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Mediator and Arbitrator
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Employment

2004-present: Mediator and arbitrator emphasizing intellectual property and entertainment disputes. Experience includes mediation of copyright and trademark disputes in the television and motion picture industry.

1989-2003: Executive Vice President, Litigation and Labor Relations, and Deputy General Counsel, Sony Pictures Entertainment. Oversaw hundreds of lawsuits concerning intellectual property, including copyright, trademark and patent claims, as well as disputes over domain names. Supervised extensive litigation of lawsuit with MGM over rights to James Bond films. Served as arbitrator for Motion Picture Association Title Registration Bureau, determining whether competing film titles were confusingly similar.

1985-1988: Partner, Selvin and Weiner, Los Angeles, California. Practice focused on general litigation and labor relations, including serving as outside general counsel of Writers Guild of America

1980-1984: Associate, O'Melveny & Myers, Los Angeles, California. Practice focused on labor and employment law.

Education

University of Pennsylvania, B.A., *cum laude*
UCLA School of Law, J.D., *Order of the Coif*

Community Service

Member, Executive Committee, Intellectual Property Section, Beverly Hills Bar Association