

Carlos Duarte**Texas State Director, Mi Familia Vota**

Carlos is a Mexican immigrant who has worked on progressive social change for the past 25 years, both in Mexico and the United States. He has led efforts to register, educate and mobilize thousands of voters in Arizona, Texas and Florida. He co-founded the Emerging Latino Leaders program and is Texas State Director for Mi Familia Vota. Carlos is actively organizing to defeat efforts that hinder our democracy including restrictive voter id, gerrymandering that dilutes people of color's political voice and SB 4 and other anti immigrant legislation as member of several local, state and national coalitions.

Carlos has taught at higher education institutions in Mexico and the US and has served in numerous boards and commissions. He is also a recognized leader having received multiple awards.

Carlos holds a Master's in Social and Industrial Psychology a Bachelor's in Philosophy and is a PhD candidate in Social and Cultural Anthropology.