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**INTERVIEW WITH DAVID RUDOVSKY**

- 00:00** Introduction
- 00:28** Background information--birthplace, parents' birthplace
- 00:42** Family information--parents' names, parents' employment, siblings
- 1:30** Childhood interests/elementary school
- 2:33** High school--favorite subjects, sports
- 3:10** College (1960-1964)--Queens College, political activism at college
- 6:10** Law School (1964-1967)--NYU
- 7:39** First summer--internship in Georgia with C.B. King, a black civil rights lawyer
- 8:30** Background information on C.B. King
- 9:17** Hands-on nature of working with C.B. King
- 12:52** Returning to law school for second year
- 13:34** Third year--Arthur Garfield Hayes Civil Liberties Program
- 14:48** Fellowship at Penn (1967-1970)
- 15:05** Description of the program
- 15:30** Working at the Defender's Office
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- 19:34** Professors here when he arrived that are still at Penn
- 20:22** Participating in the fellowship for an extra year
- 21:54** Becoming an adjunct faculty member at Penn (1972)
- 22:10** Teaching Trial Advocacy, supervising students doing clinical program in prisoners' rights
- 22:30** Teaching Style
- 25:45** Quality of Penn students (standing up under pressure)
- 26:18** Convergence of interest between teaching and practicing
- 26:46** Popularity as a professor

27:08 Ability to bring practical experience into the classroom

28:42 The Practice--starting his firm (1971)

28:55 Partner--David Kairys

30:10 Vision for the firm

31:08 Clients--mostly groups and individuals he was politically involved with

31:36 Case--Philadelphia Resistance v. Hoover and Mitchell (class action seeking injunctive relief against FBI)

34:37 Case--major piece of litigation against Philadelphia prison system

35:05 Ability to pick cases

35:55 Personal political stake in the issues

36:18 Consistent demand for the firm's services in civil rights, civil liberties, and criminal defense

36:32 Growth in public interest law in general

38:14 Current attorneys at the practice

38:55 Litigating against ADAs and AGs

39:45 Comfortable in advocacy

40:21 Arguing in front of the Supreme Court

42:02 Has considered leaving his practice to teach full-time

43:00 Most memorable case (represented a good friend and his family against the CIA)

48:32 Lecturing at civil rights/civil liberties seminars--police misconduct, search and seizure/Fourth Amendment issues

49:10 Book on police misconduct

51:09 Involvement with the ACLU

51:25 Co-litigating cases with the ACLU

52:37 Progress in terms of civil liberties since the 1960's

53:55 Awards--Flood Memorial Award

54:10 Returning to the Defender's Office for three years as First Assistant Defender

54:56 Awards--MacArthur Foundation Award ("Genius Award")

56:50 ACLU Civil Liberty Award

57:05 Bread and Roses Community Fund Social Justice Award