

Biography

Honorable Denise Noonan Slavin

RETIRED

Judge Denise Noonan Slavin retired from her position as an Immigration Judge on March 30, 2019. She was appointed as a Judge in April 1995, and served initially on the bench in Miami from 1995 to 2005. From 2005 to 2015 she was on the bench at the Krome Detention Center, in the Everglades, hearing detained cases. Finally, she served from 2015 to 2019 at the Immigration Court in Baltimore, where she was responsible for a juvenile docket, as well as some family cases. Denise Slavin also was elected by her colleagues in the National Association of Immigration Judges (NAIJ), as either President or Vice President from 2001 to 2017. Since 2017 she has been appointed as President Emerita for NAIJ. The NAIJ is the professional association and collective bargaining unit (union) for the nation's Immigration Judges. During her leadership the NAIJ has advocated for resources, due process and judicial independence for the courts.

