

J. DAVID MARKS

Mr. Marks has served on the Panel of Arbitrators of IFTA since 2006. He is an attorney with extensive experience in corporate law and finance and film production and international film distribution garnered as General Counsel of the Feature Division of a major film company and as founder and chief executive officer of international film distribution companies.

Education: University of Michigan undergraduate and law schools.

Experience:

- Attorney Federal Trade Commission.
- Attorney National Labor Relations Board. Appeals Division
- House Counsel to Independent Telephone Corporation which merged with Continental Telephone Corporation
- Corporate Secretary and Corporate Counsel to Communications Satellite Corporation, a quasi-government, quasi-private entity established by President John F. Kennedy and the Congress of the United States to establish the world's first private communications satellite network.
- General Counsel to National General Corporation a large theatre chain and theatrical motion picture production and distribution company.
- General Counsel Feature Division of Columbia Pictures.
- Founder of Cinema Group, Inc. a privately held venture fund that financed the production of motion pictures.
- Founder and CEO of Odyssey Entertainment, organized to finance films and as an international film sale representative.
- Founder and CEO of Active Intermedia and its wholly owned subsidiary, Airlandsea Entertainment principally engaged in the distribution of feature films to ancillary markets (airlines, cruise ships, colleges and other institutions).