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CRESENTIALED DISTINGUISHED MEDIATOR & ARBITRATOR BROAD LEGAL EXPERTISE • CIVIL LITIGATION SPECIALIST

John is a certified, credentialed-distinguished mediator and arbitrator. He specializes in the resolution of civil disputes and has successfully resolved hundreds of cases in federal and state courts. He brings to the ADR practice thirty years of litigation experience representing plaintiffs & defendants, individuals & businesses. John utilizes a personal hands-on approach to the mediation process and deploys a unique set of negotiation skills to meet the dynamic and changing needs of the litigants and counsel he serves.

Over the course of his legal career, John has served as a strategic and focused General Counsel and trial specialist with extensive experience directing corporate legal functions and serving as an integral member of a sophisticated and complex business management team. Through his representation of individuals in the civil court system, he has gained deep knowledge of how the legal process affects real people enmeshed in the litigation process, particularly in the business, commercial, personal injury, and healthcare fields.

This hard-earned experience, honed through years in courtrooms and boardrooms, has equipped John with a unique skill set that gives him credibility in the ADR process.

ADR CASE EXPERIENCE

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ADA Disability• Billing Disputes – Medical• Business Dissolution• Civil Rights• Commercial/Business• Community & Homeowner Associations• Construction• Contract Disputes• Discrimination• Education• EEOC• Eminent Domain• Employment• Energy Sector (Oil/Gas)• Environmental• Health Care• Insurance• Intellectual Property• Libel & Slander• Local Government/Municipalities• Medical Malpractice• Nursing Homes• Partnerships | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Personal Injury• Pharmaceuticals• Premises Liability• Probate• Product Liability• Professional Fees• Professional Liability• Professional Malpractice• Professional Negligence• Property Damage• Railroad & Trucking• Real Estate• Religious Entities• Sexual Harassment• Shareholder Disputes• Sports• Title Disputes• Torts• Transportation• Trusts / Estates• Vaccine• Vehicular• Wage & Hour/FMLA• Wrongful Death |
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EDUCATION & CREDENTIALS

CREDENTIALLED DISTINGUISHED MEDIATOR

CERTIFIED ARBITRATOR BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

Qualified for Appointment pursuant to the Texas Alternative Dispute Resolution Act

JD - 1987 - SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE OF LAW, Houston, TX

BA in Government - 1984 - UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN, Austin, TX

Bar Admissions: U.S. Northern & Southern Districts of Texas; U.S. Court of Federal Claims; All Texas State Courts

ASSOCIATIONS & AWARDS

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION SECTION – AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION SECTION – STATE BAR OF TEXAS

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION SECTION – TARRANT COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

AMERICAN BOARD OF TRIAL ADVOCATES (ABOTA)

AMERICA'S TOP 100 ATTORNEYS – LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

“AV” RATED – MARTINDALE-HUBBELL – 2004-Present

CREDENTIALLED ADVANCED MEDIATOR – TEXAS MEDIATOR CREDENTIALING ASSOCIATION

TEXAS ATTORNEY-MEDIATORS' COALITION

ASSOCIATION OF ATTORNEY-MEDIATORS

TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF MEDIATORS

FORT WORTH COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL – BOARD OF TRUSTEES 2020 - PRESENT

COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF TARRANT COUNTY – BOARD CHAIR 2004-2007

COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS FOUNDATION, BOARD OF DIRECTORS, Founding Board Member (2007-Present)

OUTSTANDING YOUNG LAWYER AWARD, 1998 - TARRANT COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

Co-Author Elder Law Handbook - Tarrant County Bar Assoc.

“Best in Texas” Non-Profit Board Member of the Year Award, 2004

Bank of America “Local Hero” Award, 2006

1st Place Winner Short Story Fiction Writing Contest, 2006 - State Bar of Texas