

# Philip B. Davis, Attorney at Law

## Education:

- B.A., Middlebury College (1974)
- J.D., University of New Mexico School of Law (1978)

## Admitted:

- State Bar of New Mexico (1978)
- United States District Court for the District of New Mexico (1978)
- Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals (1978)
- Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals (1981)
- United States Supreme Court (1985)

## Experience:

- Owner, Davis Law New Mexico (2018-present)
- Owner, Law Office of Philip B. Davis (2014-2017)
- Owner, Philip B. Davis, Attorney at Law (1986-2014)
- Partner, Davis and Dempsey (1981-1985)
- Lecturer, Indiana Univ.-Purdue Univ. School of Law, Indianapolis, IN (1980-1981)
- Law Clerk, Hon. E.L. Mechem, United States District Judge, District of New Mexico (1978-1980)

## Honors and Awards:

- Named one of Southwest Super Lawyers' Top 25 Attorneys in New Mexico (2018)
- Southwest Super Lawyer (2006-present)
- Lifetime achievement award as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in New Mexico (2017)
- Listed in Best Lawyers in America in the areas of First Amendment and Employment Law (1995 to present)
- Best Lawyers' Best Law Firms in New Mexico – First/Top Tier Ranking – Civil Rights, First Amendment Litigation and Employment Law (2011-2018)
- Best Lawyers' Albuquerque Lawyer of the Year in the area of Civil Rights Law (2018)
- Best Lawyers' Albuquerque Lawyer of the Year in the area of First Amendment Litigation (2014, 2016)
- New Mexico Employment Lawyer of the Year - Labor & Employment "Top Lawyers" Survey (2010)
- Excellence in Jurisprudence and Legal Writing Award, *New Mexico Law Review* (2005)
- AV-Preeminent rating from Martindale-Hubbell (1995-present)
- Who's Who in American Law (1996-present)

## Bar/Professional Activity:

- Member, US Magistrate Judge Merit Selection Panel (2010-2016)
- Hearing Panel Member, New Mexico State Bar Disciplinary Committee (2014-present)
- Adjunct Professor, UNM School of Law (1995-present)

## Pro bono/Community Service:

- Co-Legal Dir./Legal Panel Member, ACLU of New Mexico (1984-present)

## Scholarly Lectures and Writings:

- Co-Author, Qualified Immunity and Excessive Force: A Greater or Lesser Role for Juries?, *New Mexico Law Review*, Vol. 47, No. 2
- United States District Court Opinions Editor, *New Mexico Trial Lawyers' Journal* (1990-2006)
- Continuing Legal Education, Regular Lecturer/Panel Member in Civil Rights, Municipal Liability, Attorneys' Fees Litigation, Mediation – Best Practices

## Outside Interests:

- Skiing, hiking, fly fishing, softball, college soccer referee (retired)