

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

Application for Mediators

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 5/7/92

Date admitted to the Bar of the United States District Court of the District of South Carolina: 6/4/92

Other court or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission): Vermont Bar, 12/72; Bar of the District of Vermont, approx. 1974; Admitted but no longer active in District of Columbia, 7/69.

EDUCATION

Year law degree received: 1969 Law School: Duke Law School

Other professional degrees received (including year and school):

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years: My first three years as a lawyer was in the District of Columbia, where I worked specializing in administrative law, including representing Indian tribes before the Court of Claims. In 1972, I moved to Vermont where I practiced in a small general practice for 19 years until 1991, when I moved back to my home in Charleston. In the last five years, I have engaged primarily in litigation and probate work. Litigation is focused on commercial litigation, including environmental and construction, but has also included some personal injury and employment law work.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 10% or defense 90%

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 20

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).

- Admiralty
 - Antitrust
 - 1 Contracts
 - 1 Environment
 - Fraud or Civil RICO
 - Insurance
 - Miller Act
 - 2 Personal Injury
 - Product Liability
 - Other (specify) _
- Security or Shareholders suits
 - 2 Labor
 - ERISA
 - Wrongful Termination
 - Civil Rights in Employment
 - Other Civil Rights
 - Copyrights
 - Patent
 - Trademark

Publications: _

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): My mediation experience (as mediator) has involved personal injury and contract cases in SC Circuit Courts in Charleston, Berkeley and Beaufort counties.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator:

Number of mediations conducted: Approx. 6

MEDIATION TRAINING

Course Provider	Course Content	Date	Place	No. of Hours
SCCMDR	Circuit Court Civil Mediation Training	8/19-23/93	Charleston, SC	36

OTHER INFORMATION

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered:

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

X Columbia X Charleston _ Greenville _ Florence

Other __

Fees charged: _

Hourly Rate: \$ 125.00

Minimum charge each mediation: \$ no specified minimum

How do you bill for travel? (explain): In Charleston County, unbilled; elsewhere, \$.30/per mile or reasonable alternative.