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## **PROFESSIONAL**

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Admitted to California Supreme Court 1979; United States District Court for the Central District of California 1979; United States District Court for the Northern District of California 1982; United States District Court for the Eastern District of California 1984; United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit 1989; United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit 1995; United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit 1996.

## **TEACHING**

Adjunct Professor of Law, University of California Berkeley Law School. 1999-2002.

Adjunct Professor of Law, University of Southern California Law School. 1997-1999.

UCLA Extension Entertainment Studies. Resolving Entertainment Disputes through Mediation and Arbitration. May, 2003.

## **EDUCATION**

Legal: University of California, Berkeley (Boalt Hall), Berkeley, California. J.D. 1979.  
Hastings College of Trial Advocacy. San Francisco, California. 1980

Undergraduate: Wesleyan University, Middletown, Connecticut. B.A. awarded with Honors, 1975.