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Ms. Deborah Hernandez currently prosecutes child molest and rape cases as a Deputy District Attorney in the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office. Ms. Hernandez has been a prosecutor since 2010. Her previous assignments include the Family Violence Unit which specializes in the prosecution of domestic violence. Ms. Hernandez works closely with victims and witnesses to explain and secure their rights under *Marsy's Law* as well as various California statutes protecting victim's and their privacy. In her first year as a Deputy District Attorney, Ms. Hernandez was awarded the Robert L. Webb Misdemeanor Trial Advocacy Award in recognition of her exceptional trial work. Ms. Hernandez is a member of the office's Diversity Committee and serves as a mentor to law clerks. Deborah received her law degree Santa Clara University School of Law School.