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Professional Experience

Certified full-time mediator since 1993

Mediation of over three thousand cases, primarily complex commercial disputes (including bankruptcy), personal injury, workers' compensation, and medical malpractice

Part-time solo practice - 1988-93 - general practice, focusing primarily on commercial litigation
Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice - associate 1982-88 - concentration primarily in complex commercial litigation, including bankruptcy

Professional Activities

Recipient of 2013 Lawyers' Weekly Women of Justice Litigation Practitioner Award – recognizes women across the state who have “demonstrated leadership, integrity, service, sacrifice and accomplishment in improving the quality of justice and exemplifying the highest ideals of the legal profession”

N.C. Bar Association

Member of Board of Governors

Past Chair of Dispute Resolution Section Council; past Secretary, Treasurer, and Councilor of section and past Editor of section newsletter

Past Secretary of Bankruptcy Section Council and past Editor of section newsletter;

Past Chair of Ethics Committee of Bankruptcy Section

Member of Workers' Compensation Section

Past member of Strategic Planning and Emerging Trends Committee

Course planner for joint Litigation Section and Dispute Resolution Section seminar on Advanced Negotiation and Advocacy in Mediation

Peace Award (Dispute Resolution Section award granted to an individual in N.C. for recognition of exceptional commitment to peaceful resolution of disputes)

Past editor of N.C. Bankruptcy Practice Manual

North Carolina Dispute Resolution Commission

Appointed by Supreme Court Chief Justice Sarah Parker 2008-2014

Chair Standards and Advisory Opinions Committee

Past member Program Oversight Committee

Speaker at several N.C. Bar Association and N.C. Academy of Trial Lawyers seminars on dispute resolution and bankruptcy

Member, Alternative Dispute Resolution Subcommittee of State Judicial Council

Member, Eastern District of North Carolina ADR Subcommittee of Local Rules Committee, U.S. District Court

Member, Tenth Judicial District Bar Association

AV Preeminent Peer Review Rating Martindale-Hubbell

Education

J.D. with honors 1982, University of North Carolina School of Law

B.A. 1977, East Carolina University

Publication

Alternative Dispute Resolution in North Carolina: A New Civil Procedure (N.C. Bar Foundation and N.C. Dispute Resolution Commission 2003), Editor