

Jeffrey M. Bases, Esq.

Mediator

Practical and effective, Mr. Bases is known for quickly getting to the crux of the matter, for taking into account the risks and particular circumstances of the parties, for his straightforward communication, and for his long-term perspective, taking care to discern between that which is important from that which is trivial. Mr. Bases has over 30 years of complex litigation experience in contested matters -- especially in complex real property and construction defect cases, as well as contested estate matters -- which has helped him succeed in mediating contested matters to resolution for over 20 years.

ADR/Mediation Experience

Mr. Bases has been a professional mediator for over twenty years and has mediated well over 100 disputes including complex real property, construction defect, business litigation and estate contested matters. For more than 10 years, he participated as a mediator on the Los Angeles Superior Court Alternative Dispute Resolution program panels (both the pro bono and the paid panels) and is a recipient of numerous certificates of recognition in appreciation from the Presiding Judge of the Los Angeles Superior Court and the Chair of the Court Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee for his years of service.

His article on mediation confidentiality, "The Grease that Oils the Machine of Mediation" (published: Los Angeles Daily Journal and San Francisco Daily Journal on October 28, 2011) was cited by the California Law Review Commission and attached in its Staff Memorandum, Study K-402, April 7, 2014, Memorandum 2014-14, titled, "Relationship Between Mediation Confidentiality and Attorney Malpractice and Other Misconduct: Law in Other Jurisdictions".

Dispute Resolution Training

30- hour Mediation Training course sponsored by the Los Angeles County Bar Association ADR Services Department.

40- hour Mediation Training course provided by Mediate.Com

10- hour Maximizing Mediation course provided by Mediate.Com

1.5 hour Conducting Effective Virtual mediation provided by TRT INC.

Education

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER, J.D. (1991).

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - BERKELEY, B.A. (1987), WITH HONORS.