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PAUL A. FINN

Education

Boston Latin School 1967

Stonehill College 1971, BA, History

New England Law/Boston 1976, J.D.

Harvard University 1990, ALM Government

Experience

1992-Present Commonwealth Mediation Brockton, MA

President & CEO/Owner

Full time Mediator/Arbitrator handling civil claims. Mediated and/or arbitrated over 7,000 claims, including cleric sexual abuse, medical malpractice, auto tort, general liability and business disputes. Also, chief administrator and marketing representative for the company. Company has twenty-five (25) independent panel members.

1977-1992 Berks & Finn

Brockton, MA

Partner

Co-Founder and partner in small five lawyer law firm in Brockton, MA. General practice handling personal injury claims, domestic, estates, criminal, social security disability, real estate conveyance and immigration.

Publications

Massachusetts Practice Series, Volume 47, ***Mediation and Arbitration, 2008 Edition***, Revised edition to be published in fall 2012

Additional

2010 United States Federal District Court of Rhode Island Court

Professional

Appointed 468 (b) Qualified Settlement Fund Trustee

Activities

1999-2008 Guest Lecturer at Boston University Law School

2001-2008 Guest Lecturer at the annual Personal Injury Conference, Boston, MA presented by MCLE.

2001 Guest Lecturer at the Medical Malpractice Update and Forum, Boston, MA presented by MCLE.

2002-2003 Guest Lecturer at Evaluating and Settling Personal Injury Claims, Boston, MA presented by MCLE.

2000-2009 Guest Lecturer at the Annual Massachusetts Bar Association Series on Personal Injury Law Update, Boston & Taunton, MA.

2003 Named one of the ***Lawyers of the Year*** by Massachusetts Lawyers Weekly.

2003-2005 Massachusetts Super Lawyer

2012 Professional of the Year, representing the Mediation and Arbitration Industry, Worldwide Who's Who

1983-84 President of the Pilgrim Advocate Program

1983-84 Plymouth County Bar Association Board of
Directors

Interests

Golf, reading and traveling

Professional

Plymouth County Bar Association, Boston Bar Association,

Associations

Massachusetts Bar Association, Massachusetts Academy of Trial
Lawyers, Association of Conflict resolution, Scribes,

Massachusetts Bar 1977

Federal District Court 1977

United States Supreme Court 1988