

SANTA CLARA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
BACKGROUND INFORMATION / CIVIL DIVISION ADR PANEL

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TODAY'S DATE:

Check each panel for which you have been accepted: mediation neutral evaluation

1. Describe your education, including degrees and the dates received.

University of Washington, BA 1981

University of San Francisco, JD 1985

2. Briefly describe the ADR training you have received. For each training, give the trainer's name, the dates attended, and the total hours.

Mediation Training – Steven Rosenberg, October 3 – 5 and 10 – 12, 2012 – 40 hours

Advanced Mediation Training – Steven Rosenberg, October 26 - 27, 2017 – 15 hours

3. Describe the subject matter of five disputes for which you have been an ADR provider in the past five years, with the dates. Identify the process and state whether you were a sole- or co-provider.

- *Commercial / auto, evaluative, sole provider 9/17*
- *Real estate, evaluative, sole provider 7/17*
- *Investment / commercial, evaluative, sole provider 6/17*
- *Real estate, commission, evaluative, sole provider 6/17*
- *Tort / trespass, nuisance, evaluative, sole provider 6/17*

4. Check your areas of substantive expertise:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Banking | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership Disputes |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Business/Contract | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civil Rights | <input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Property | <input type="checkbox"/> Probate - Wills |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance | <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Negligence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Defamation | <input type="checkbox"/> Labor - Employment | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Real Estate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Landlord/Tenant | <input type="checkbox"/> Securities |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elder Issues/Abuse | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Malpractice | <input type="checkbox"/> Tax |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environment | <input type="checkbox"/> Neighborhood | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Other (specify) consumer</i> |

5. If you are an attorney:

A. How many years have you been in active practice? If none, please explain.

32 years

B. What is or was the nature of your practice?

Commercial banking and litigation and mediation

C. What percentage of your practice has been representing plaintiffs *40%* defendants *60%*

D. How many of the following have you completed in the past five years?:

Jury trials *0* Court trials *3* Judicial arbitrations; *3*

6. Is your ADR style facilitative or evaluative/directive?

Evaluative

7. Describe your fee schedule, including any sliding-scale or pro-bono provisions.

\$300.00/hour, \$150/hour for travel, sliding scale or pro bono determined on case by case basis.

8. Give any other information that should be considered by parties or counsel.

Former in-house and outside counsel for financial institutions, but now representing businesses and consumers in similar claims. Recently tried commercial dispute in Federal Court, obtaining \$3 million judgment for client.