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## **PRACTICE AREAS**

- **Negotiation, Mediation and Arbitration of Commercial and Employment Disputes**
- **Advertising, Marketing, Distribution, Licensing and Franchising Law**
- **Outsourcing, Consulting, Employment, and other Commercial Agreements**
- **Business Formation, Mergers, Acquisitions and other Corporate Transactions**
- **Non-Profit Law**

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS, ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS**

- **Touro Law School**, Adjunct Professor (2018 to date)
- **New York Law School**, Adjunct Professor (2020)
- **Vilnius University**, Visiting Instructor (2019)
- **University of Tartu**, Visiting Instructor (2017, 2018)
- **American Arbitration Association**, Arbitrator and Mediator, **Commercial, Consumer and Employment Panels** (2007 to date)
- **MWI**, Workplace and Employment Mediator (2017 to date)
- **Long Island Business News**, **2011 and 2017 Leadership in Law** and **2019 Top 50 Women on Long Island Award** Recipient
- **Association for Conflict Resolution**, **Exemplary Leadership Award** (2015); **Sections Director** (2015); **Commercial Section**, **Co-Chair** (2012 -2014);
  - **New York State Dispute Resolution Association**, **Member, Board of Directors** (2012 -2015); **Member** (2004 to date)
- **Suffolk County Bar Association**, **Co-Chair, Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee** (2005-2007; 2017-2018); **Co-Chair, Intellectual Property Committee** (2002-2004); **Suffolk Academy of Law**, **Officer** (2000-2004); and **Recipient, Directors' Award** for contributions to the ADR Committee (2007) and **Awards of Recognition** for continuing legal education and IP Committee Chair activities (2004)
- **Women's Bar Association of New York** and **Suffolk County Women's Bar Association** (2015 to date)
- **Moxxie Network**, **Member of the Year** (2015)

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- Author, “*Consumer Arbitration: Pre-Dispute Resolution Clauses and Class Action Waivers*”, ACResolution Magazine, Fall 2015
- Co-Author, “*Overcoming the Arbitration Paradox: Toward a More Collaborative Approach to Commercial Arbitration*”, ACResolution Magazine, Winter 2015
- Author, “*Workplace Violence Prevention: Personal Concerns and Professional Opportunities for Conflict Resolution Practitioners*”, ACResolution Magazine, Summer 2014
- Course Author, **Conflicts of Interest** and **Protecting Confidential Information**; Course Editor, **Foreign Corrupt Practices Act**, LRSolutions, Inc., (2004 to 2006)
- Author, *Making the Connection*, a monthly newsletter on legal and dispute resolution topics (2006 to date)

## **PRIOR EMPLOYMENT**

**NEC America, Inc.** and its successor, **NEC USA, Inc.**, Senior Corporate Counsel, Melville, NY (1987-2003)

**Major Responsibilities:** Litigation Management and Dispute Resolution; Commercial, Intellectual Property, and Antitrust; Mergers and Acquisitions; Corporate Communications; NEC Foundation of America; In-House Education and Training

Recipient, **Employee Recognition Award** (1999) for achieving outstanding results and significant cost-reductions in litigation and dispute resolution

**Jager, Smith & Stetler**, Boston, MA

Litigation Associate, 1983-1987

**Widett, Slater & Goldman**, Boston, MA

Litigation Associate, 1980-1983

**United States District Court Judge Joseph H. Young**, Baltimore, MD

Law Clerk, 1979-1980

## **EDUCATION**

**Boston University School of Law**, J.D., 1979

- **Boston University Law Review** (1977-1979)
- **ALR Book Awards** in Administrative Law (1979) and Constitutional Law (1977)

**Radcliffe College, Harvard University**, B.A. *cum laude* 1976

Major: **Economics and History**