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EXPERIENCE:

April 2019- **AAA Panel of Mediators**

Present

Fall 2017- **ADR Ethics (Law 819)**, Lecturer in Law, USC Gould

Present School of Law

August 2000- **Phyllis G. Pollack- PGP Mediation**, Full time neutral

Present

July 2013- **Agency for Dispute Resolution** (agencydr.com)- a panel

March, 2018 provider of neutrals; affiliated in name only

June 1994 - **Law Office of Phyllis G. Pollack**, Los Angeles; deal with
2005 insurance, business, commercial, employment, bankruptcy
and real estate related issues in the litigation and
transactional contexts

January 1993 **Billet & Kaplan**, Los Angeles(formerly Collisson &
-May 1994 Kaplan); dealt with title insurance, business, commercial,
banking, bankruptcy and real estate related issues and
litigation

June 1990 - **Collisson & Kaplan**, Los Angeles; dealt with title
January 1993 insurance, business, commercial, banking, bankruptcy,
and related real estate issues and litigation

May 1987 - Office of the General Counsel, **Sanwa Bank California**,
May 1990 Los Angeles, California; dealt with banking related
matters and litigation including secured and unsecured
commercial and consumer loans, deposits and collections,
real estate, negotiable instruments, trusts, bankruptcy, and
fair employment practices and personnel

August 1985 - **Burkley, Moore, Greenberg & Lyman**, Torrance,
May 1987 California; dealt with commercial, real estate, and
securities fraud litigation

February **Murchison & Cumming**, Los Angeles, California; dealt
1981 -August with personal injury, products liability, and complex legal
1985 malpractice cases involving securities fraud

EDUCATION:

Law School: **Tulane University School of Law**, New Orleans, Louisiana; Juris Doctor, May 1977**Academic Standing:** Top 11%, Rank 21 of 184, Grade Point Average: 80.88

University: **Newcomb College of the Tulane University** of New Orleans, Louisiana - Bachelor of Arts, Sociology, May 1973**Academic Standing:** Top 5%Grade Point Average: 3.65 of 4.00

HONORS & ACTIVITIES:

Law School: Moot Court (1975-1977) Senior Fellow (Selected by the law faculty to assist in teaching freshman law students research and writing(1976-1977)

University: Magna Cum Laude degree with distinction for Thesis work ("Working and Non-Working Women and Equality in Marriage"); Phi Beta Kappa Tulane University Scholar (1970-1973); Phi Mu Award for Outstanding Sociology Major (1973); Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities (1972-1973 and 1976-1977)

PROFESSIONAL:

Admissions: State of California, December 17, 1980;
District of Columbia, March 15, 1979;
State of Louisiana, October 7, 1977;
United States District Court, all Districts of California;
United States Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals;
United States District Court, Eastern District of Louisiana;
United States Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals;
United States Court of International Trade United States Court of Federal Claims

Affiliations: California Lawyers Association (ADR Sub-Committee of the Litigation Section Advisor);
District of Columbia Bar Association;
Louisiana State Bar Association;
Dispute Resolution Section American Bar Association -
Dispute Resolution Section Louisiana State Bar;
United States District Court, Central District of California Settlement Officer Panel;
First Appellate District, California Court of Appeals (San Francisco, Ca) Mediation Panel (2005-2012 when panel was disbanded);

Second Appellate District, California
Court of Appeal (Los Angeles, CA) Mediation Panel
2005-present;
Los Angeles County Superior Court Mediation Panel
(2000-2012 when it disbanded)
Southern California Mediation Association (2005 to
Present)
Los Angeles County Bar Association-member (more than
20 years)

Offices: Past President of the Southern California Mediation
Association (SCMA) 2010;
Past President of the SCMA Education Foundation (2011
and 2012) and past Treasurer (2013);
Past Member of the California Dispute Resolution Council
Board of Directors 2012-2013;
Member (2011-2015) and Chair of the State Bar ADR
Committee (2014-2015)
Member- USC Gould School of Law ADR Programs
Advisory Board (2015)

**ADR
Training:** Mrs. Pollack has more than 1000 hours of mediation
training and continues to average more than 50 hours of
Continuing MCLE each year

While President of the Southern California Mediation Association (“SCMA”) in
2010, Ms. Pollack was interviewed on Blog Talk/Negotiate Radio about mediation
and the Southern California Mediation Association. To listen to the interview,
please visit the following link: <http://www.blogtalkradio.com/negotiate>

Areas of Practice

As a full-time neutral, Ms. Pollack mediates commercial, real estate, employment,
wage and hour, lemon law, business and personal injury and trademark and
copyright matters. She has conducted over 2,000 mediations. For more
information, see; www.pgpmediation.com

Teaching:

See attachment A

Articles:

See attachment B