

**SANTA CLARA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
JUDICIAL ARBITRATOR BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

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

-BA, UC Riverside 1973

-JD, Santa Clara University Law School 1978

2. How many years have you been in active civil litigation practice as a member of the California State Bar?

21 years

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

Personal injury, workers' compensation

4. What percentage of your practice has been representing plaintiffs 99% defendants 1%

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

Jury trials *4* Court trials *0* Judicial arbitrations *30*

6. Describe the subject matter of five disputes for which you have been an ADR provider in the past five years, with the dates.

- Auto personal injury*
- Pedestrian v. auto*
- Slip and fall*
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7. Check your areas of substantive expertise:

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

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