.
- Recruited and trained nearly two dozen civic groups to participate in "Adopt-a-Meal" food program.

## License

State Bar of California, 2009

## Professional Activities

Planning Committee Member, 2008 HNBA Annual Convention  
Project Board Member, Los Angeles Public Interest Law Journal

## Personal Interests

Bicycle Riding (Long distance recreational and daily commuting)  
Capoeira (Brazilian Martial Arts)  
Acting (Community Theatre)

# Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission

November 2010

Seven members; serve three year terms:

- Three appointed by Mayor
- Three appointed by City Council
- One appointed by Commission members

All appointments are confirmed by City Council.

D	Name	Term Ends	Appointed By
(5) M	Amit Ranade	12-31-10	City Council
(6) M	Robert Mahon	12-31-10	City Council
(6) F	Lynne Iglitzin	12-31-12	City Council
(6) M	Richard Cohan	12-31-12	Commission
(6) M	Bill Sherman	12-31-11	Mayor
(5) M	Tarik Burney	12-31-12	Mayor
(3) M	David Mendoza	12-31-13	Mayor

## Diversity:

Appt. Authority	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
					Asian-American	African-American	Hispanic	Native-American	Other	Caucasian
Mayor	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	1
Council	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
Commission	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<i>Total</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>



City of Seattle  
Office of the Mayor

MEMORANDUM

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**Date** November 29, 2010  
**To** The Honorable Richard Conlin  
President, Seattle City Council  
**From** Mayor Michael McGinn *MM*  
**Subject** Mayoral Appointment to the Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission

The Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission is charged with administering the City's Ethics, Elections, and Lobbying Codes. The Commission has seven members, three of whom are appointed by the Mayor, subject to the City Council's confirmation; three of whom are appointed by the City Council; and a seventh member chosen by the other six, subject to the City Council's confirmation.

I am happy to forward to the City Council the following appointment to the Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission.

Name	Term Ends	Position	Succeeding
David Mendoza	12-31-13	Member	Michele Radosevich

The appointment bio for the appointee is as follows:

David B. Mendoza

David Mendoza is a Research and Policy Analyst for Puget Sound Sage. He is a 1999 graduate of Pitzer College and a 2007 graduate of the Seattle University School of Law. Prior to joining Puget Sound Sage, Mr. Mendoza spent nearly three years as an analyst for the Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy.

Attachments: Notice of appointment  
Resume  
Current roster

Copy: Wayne Barnett, Executive Director, Ethics and Elections Commission  
Tania María Rosario, Boards and Commissions