

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS, WESTERN DIVISION

Mediator Information Form for Web Site

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**Mediation Experience**

Years of mediation experience 10 years Total number of mediations conducted: 100

**Training:**

Course	Course Provider	Date	No. of Hours
<u>Mediator training</u>	<u>NIU Law School</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>40</u>
<u>Mediator training</u>	<u>National Judicial College</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>40</u>
<u>Mediator training</u>	<u>on faculty for 16th, 17th, 18, 6th &amp; 11th circuits-state court</u>	<u>1994-2002</u>	<u>22 hours each</u>

**Legal Experience**

Years of legal practice: 28 Percentage of practice in Federal Court in last 5 years: 0 %

Number of mediations participated in as lawyer (not mediator): 0

If former judge: Number of years on the bench: 21 Year retired: 1996

**Expertise**

Please list the areas of expertise you are most comfortable conducting mediation in:

tort, contract, commercial, employment discrimination, civil rights

**Professional Affiliations**

Legal: Winnebago County Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association

ADR: Center for Analysis of Alternative Dispute Resolution Systems

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Fees**

Hourly rate: \$150.00 - \$200.00 Minimum Charge per mediation: None

Other fees: travel time (\$75.00 hr. outside Rockford) & \$.365 per mile

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF MEDIATION STYLE (no more than 100 words):**

I like to conduct pre mediation discussions with each lawyer on an individual confidential basis to learn of ways to expedite a settlement.

In the mediation, I begin on a "facilitative basis." I will move to "evaluation" if I think it will help the parties reach an agreement.

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