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President's Message



Dear Members and Friends of the Hispanic Bar Association of Orange County,

Our 46th President has been sworn in and with this comes a new era for the United States. Gender, age and race barriers were shattered as we sworn in the oldest President and our first female Vice President, a woman of color. Our democratic government emerged victorious over the vicious attack on our capitol earlier this month. The world witnessed the peaceful transition of power at our Presidential inauguration reinforcing our commitment to defend our nation, our constitution and our democracy from enemies both foreign and domestic. The United States is a nation of immigrants, the protector of civil and human rights and we must unite and protect our nation, our people and our laws.

We must unite and heal our nation. However, healing does not preclude holding those involved in the attack of our capitol accountable for their actions, we are a nation of laws and we respect the supreme law of the land. As our justice system deals with those involved in the attacks, we must also move forward and focus on rebuilding our nation, on defeating COVID-19, and racial injustice. Let us all commit to making 2021 a year to heal, to inject compassion and empathy into our words and actions and let the world see what we are made of.

*"For there is always light,
if only we're brave enough to see it
if only we're brave enough to be it"
- Amanda Gorman*

As we continue to battle the COVID-19 pandemic, immunizations are now available, please find more information regarding registration and COVID-19 immunization at [OC Health Care Agency](#).

We are hopeful 2021 will be a great year and I am honored to serve as your President this year among a great group of representatives from our profession. The HBA 2021 Board of directors is committed to promote education, unity and excellence in the Hispanic legal community.

Executive Board



Board of Directors



I encourage all members to reach out to our [Board of Directors](#) with any questions or suggestions regarding our organization.

Our biggest fundraiser of the year is right around the corner. [Our 43rd Annual Scholarship Fundraiser & Installation Dinner on March 6, 2021](#) is our biggest fundraiser of the year and we need your support! Our Annual Dinner is the principal fundraiser for the Wally Davis Memorial Scholarship Fund and our future generations of Latinx attorneys need our help now more than ever.



REQUEST THE PLEASURE OF YOUR
COMPANY ON

SATURDAY MARCH 6TH

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Part I: Drive-Through Experience

Time: 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Location: Christ Cathedral

13280 Chapman Avenue, Garden Grove, CA

Part II: Virtual Program & Fundraiser

Time: 6 p.m.

This year our Annual dinner will be a virtual interactive experience where we will interact virtually with all our Judges, community leaders and members at large. [Please join our drive-through and virtual experience as we celebrate these 43 years!](#)

We are very grateful for our sponsors who have already committed to sponsoring our 43rd Annual dinner.





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We invite all of you to consider supporting our scholarship fundraiser by [becoming a sponsor](#).