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#### **CURRENT POSITIONS:**

#### Mediator and Arbitrator - Colorado Mountain Mediation Corp.

This is my company. I provide professional alternative dispute resolution services with concentration on mediation, arbitration, assisted negotiation, and early neutral evaluation for civil disputes. Member of the Colorado Bar Association's Alternative Dispute Resolution Forum Committee.

#### Mediator and Arbitrator - Colorado Office of Dispute Resolution

I also provide mediation and arbitration services through the Colorado Office of Dispute Resolution since 2003.

## **Arbitrator - Denver Better Business Bureau**

I also provide arbitration services for consumer disputes with the BBB.

#### Law Office of Lee Gelman, Esq.

Legal representation on litigation and transactional matters. Concentration on contract, construction, and real estate law.

#### Flatiron Legal Advisors, LLC

Of-counsel position providing legal representation on litigation and transactional matters. Concentration on contract, construction, and real estate law.

#### PRIOR LAW POSITIONS:

# Managing Partner - Mountain Law Group (2007-2013)

Managing Partner - Offering transactional and litigation services and representation on contracts, construction, real estate, and corporate matters.

## Prosecutor: Town of Blue River, Colorado (2013-2014)

Prosecuting Town Code and Traffic Violation in Municipal Court

## <u>United States Department of Justice, Denver, Colorado</u> (1996-1999) United States Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. (1989-1996)

Trial attorney with the Department of Justice's Environmental Enforcement Section prosecuting complex civil environmental cases on behalf of EPA, DOI, and USDA before Federal District Courts. Responsibilities included all areas of litigation and trial work under various Federal Environmental Statutes: Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act, RCRA and CERCLA. Completed extensive environmental litigation training and instructor at the Attorney General's Civil Trial Advocacy Institute.

#### Special Assistant United States Attorney, Washington D.C., (1991-1992)

Prosecuted criminal cases on behalf of the United States including jury and bench trials before the D.C. Superior Court. Drafted and argued motions, performed discovery, and adjudicated citizen complaint hearings.

## U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Chicago, Illinois (1988)

Judicial Externship for The Honorable Marvin E. Aspen. Conducted legal research, prepared legal memoranda, and assisted in preparing judicial opinions.

## Neuman, Williams, Anderson & Olson, Chicago, Illinois (Summer 1988)

Summer Associate. Conducted legal research and prepared legal memoranda and briefs for large intellectual property litigation firm.

## Chicago Underwriting Group, Inc., Chicago, Illinois (1987-1989)

Law Clerk. Reviewed liability claims and performed legal research for underwriting manager of directors and officers and professional liability insurer. Co-authored article on D&O liability.

#### Law Offices, IIT/Chicago-Kent College of Law, Chicago, Illinois (Summer 1987)

Criminal Defense Internship. Conducted legal research and prepared briefs, including appellate briefs, and legal memoranda.

#### **FORMAL EDUCATION:**

## IIT/Chicago-Kent College of Law, Chicago, Illinois (Juris Doctor, 1989)

Graduated with High Honors and Order of the Coif (Class Rank: Top 5%)

# University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont (Bachelor of Science, Geology, 1986)

Concentration in Civil Engineering

#### **DISPUTE RESOLUTION TRAINING:**

## **CDOT Dispute Resolution Board (2010, 2013)**

Training for Dispute Resolution Board Member for Construction Projects

## CDR Associates, Boulder, Colorado (2001)

**Mediation Process** 

# Golden Community Restorative Justice Program, Golden, Colorado (2001)

Victim Offender Reconciliation Training

# <u>U.S. Department of Justice/Office of Legal Education/Executive Office of United States Attorneys</u>:

Dispute Resolution/Enhanced Negotiations (1997)

Enhanced Negotiations/Dispute Resolution Seminar for Federal Agency Counsel (2000)

## **MEDICAL ETHICS TRAINING:**

Catholic Health Initiatives Ethics Associate Opening Program, 2012-2013