## PAMELA ELIZABETH GEORGE

### **EDUCATION**

J.D., University of Texas at Austin, May, 1977. M.L.S., University of Texas at Austin, 1974.

B.S., University of Texas at Austin, 1973.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor of Law, South Texas College of Law Houston:

1981 - Present, Tenured 1987

Subjects Taught: Family Law; Marital Property; Texas Trial and Appellate Procedure; Appellate Courts Seminar; Advanced Marital Property Seminar; Legal Research & Writing I & II.

Director of Legal Writing Program, South Texas College of Law, Spring 1984 through 1987.

Assistant Attorney General for the State of Texas, Enforcement Division; concentrated appellate practice in federal courts, 1977-1980.

### LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES HELD:

Admitted to State Bar of Texas, November 1977

Board Certified, Family Law, Texas Board of Legal Specialization, since December 1983

Board Certified, Civil Appellate Law, Texas Board of Legal Specialization, since December 1989

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS/INVOLVEMENT:

Honorary Member Family Law Council of the State Bar of Texas since 1997 -2010

Master of the American Inns of Court - Burta Rhoads Raborn Family Law Inn

Member, Gulf Coast Family Law Specialists; former officer, director

Member, Texas Academy of Family Law Specialists

Member, Family Law Section, State Bar of Texas

Member, Family Law Section, Houston Bar Association

Member, Appellate Law Section, Houston Bar Association

Twice named Texas Super Lawyer by Texas Monthly Magazine in area of civil appellate law

Named By H Magazine as an Outstanding Family Law Lawyer

# RECENT ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES:

Bar-Bri Lecturer in the areas of Texas Family Law and Community Property for students taking Texas Bar Exam, 2009 - 2012

Pamela E. George Family Law Award established in honor of 25 years of teaching, given to deserving student since 2007

Faculty Advisor, South Texas College of Law Texas Exes

Faculty Advisor, South Texas College of Law Family Law & Probate Legal Society

Chair, Task Force on Family & Juvenile Clinical Opportunities

Chair, Bar Passage Committee, South Texas College of Law, 2010-2012

Emeritus member of the planning committee for the Family Law Mediation Training, Center for Professional Responsibility

### RECENT PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Past-President, Current Board Member of the Orange Show Foundation (maintaining the Orange Show Monument, the Beer Can House and presenting the Art Car Parade)

Member, BRASS, Baylor College of Medicine

Member of numerous art groups, museums, in Houston and Santa Fe, New Mexico

### PUBLICATIONS, ARTICLES, SPEECHES:

Currently working on law review article, working title: "Not Everybody Loves Raymond," which is an analysis of the case *Raymond v. Raymond*. The *Raymond* Court, an intermediate Texas Court of Appeals, bypassed years of precedent and held that parole evidence could not be used to rebut a gift presumption that arose from a transfer of property by husband to wife, during marriage. The transfer documents did not include a significant recital, usually a requisite for disallowing parole evidence. This case has been followed and utilized in Texas family courts causing uncertainty in the characterization of marital property.

Also, will be revising the two texts listed below, after the 2017 legislative sessions.

PAMELA E. GEORGE, TEXAS MARITAL PROPERTY RIGHTS - CASE & MATERIALS (Grail & Tucker Publishing, Imprimatur Press, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2012, 2014 editions)

PAMELA E. GEORGE, TEXAS FAMILY LAW - PRECEDENT & PROCEDURE (Grail & Tucker Publishing, Imprimatur Press, 2007, 2009, 2012, 2014 Editions).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, THE WINDSOR EFFECT, Team 3 Presentation to Burta Rhodes Raborn Family Law Inns of Court, Fall, 2013.

PAMELA E. GEORGE, FINDINGS OF FACT - FAMILY STYLE, Inns of Court, Presentation to Burta Rhodes Raborn Family Law Inns of Court, Fall, 2011

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Anticipating an Appeal." Presented to the Houston Bar Association, CLE, March 23, 2007.

PAMELA E. GEORGE (speaker) & K.C. Thibodeaux, "When Handshakes Won't Do - Rule 11, Stipulations and MSAs" Presented to 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Advanced Family Law Course at San Antonio (State Bar of Texas, August 14-17, 2006)

PAMELA GEORGE, "The Appellate Process, including: Appeals; Limited Appeals; Restricted Appeals; Interlocutory Appeals; and, Mandamus." Presented to the TAFLS Trial Institute, Reno Nevada, January 2006.

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "What Every Estate Lawyer Should know about Community Property - the Divorce Lawyer's Perspective," Presented to the Wills & Probate Section of Houston Bar Association, February 2005.

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "The Nuts & Bolts of the Appellate Process, including: Appeals; Limited Appeals; Restricted Appeals; Interlocutory Appeals; and, Mandamus," Marriage Dissolution Course, State Bar of Texas - Galveston, April 2005

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Is It a Tort If He Sonoras Too Loud? Creative and Innovative Marital Causes of Action," Panel Presentation (Cheryl Wilson, Jim Farris, Bob Piro, and Pamela George), New Frontiers in Marital Property, Scottsdale Arizona, October, 2005.

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Anticipating the Appeal - The Ultimate CYA," Chapter 38 of Advanced Family Law Course, State Bar of Texas - San Antonio, August, 2004.

PAMELA E. GEORGE, 1 EXPERT WITNESS MANUAL (State Bar of Texas - Family Law Section, 2002) (Editor of entire Volume and Author of three (3) chapters).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Interspousal Torts: Precedent, Practicalities, and Procedure." 2001 Wiley Family Law Update (Aspen Law and Business) (December 2000).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "The New Rules of Appellate Procedure & Family Law," presented to Marriage Dissolution Course, State Bar of Texas, Austin (August 1999).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Whose Injury? Whose Property? The Characterization of Personal Injury Settlements Upon Dissolution of Marriage in Community Property States." 32 Idaho L. Rev. 576 (1996).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Jury Trial: Post- Verdict Motions" - Chapter 26, 4 Mc Donald's Texas Civil Practice 437-458. (Bancroft-Whitney 1992 Ed.).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "New Trial," - Chapter 28, 5 Mc Donald's Texas Civil Practice 507-594. (Bancroft-Whitney 1992 Ed.).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Summary Judgments," - Chapter 18, 3 Mc Donald's Texas Civil Practice 455-506. Editor. (Bancroft-Whitney, 1992 Ed.).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Pre-Trial Motions," - Chapter 19, 3 Mc Donald's Texas Civil Practice 507-594. Editor. (Bancroft-Whitney, 1992 Ed.).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Can a Woman of the 90's Have it All? Or, is She Once Again Faced with that Age Old Question, What's a Girl to Do?" 8 American Journal of Matrimonial Lawyers 73 (Spring 1992).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & E. LILLY, "Recovery for Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress Upon Divorce," Vol. 9, No. 1, FairShare - The Matrimonial Law Monthly 26 (January 1989).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "After the Divorce - Securing and Obtaining the Property: Post-judgment Relief in Texas," XVII Tex. Tech. L. Rev. 1349 (Family Code Symposium 1986).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "What do You Do When? ...Some Answers!" Annual Family Law Course Houston, Texas (South Texas College of Law, April 1996)

PAMELA E. GEORGE, Presentation to Legal Services Attorneys, "Where to file the Suit Affecting the Parent Child Relationship, (June 1994, Corpus Christi).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, Presentation to the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, re: Pre-marital Agreements, (March 1994, Phoenix).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, Presentation to SMU Advanced Civil Trial Short Course of Professor Elaine Carlson's article, "Jury Selection: Challenges for Cause, Peremptory Challenges and the *Batson* Case" (April, May 1994, Dallas, Houston).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, Chair-person, "Appellate Practice Panel," presented to the 20th Annual Advanced Family Law Course, State Bar of Texas, San Antonio (August 1994).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Superseding the Judgment; or, the High Cost of Going All the Way," presented to the 19th Annual Advanced Family Law Course, State Bar of Texas, San Antonio (August 1993).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & H. TINDALL, "Premarital Agreements - Strategy & Practicalities," presented to the Tenth Annual Family Law Institute, South Texas College of Law, Houston (April 1993).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Jurisdiction Under Title II of the Texas Family Code," presented to the 18th Annual Advanced Family Law Course, State Bar of Texas, San Antonio (August 1992).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Preservation of Error at the Trial Court Level - Keeping an Eye on the Appeal - An Overview," presented to the Eighth Annual Family Law Institute, South Texas College of Law, Houston (March 1991).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "The Most Recent Changes in the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure and the Texas Rules of Appellate Procedure - An Overview," presented to the State Judicial Conference, the Civil, Appellate, and Family Law Judiciary (three separate presentations), San Antonio, Texas (September 1990).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "The Pitfalls of Accepting the Benefits Pending an Appeal," presented to 16th Annual Advanced Family Law Course, State Bar of Texas, Houston (August 1990).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Interstate and Intrastate Jurisdiction in Suits Affecting the Parent-Child Relationship," presented to the 15th Annual Advanced Family Law Course, State Bar of Texas, San Antonio (August 1989).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Characterization of Personal Injury Settlements and Concerns Arising Therefrom," presented to Sixth Annual Family Law Institute - Domestic Torts, South Texas College of Law, Houston (March/April 1989).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Reimbursement Issues in Divorce," presented to Fifth Annual Family Law Institute, South Texas College of Law, Houston (October 1988).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & E. LILLY, "The Chiles Case - An Analysis," presented to the Fifth Annual Family Law Institute, South Texas College of Law, Houston (October 1988).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & R. PIRO, "Discovery & Evaluation of the Professional Practice for Purposes of Property Division Upon Divorce," presented by Robert J. Piro at Advanced Family Law Course (State Bar of Texas, August, 1986).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & R. PIRO, "Reimbursement After Jensen," presented by Robert J. Piro at Advanced Family Law Short Course (South Texas College of Law, June 1986).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & E. LILLY, "Interaction Among Attorneys, Psychiatrists & Psychologists - An Attorney's Point of View," presented by Earle S. Lilly during Child in Court Series (State Bar of Texas, February/March, 1986).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & E. LILLY, "Expert and Opinion Testimony," Advanced Family Law Course (State Bar of Texas, 1985).

PAMELA E. GEORGE, "Judgment and Post Judgment Relief," Advanced Family Law Short Course (South Texas College of Law, June, 1985).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & R. PIRO, "Reimbursement After Jensen," presented by Robert J. Piro for Advanced Family Law Course (State Bar of Texas, August, 1984).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & E. LILLY, "Update on Custody Modification - Tactical Limitations and Strategy After September 1, 1983," presented by Earle S. Lilly at 8th Biennial Texas Family Law and Community Property Course (Southern Methodist University, March, 1984).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & J. ENSLE, "Expert and Lay Opinion Testimony and Privilege," presented by Dean John F. Ensle at Advanced Civil Trial Course (State Bar of Texas, July/August, 1984).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & E. LILLY, "Documentary Evidence and Proof of Foreign Law," presented by Earle S. Lilly at Advanced Family Law Course (State Bar of Texas, August, 1983).

PAMELA E. GEORGE & J. ENSLE, "Hearsay," presented by Pamela E. George at Advanced Family Law Course (State Bar of Texas, August, 1982).