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ABOUT YOUR PRIMARY TRAINER

Admitted to Bar

1973 Florida

1981 U.S. Supreme Court

Career Experience

Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation (1969-1973)

City Prosecutor, Margate, Florida (1974-1975)

Municipal Judge, Sunrise, Florida (1976)

Supreme Court of Florida

Certified Mediator - Circuit Civil, Family, Dependency, County, Department of Insurance Disputes

Qualified Arbitrator

Chief Justice, Florida Supreme Court Appointments

ADR Rules and Policy Committee (2002 - present)

Residential Mortgage Foreclosure Task Force (2009)

Mediation Training Review Board (1997 - 2009)

Certified Circuit Civil and Family Mediation Training Program Provider

Primary Trainer, Circuit Civil, Family Mediation and Arbitration Training Programs

The Florida Bar, Grievance Program Mediator

Approved U.S. Postal Service Mediator, *REDRESS* Program

U.S. Department of Justice, Americans with Disabilities Act Mediation Program Mediator

Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Executive Director, Institute for Conflict Resolution (1997-1999)

Adjunct Professor, Graduate School of Humanities & Social Science, Department of Conflict Analysis & Resolution (1996; 1999; 2000)

Awards

Florida Supreme Court, Dispute Resolution Center, Annual Award of Appreciation (2002)

Education

J.D., Dickinson School of Law, Carlisle, Pennsylvania (1969)

M.S., Dispute Resolution, Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida (1994)

Ph.D. program (ABD), Dispute Resolution, Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida

Martindale-Hubbell Rating A-V

Association Affiliations

The Florida Bar

Continuing Legal Education Standing Committee - Past Member

Family Law Section

ADR - Mediation, Arbitration, Collaborative Law Committee, Past Co-Chair

Mediation CLE Program Lecturer

Real Property, Probate and Trust Law Section, Alternative Dispute Resolution CLE Program Lecturer

Trial Lawyers Section, Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee Lecturer

Young Lawyers Division, Alternative Dispute Resolution CLE Program Lecturer

The Florida Academy of Professional Mediators

Association of South Florida Mediators and Arbitrators

Past President

Association for Conflict Resolution (formerly Society of Professionals in Dispute Resolution and Academy of Family Mediators) (1992 - 2008)

Co-chair, Ethics Committee (1999 - 2001)

Court ADR Sector

Training Sector (Editor, *The SPIDR Training Sector Newsletter*)

Broward County Bar Association

Mediation, Arbitration and Dispute Resolution Section, Past Chairperson

Presentations

American Bar Association, Symposium on Dispute Resolution, Miami, Florida

Association of Family and Conciliation Courts, Florida Chapter, Tampa, Florida

Association of South Florida Mediators and Arbitrators, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Consejo Profesional de Ciencias Económicas, Colegio de Arquitectos, Colegio de Escribanos de la Provincia de Córdoba, Argentina

Miami-Dade County Bar Association, Mediation Committee, Miami, Florida

Dispute Resolution Center of The Florida Supreme Court, Tallahassee, Florida

Florida Bar, Family Law Section and Trial Lawyers Section, Orlando, Tampa, and Miami, Florida

Florida Conference of Circuit Court Judges, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida

Fundación Interfas, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Association for Conflict Resolution, Annual Conferences

South Palm Beach County Bar Association, Mediation Committee, Boca Raton, Florida

Tribunal Superior de Justicia de la Provincia de Córdoba, Argentina

Publications

Itkin, P. (1997-2009) *Family Mediation Certification Training Source Book: A Practitioner's Guide*

Itkin, P. (1998-2009) *Circuit Civil Mediation Certification Training Source Book: A Practitioner's Guide*

Itkin, P. (1998-2005) *County Court Mediation Certification Training Source Book: A Practitioner's Guide*

Itkin, P. (2004-2009) *Florida Mediator*, on line at <http://floridamediator.blogspot.com>

Florida Supreme Court, Dispute Resolution Center, *The Resolution Report*, "Case and Comment" author