

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Application for Mediators

Please complete the entire application, using additional paper if necessary. You may also attach a resume.

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina: 06/2008 I.D. No.: 10223

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 01/2006 Bar No.: 73814

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.):

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations:
Member, SC Bar Practice & Procedure Committee Member, SC Bar Ethics Advisory Committee
Member, SC Bar Fee Dispute Resolution Board (13th Circuit)

Are you a member in good standing in each jurisdiction where admitted to practice law? yes no

Have you, within the last five years, been publicly reprimanded or publicly disciplined for professional conduct?
 yes no

Have you, within the last five years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons, or been
disbarred/suspended from the practice of law? yes no

EDUCATION

Year law degree received 2005 Law School University of Tennessee

Other professional degrees received (including year and school):

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of five years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:
General litigation practice, primarily in the areas of commercial, construction, and real estate litigation. Also experienced in legal malpractice and probate matters.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 75 % or defense 25 %

Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal 15 % State 85 %

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 9

EXPERTISE

Indicate all substantive areas in which you have expertise. Place a "1" by your strongest area(s) and a "2" by all other areas in which you have expertise. (Do not rank beyond "1" and "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of expertise you have (e.g. "medical malpractice" after Personal Injury).

<input type="checkbox"/> Admiralty	<input type="checkbox"/> Security or Shareholders suits
<input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust	<input type="checkbox"/> Labor
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contracts	<input type="checkbox"/> ERISA
<input type="checkbox"/> Environment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wrongful Termination
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fraud or Civil RICO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Civil Rights in Employment
<input type="checkbox"/> Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Civil Rights
<input type="checkbox"/> Miller Act	<input type="checkbox"/> Copyrights
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury	<input type="checkbox"/> Patent
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> Trademark
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) <u>Legal Malpractice</u>	

Publications: _____
"Navigating the Nexus Between Bankruptcy and Common Pleas", South Carolina Lawyer (November, 2012)

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): _____

As Mediator: Commercial Contract (Business Purchase) Litigation; Construction Litigation

As Counsel: Construction Litigation (Residential & Commercial); Fraud; Unfair Trade Practices; Negligence; Battery; Land Use; Real Estate (Title); Probate; Employment; Warranty (and others).

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator (please note any certifications):
SC Supreme Court Certified Mediator (2013)

Number of mediations conducted: 2 Number of other ADR sessions conducted: 2

MEDIATION AND OTHER ADR TRAINING

<u>Course Provider</u>	<u>Course Content</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>No. of Hours</u>
Circuit Court Civil Mediator Cert.	Simulated Mediations and Analysis	Jan. 2013	Charleston Law School	40.00
SC Bar Arbitration Cert. Training	Arbitration Rules and Procedure	May 2, 2014	Columbia, SC	6.00

OTHER INFORMATION

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing alternative dispute resolution in the District of South Carolina? yes no

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered in connection with this application:

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

Columbia Charleston Greenville Florence
Other Anderson

Fees charged:

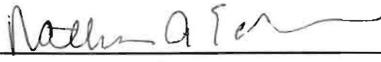
Hourly Rate: \$ \$175.00 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 250.00 + mileage

How do you bill for travel? (explain):

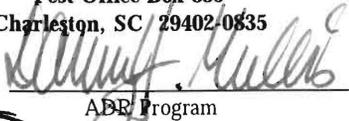
Standard federal mileage allowance (currently \$0.56/mile); time for travel to and from mediation location ordinarily not billed

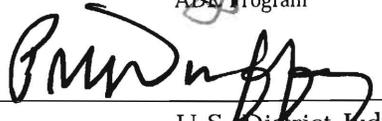
I agree to: (1) Be subject to the Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 407, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; the Rules for Lawyer Disciplinary Enforcement, Rule 413, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; and the Local Rules of the District Court; (2) Provide mediation to indigents without pay if ordered by the Court; (3) Notify the Alternative Dispute Resolution Program Director of any change in the above facts or otherwise in my ability to perform duties as a mediator; (4) Disclosure of information contained in this application to litigants and other members of the public.

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature:  Date: March 10, 2015
Applicant

Return completed application to:
Danny H. Mullis, Director
Alternative Dispute Resolution Program
United States District Court
Post Office Box 835
Charleston, SC 29402-0835

Reviewed:  Date: 3/16/15
ADR Program

Approved:  Date: 3/19/15
U.S. District Judge