Firoozeh Nia (known to her colleagues as Faye) began her practice of Family Law upon her admission to the State Bar in 1999. In 2009 she was approved as the first Iranian female Certified Family Law Specialist by the Board of Legal Specialization of the State Bar of California. Ms. Nia has exclusively dedicated her career to the practice of Family Law since 1999. While she began her practice in a prominent family law firm, in 2011 she established her family law and mediation practice in Encino. In 2013 and 2014 Ms. Nia served as an officer of the board of directors of the Iranian American Lawyers' Association (IALA) and has been a regular member of the board of trustees of Los Angeles County Bar Association (LACBA) since 2015. Ms. Nia regularly volunteers her time to serve the Court and the Bar and has been a presenter at various family law conferences. As one of the founders of the "Judgment Day" program at the Stanley Mosk courthouse, she takes pride in serving the community at large. Born in The Hague, Netherlands to Iranian parents, Faye lived in Iran during the 1979 revolution and during the first few years of the Iran-Iraq war. In 1984 Faye and her family migrated to the United States.