



HON. YOULEE YIM YOU
United States Magistrate Judge

APPOINTED: March 1, 2016

EDUCATION: University of Washington, JD, 1989
Wellesley College, BA, Economics and Urban Planning, 1986
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1984-85

BAR ADMISSIONS: Oregon (1989)
New York (1996)
California (1998)
United States District Court, District of Oregon
United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit

PRIOR EXPERIENCE:

Judge You served as a state Circuit Court Judge in Multnomah County (Portland, Oregon) for almost 10 years before appointment as a Magistrate Judge. Judge You has extensive experience presiding over jury trials and all phases of litigation in a wide variety of civil cases. Additionally, she has mediated a broad range of civil cases, from employment to personal injury to national class action lawsuits.

Prior to her appointment on the bench, Judge You was a litigator and appellate attorney in the public sector. She prosecuted complex felony cases and served as a deputy bureau chief in the District Attorney's Office in Brooklyn, New York. She also served as a staff attorney for the United States District Court for the Central District of California (Los Angeles) and as a Senior Assistant Attorney General in Oregon.

Judge You is a frequent speaker at CLEs and other legal events. She has received a number of awards, including the Oregon State Bar's Award for Judicial Excellence, Multnomah Bar Association Award of Merit, and National Asian Pacific American Bar Association Trailblazer Award. She is a former board member of the Oregon Women Lawyers Association, and actively mentors law students and new attorneys.