



2014 DISTRICT CONFERENCE PRESENTERS BIOGRAPHIES

MS. CATHY A. CATTERSON

Circuit and Court of Appeals Executive for the Ninth Circuit

Ms. Catterson is the Circuit and Court of Appeals Executive for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, headquartered in San Francisco, California. She was appointed on December 5, 2007 to her current position. The Office of the Circuit Executive provides professional support to the judicial council and courts of the Ninth Circuit. Prior to her current appointment, Ms. Catterson served as Clerk of Court/Court of Appeals Executive for the Ninth Circuit. In her position as Court of Appeals Executive, she serves as the chief administrative officer for the Court, providing administrative, operational, and automation support to a 49-judge court; she is responsible for processing of approximately 13,000+ cases annually; and she assumes managerial responsibility for staff of 300+ including divisional clerk's offices in Pasadena, Portland, and Seattle, staff attorneys, and circuit court mediators.



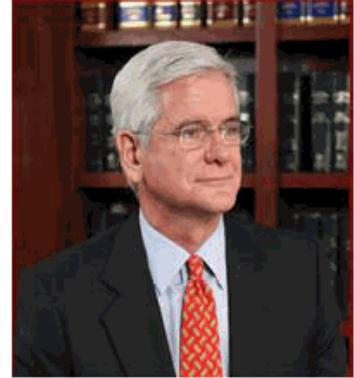
Ms. Catterson served as Chief Deputy Clerk prior to her appointment as Clerk of Court in 1985. She also was a law clerk to the Honorable Edward J. Devitt, U.S. District Judge, 1977 to 1979. In that capacity, she provided staff support to the U.S. Judicial Conference Committee on Attorney Admission Standards. She also served as legislative secretary/staff assistant to the Honorable Jacob K. Javits, U.S. Senator, from 1971 to 1977.

Ms. Catterson received her B.A. degree from the Catholic University of America and her J.D. degree from George Mason University.

Ms. Catterson has served on numerous national committees involving federal appellate court administration, and regularly participates in CLE programs throughout the Ninth Circuit. She has also served as a consultant in judicial administration to the Supreme Courts of Israel, India, Guam, and Thailand, as well as the European Court for Human Rights.

G. PATRICK CIVILLE, ESQ.

Attorney Patrick Civile was admitted to the District Court of Guam and U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit in 1985, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands and the District Court for the Northern Mariana Islands in 1986, and the U.S. Supreme Court in 2000.



For the past 25 years he has litigated and tried civil and criminal cases covering a wide spectrum of subject matters in local and federal courts. He has litigated cases involving claims for lender's liability, violations under the Petroleum Marketing Practices Act, criminal and civil RICO violations, Fair Labor Standards Act violations, Federal False Claims Act violations, employment discrimination under Titles VII and IX and Section 1983, and "Olmstead" violations in the field of mental health.

CYNTHIA V. ECUBE, ESQ.

President, Guam Bar Association

Cynthia Villaflor Ecube was born in Manila, Republic of the Philippines on July 31, 1962. She is admitted to practice before the Superior Court and Supreme Court of Guam, the District Court of Guam, and the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. She is the President of the Guam Bar Association and a board member of both the Public Defender Services Corporation and the Board of Law Examiners.



Ms. Ecube has served on many committees: Committee on Discipline, District Court of Guam; Criminal Justice Association; Standing Committee, Criminal Justice Association; Committee on Selection of Federal Magistrate Judge; Committee on Selection of Federal Public Defender, District of Guam; and Sub-Committee on Proposed Revisions to Guam Rules of Civil Procedure for the Superior Court of Guam.

From 1990 to 1992, Ms. Ecube worked as an Assistant Attorney General on Guam. She then went on to practice in the private sector as a senior associate at Carbullido & Brooks, LLP (formerly Carbullido Bordallo Brooks, LLP and Carbullido & Pipes, P.C.) from 1992 to 2000. Thereafter, she worked as an associate at Barcinas & Terlaje, P.C. from 2000 to 2003. She is now a solo practitioner.

Ms. Ecube obtained her B.A. from the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis and her J.D. from Hamline University School of Law in St. Paul, Minnesota.

DANIEL B. GARRIE, ESQ.

Mr. Daniel Garrie is the executive managing partner for Law & Forensics, a legal consulting firm that works with clients across industries on software, cyber security, electronic discovery, and digital forensic issues. He is also special counsel at Zeichner Ellman and Krause and a partner with Pulse Advisory, a venture development firm. Mr. Garrie is a member of the International Institute for Conflict Prevention and Resolution (CPR) Panel of Distinguished Neutrals; a neutral for the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre; Chair of the Forensic and E-Discovery Panel at the Alternative Resolution Centers; and an arbitrator with the London Court of International Arbitration neutrals. In addition, Mr. Garrie has served as an electronically stored information liaison, a forensic neutral, and an expert for courts in California, New York, and Delaware and is currently a special master in Nevada.



Prior to Law & Forensics, Mr. Garrie was the Worldwide Director of Electronic Discovery & Information Governance at Charles River Associates, where he managed a global practice that focused on compliance, information governance, and electronic discovery for enterprises worldwide. Today, his practice focuses primarily on electronic discovery, digital forensics, and cyber security. Current cases include a patent dispute and a suit over intellectual property theft. In addition to his legal experience, Mr. Garrie's technical background in computer science makes him exceptionally well able to negotiate disputes involving the convergence of modern technology and the law.

MR. JOHN T. GORMAN

Federal Public Defender, District of Guam

John T. Gorman has served as the Federal Public Defender for the District of Guam since 2003. He was an Assistant Federal Public Defender in the Guam office from 1997 to 2003. He also worked as a local public defender in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania from 1992 to 1997. He received his Juris Doctor from Boston's Northeastern University in 1992.



Mr. Gorman served as a U.S. Peace Corps volunteer in the Republic of the Philippines from 1982 to 1985. He lived in a tribal Igorot mountain village in the Northern Philippines and helped design, build and maintain a drinking water system to ensure safe, potable water. Mr. Gorman also worked in the Bataan and Palawan Indochinese Refugee Camps in the Philippines from 1985 to 1989. He assisted in the resettlement of Lao, Vietnamese and Cambodian refugees who had fled repressive regimes in their homelands.

HANNAH GUTIERREZ ARROYO

Clerk of Court, Supreme Court of Guam

Hannah Gutierrez Arroyo is currently the Clerk of Court for the Supreme Court of Guam. A daughter of the island, she graduated from the Academy of Our Lady of Guam in 1993. She attended the University of San Francisco, graduating cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1997, receiving the Fr. Fred J. Speiler Award for Excellence in Media Studies, the highest honor in her department. Ms. Arroyo returned to Guam after her graduation to work as a researcher and writer for the Chamorro Heritage Institute under the leadership of Dr. Katherine B. Aguon, contributing to several publications of Guam history textbooks in the Hale'-ta series. In 2000, Ms. Arroyo left Guam to attend law school at the William S. Richardson School of Law in Honolulu, Hawaii. While in law school, she served as class representative to the Student Bar Association, editor of the Asian Pacific Law and Policy Journal, member of the Moot Court Board, and as a Teaching Fellow, assisting with the instruction of the Appellate Advocacy course. She received her J.D. in 2003, graduating cum laude. After law school, Ms. Arroyo returned home and worked as an attorney with the Alternate Public Defender from 2004 to 2007. She became Clerk of Court for the Supreme Court of Guam in 2007. Ms. Arroyo's published work includes Guam's Future Political Status: An Argument for Free Association With U.S. Citizenship, 4 Asian-Pac. L. Pol'y J. 122 (2003). She is admitted to practice law in Guam and Hawaii. Ms. Arroyo is married to Richard Arroyo, and they have two sons: Seth (6) and Liam (4).



ELYZE MCDONALD IRIARTE, ESQ.

Elyze McDonald Iriarte is the Administrative Partner for Carlsmith Ball LLP. She focuses on civil litigation, with an emphasis on employment, procurement, and maritime matters. She actively practices in Guam and the Republic of Palau, and is also licensed to practice in California, Hawaii, and the CNMI. She is a former law clerk with the District Court of Guam, and earned her J.D. from the University of Southern California, and her B.A. in Law, Letters and Society from the University of Chicago.



RODNEY J. JACOB, ESQ.

Ninth Circuit Lawyer Representative Coordinating Committee Member,
District of Guam

Rodney J. Jacob is a partner in the law firm of Calvo Fisher & Jacob and past President of the Guam Bar Association (2005). Mr. Jacob has extensive experience representing commercial clients in complex cross-border litigation and mediation, with significant experience in conducting U.S. discovery in Japan. He is admitted to the bar in California, Guam and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and currently serves as the Ninth Circuit Lawyer Representative Coordinating Committee Member for the District of Guam.



Mr. Jacob received his B.S. (1986) and Juris Doctor (1989) from Georgetown University. He served as the law clerk to Judge Lawrence Howard, Arizona Court of Appeals (1989-1990) and to Chief Justice Jose Dela Cruz, CNMI Supreme Court (1993-1995). He grew up in Tucson, Arizona. For six years, he served as Guam's Law Week Committee Co-Chair, and during his tenure, Guam received the American Bar Association's Outstanding Law Day Activity Award for 2008, 2009 and 2012.

ROBERT L. KEOGH, ESQ.

Robert L. Keogh currently works as a solo practitioner on Guam and handles general civil litigation with specialization in plaintiff's personal injury, wrongful death and medical malpractice cases.

He obtained his A.B. degree in History from Villanova University in 1969 and his J.D. from Villanova School of Law in 1972. He obtained an L.L.M. in Public International Law from King's College, University of London in 1973. Prior to engaging in private practice on Guam, Robert Keogh was employed as a Staff Attorney for Legal Aid of Chester County, West Chester, Pennsylvania from 1974 to 1977. Thereafter, he worked as the Litigation Director of the Micronesian Legal Services Corporation in Saipan and the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands from 1977 to 1981. He has been in the private practice of law on Guam since 1981. He is a member of the Guam Bar, and the Bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.



THE HONORABLE ALEX KOZINSKI

Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

Judge Kozinski was appointed United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit on November 7, 1985, and became Chief Judge on November 30, 2007. He graduated from UCLA, receiving an A.B. degree in 1972, and from UCLA School of Law, receiving a J.D. degree in 1975.

Prior to his appointment to the appellate bench, Judge Kozinski served as Chief Judge of the United States Claims Court, 1982 to 1985; Special Counsel, Merit Systems Protection Board, 1981 to 1982; Assistant Counsel, Office of Counsel to the President, 1981; Deputy Legal Counsel, Office of President-Elect Reagan, 1980 to 1981; Attorney, Covington & Burling, 1979 to 1981; Attorney, Forry Golbert Singer & Gelles, 1977 to 1979; Law Clerk to Chief Justice Warren E. Burger, 1976 to 1977; and Law Clerk to Circuit Judge Anthony M. Kennedy, 1975 to 1976.



Judge Kozinski is married to Marcy Jane Tiffany and has three children: Yale, Wyatt, and Clayton, and three grandchildren: Quinn, Owen, and Anna.

THE HONORABLE ALICIA A.G. LIMTIACO

United States Attorney, Districts of Guam and Northern Mariana Islands

Alicia Anne Garrido Limtiaco presently serves as the United States Attorney for the Districts of Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands. She was nominated by President Barack Obama in February 2010 and was confirmed by the U.S. Senate in April 2010. Ms. Limtiaco is the first woman to serve as United States Attorney for the Districts of Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands. She is a member of the Attorney General's Advisory Committee (AGAC), Subcommittees, and Working Groups, including Civil Rights, Cyber/Intellectual Property, Terrorism/ National Security, Child Exploitation and Obscenity, and Controlled Substances and Asset Forfeiture.



Ms. Limtiaco previously served as the first woman Attorney General of Guam. She was an active member of the National Association of Attorneys General (NAAG) and Conference of Western Attorneys General (CWAG), and served as Co-chair of the NAAG Criminal Law Committee and NAAG Youth Access to Alcohol Committee, and as Second Vice Chair of the CWAG Executive Team. She spearheaded certain initiatives including the formation of task forces to address public school system health and safety; internet crimes against children including sexual exploitation and child pornography; cybersecurity and cybercrime including identity theft; gambling and gaming; human trafficking; and the implementation and compliance of Sex Offender

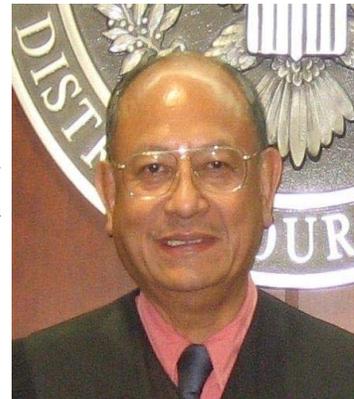
Registration and Notification Act (SORNA) requirements by the Government of Guam. She served as the Chair of the Executive Branch of the Family Violence and Sexual Assault Task Force, and was an active member of the Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) Steering Committee.

Prior to her tenure as Attorney General, Ms. Limtiaco served as acting Chief Prosecutor and as an Assistant Attorney General for the Office of the Attorney General. She was the Lead Prosecutor of the Criminal Sexual Conduct and Family Violence Unit, and Co-chair of the Governor's Family Violence Task Force. In addition, Ms. Limtiaco has over eight years of private practice experience during which time she handled civil litigation, criminal, family law, juvenile and probate matters. Ms. Limtiaco received her B.S. degree in Business Administration from the University of Southern California in 1985. She received her J.D. degree from the UCLA School of Law in 1990. Ms. Limtiaco is licensed to practice law in Guam and California.

Ms. Limtiaco served as Adjunct Faculty and Assistant Professor with the University of Guam, College of Professional Studies, School of Business and Public Administration, Public Administration and Legal Studies Program, for over seven years. She also taught as Adjunct Faculty at the Guam Community College, Basic Law Enforcement Academy and Criminal Justice Program, for over six years, training Guam's future law enforcement officers.

THE HONORABLE JOAQUIN V.E. MANIBUSAN, JR.
U.S. Magistrate Judge, District Court of Guam

Judge Joaquin V.E. Manibusan, Jr. was appointed as a U.S. Magistrate Judge for the District of Guam on February 9, 2004. Prior to his appointment to the federal bench, Judge Manibusan served as a Superior Court judge for the Territory of Guam. Judge Manibusan received his B.A. from the University of California, Berkeley in 1971 and his J.D. from the University of California, Berkeley, Boalt Hall School of Law in 1974.



Judge Manibusan is currently a member of the Magistrate Judge's Executive Board Committee of the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. He was reappointed to a second eight-year term by Chief Judge Frances M. Tydingco-Gatewood.

THE HONORABLE KATHERINE A. MARAMAN

Associate Justice, Supreme Court of Guam

On February 21, 2008, Katherine A. Maraman took the oath of office to become Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. She was appointed to the position by Governor Felix P. Camacho and confirmed by the Twenty-ninth Guam Legislature.

Associate Justice Maraman was born in Los Alamos, New Mexico to the late William J. and Katherine Thorpe Maraman. The University of New Mexico conferred on her a J.D. She received a B.A. degree in Economics cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa, from The Colorado College.



Justice Maraman began her legal career at the New Mexico Legislative Council Service, working as a draftsman until her admission to practice. The Council staff included several extraordinary individuals who became her mentors and also supported her decision in 1977 to join a Guam law firm which afforded her an opportunity that changed the course of her life.

Upon arriving on Guam, she assumed the post of Assistant Legislative Counsel to the Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Guam Legislatures and eventually assumed the position of minority counsel full-time until December 1987. While serving in the Legislature she assisted with the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures and her experience in the Pacific grew.

The entrepreneurial spirit struck in 1985 and Justice Maraman opened her own law office at Julale Center in Hagatna. Other clients engaged her for legal work in family, probate, corporate, tax and other legal matters. In 1988, she started winding up her cases and eventually closed the office in order to join the government service.

Then-Governor Joseph F. Ada and Lieutenant Governor Frank F. Blas retained Justice Maraman as their legal advisor in January 1988. Her work encompassed many areas in the operation of the government. Later in his second term in 1994, Governor Ada appointed her to serve as a judge of the Superior Court.

Justice Maraman was assigned primarily to the Family Court docket but was instrumental in the start-up of the mental health docket which comprises criminal cases. Justice Maraman collaborated with several executive branch agencies and the judiciary to improve how family cases were adjudicated. She successfully built consensus to create a therapeutic court where the most vulnerable members of the Guam community could be properly served.

Justice Maraman was appointed by the President of Palau to serve as a Part-time Justice on the Palau Supreme Court. Maraman also serves as an Adjunct Professor at the University of Guam.

She enjoys working with various community organizations and is a member of several legal associations and has served as a board member or officer in multiple groups.

Justice Maraman's immediate family includes her sister Linda, brother-in-law Kip, her niece Rachel and her husband Dan, and her nephew Andy.

THE HONORABLE MARY M. SHROEDER

Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

The Honorable Mary Schroeder was Chief Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit from December 2000 through November 2007. Judge Schroeder has served on the Ninth Circuit since 1979. She previously served on the Arizona Court of Appeals and practiced law in Phoenix. She is a graduate of Swarthmore College and the University of Chicago Law School. After graduation, she was a trial lawyer in the Civil Division of the U.S. Department of Justice. Judge Schroeder has also taught at Arizona State University Law School and been an adjunct lecturer at Duke University School of Law. She has published articles and lectures in various law reviews and is a member of the Council of the American Law Institute. She is a recipient of the Arizona State Bar Association's James A. Walsh Outstanding Jurist Award, the American Bar Association's Margaret Brent Award, and the Joan Dempsey Klein NAWJ Honoree of the Year Award. In 2006, Swarthmore College awarded her an Honorary Doctor of Law degree. She has her chambers in Phoenix, Arizona. She and her husband, Professor Milton Schroeder, have two daughters and two grandchildren.



THE HONORABLE N. RANDY SMITH

Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

Judge N. Randy Smith was appointed by President George W. Bush to serve on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. He was unanimously confirmed by the Senate and thereafter sworn in on March 19, 2007. In addition to his duties as a Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals Judge, he has been appointed to hear federal District Court and Bankruptcy cases in Idaho and Montana.

Judge Smith now serves as Chairman of the Ninth Circuit Bankruptcy Committee and as a member of the Ninth Circuit ADR Committee. He was recently appointed by Supreme Court Chief Justice Roberts as a member of the Judicial Conference Committee on the Administration of the Bankruptcy System. Since joining the Court, Judge Smith has served on the Ninth Circuit Executive Committee, as Administrative Judge of the Northern Area of the Ninth Circuit, as Conference Chairman,



Program Chairman, and member of the Executive Committee of the Ninth Circuit Judicial Conference.

Judge Smith also serves as the Chairman of the Appellate Judges Conference of the American Bar Association, Chair of the ABA Judicial Division Ethics Committee, and on the ABA Judicial Division Executive Committee.

Judge Smith teaches at Idaho State University, teaching Legal Environment of Business and Business Law. He also previously taught Political Science classes. Judge Smith was recently inducted into the Idaho Hall of Fame. He has also received the Idaho “Statesman of the Year” award, the Idaho Judiciary’s George G. Granata, Jr. outstanding jurist of Idaho award, the Idaho State University outstanding teacher award, and an Outstanding Service Award from the Idaho State Bar Board of Commissioners.

Judge Smith was a District Judge in the Sixth Judicial District of the State of Idaho and also served as the Administrative Judge for that district. He also served as a pro tem justice on the Idaho Supreme Court and Idaho Court of Appeals and as a temporary judge in district courts throughout the state of Idaho. He mediated approximately one hundred federal and state civil cases each year. He also served on the Idaho State Judicial Council.

Judge Smith also serves as an emeritus member of the University of Idaho College of Law Visiting Committee and Idaho State University College of Business Visiting Committee; served as a member and President of the Idaho District Judges Association; as a member of the Idaho Law Foundation Board of Directors; as a member of Idaho State Civil Rules Advisory Committee; as the Chairman of the Small Lawsuit Resolution Committee; and United States Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals Judicial Conference Lawyer Representative for the District of Idaho.

Prior to being appointed to the bench, Judge Smith was a partner at Merrill & Merrill, Chtd., and prior to that as Corporate Counsel for the J.R. Simplot Company. Judge Smith graduated from Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark School of Law, in 1977 where he received the American Jurisprudence Taxation Award. He received his B.S. degree in Accounting in 1974.

THOMAS C. STERLING, ESQ.

Mr. Sterling is a principal in the firm of Blair Sterling Johnson & Martinez. He obtained a B.S. degree in Psychology from the University of California, Santa Cruz in 1973 and his J.D. degree from the UCLA School of Law in 1977.

While at UCLA, he participated in a student intern program working for the Attorney General’s Office of the Trust Territory Government in Saipan, which first introduced him to this area of the world. After graduation, his first legal position was as a law clerk for



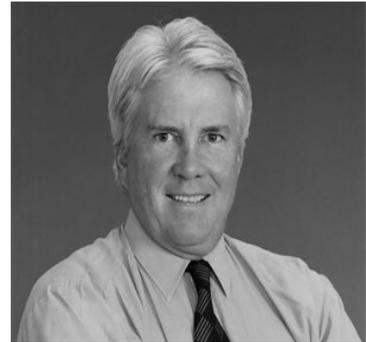
the Superior Court of Guam after which he returned to California where he practiced with a surety and fidelity bond firm in Westwood, California. He came back to Guam in 1981 and joined the firm of Klemm Dear & Lawrence, which has over the ensuing years evolved into the current Blair Sterling Johnson & Martinez firm.

Mr. Sterling's practice is primarily litigation with an emphasis on insurance defense and construction litigation. He represents a number of insurance and construction companies and has handled numerous large cases involving a broad range of insurance and construction issues. He also is an active participant in alternative dispute resolution and has arbitrated and mediated many cases. He is a member of the Construction Industry Arbitration Panel of the American Arbitration Association and has been trained as a mediator by the AAA and the District Court of Guam.

He is a member of the bars of Guam, the CNMI, the Republic of Palau, and the State of California and has tried cases in all of those jurisdictions.

THOMAS M. TARPLEY, JR., ESQ.

Thomas M. Tarpley has been an accomplished trial lawyer since 1979. Beginning as a Public Defender, and serving two years as a prosecutor of major felonies, Mr. Tarpley went into private civil practice, litigating construction and contract disputes, personal injury including medical malpractice cases, wrongful death, corporate fraud and anti-trust matters, and other complex civil litigation. Mr. Tarpley is admitted to the bars of the State of Washington, U.S. Supreme Court, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, Supreme Court of Guam, District Court of Guam, Federated States of Micronesia (FSM), Pohnpei Supreme Court, and the High Court of the Trust Territories.



THE HONORABLE FRANCES M. TYDINGCO-GATEWOOD
Chief Judge, District Court of Guam

Chief Judge Frances Tydingco-Gatewood is of Chamorro and Pohnpeian descent and her roots and ties to Guam run deep and strong. She obtained her B.A. degree in Political Science in 1980 at Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. In 1983, she obtained her J.D. degree from the University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law. In 1984, she became the first Chamorro woman assistant attorney general on Guam, and served until 1988. Chief Judge Tydingco-Gatewood was an assistant prosecutor with the Jackson County Prosecutor's Office in Missouri from 1988 to 1990. In 1990, she returned home to become Guam's first Chamorro woman Chief Prosecutor and served in that capacity until 1994. In 1994, she was appointed to a trial judge position with the Superior Court of Guam. Her appointment and



confirmation are a source of much pride for our island community; she is a daughter of Guam and its first Chamorro woman judge. From February 8, 2002 to October 27, 2006, she held the position of Associate Guam Supreme Court Justice. On October 30, 2006, she was sworn in as the Chief Judge of the District Court of Guam; she is Guam's first Chamorro woman federal chief judge. Chief Judge Tydingco-Gatewood was appointed by President George W. Bush and confirmed by the U.S. Senate.

Chief Judge Tydingco-Gatewood is a member of three federal committees--the Conference of United States Chief District Judges, the Conference of Chief Bankruptcy Judges, and the Ninth Circuit's Pacific Islands Committee. She is also the Vice President of the Pacific Judicial Council and a member of the Pacific Judicial Council's Education Committee.

Chief Judge Tydingco-Gatewood has lectured in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Japan, New Zealand, the Philippines, the Republic of Palau, the Solomon Islands, and the United States Virgin Islands on topics such as complex civil litigation, family violence, sexual assault, certification of a juvenile to adult status in a murder case, human trafficking, therapeutic re-entry drug courts, the "One Judge One Family" concept, alternative dispute resolution in the local and federal courts of Guam, intellectual property rights enforcement, and bankruptcy court.