



JoeRay Garcia

Senior Attorney

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JoeRay Garcia is a distinguished attorney with a proven track record in both criminal prosecution and civil litigation. With a wealth of experience and a client-centered philosophy, he has established himself as a formidable advocate in the legal community, adept at navigating complex legal landscapes and achieving favorable outcomes for his clients. JoeRay has extensive courtroom experience which includes over two dozen jury and bench trials.

JoeRay's approach to client representation, whether the client is a Fortune 500 company or an individual, is deeply rooted in his belief that every client deserves to have their story compellingly presented to a jury of their peers. His philosophy emphasizes strategic advocacy and personalized attention, ensuring that clients are positioned to effectively communicate their narratives and achieve favorable verdicts.

With his extensive experience and dedication to client success, JoeRay stands out as a trusted legal professional committed to delivering excellence in civil litigation. His track record of success, combined with his client-focused approach, makes him a valuable asset to any organization or individual seeking top-tier legal representation.

JoeRay's practice focuses on the defense of trucking and commercial carries, premises liability cases, construction liability, dram shop cases, and first-party insurance claims.

Representative Experience

Successfully defended a dram shop suit for a Fortune 500 company in the United States, in which a drunk driver was catastrophically injured after buying beer at one of the stores in Lubbock, Texas. The case was removed to federal court on diversity grounds and later, after discovery was conducted and by applying pressure to opposing counsel, the case was dismissed. (United States District Court, Northern District of Texas).

Successfully defended a major Fortune 500 company in a high-stakes premise liability case. The case was removed to federal court, and defense achieved summary judgment, effectively dismissing all claims against them. Defense counsel demonstrated exceptional negotiations skills by addressing unreasonable stances by opposing counsel, which necessitated a successful strategic shift to litigation rather than settlement. (United States District Court, Western District of Texas).

Education, Admissions & Activities

EDUCATION

Mary's University School of Law
J.D.

University of Texas at San Antonio
B.A, 2014
Criminal Justice

George Mason University
The Fund for American Studies, 2014

Capital Semester
Public Policy Track, 2014

BAR ADMISSIONS

Texas

COURT ADMISSIONS

United States District Court of Texas
Northern, Southern, Western

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

State Bar of Texas

American Bar Association

Texas Bar College Member

Texas Young Lawyers Association