

SUPERIOR COURT of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
MULTI-DOOR DISPUTE RESOLUTION DIVISION

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Medical Malpractice Mediator Profile

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Date Joined
Multi-Door: Don't remember

Date Admitted to Practice: December, 1982
Date Admitted to Bar: December 15, 1982
(DC)

Medical Malpractice Litigation Experience

FIRM/AGENCY	CITY/STATE	DATES (to/from)
Cadeaux & Taglieri, P.C/	Washington, D.C.	1982-1999
Jack H. Olender & Associates, P.C.	Washington, D.C.	1999-present

Number of Medical Malpractice cases litigated: actually tried, approximately 10; litigated, approximately 75-100

Mediation Experience (Panels and Programs)

Dates:

DC Superior Court Multi-Door Trainer (civil)	2x--do not remember dates
Trainer, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania	Feb. 1996
Trainer, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania	1998
Trainer, Lusaka, Zambia	2000
Trainer, Ndola, Zambia	2001or 2002
Trainer, Livingstone, Zambia	2004
Trainer, Craiova, Romania	2005
Trainer, U. S. Department of Justice Program	2x, approximately 2002-2003

Number of Medical Malpractice Cases Mediated: 10-15 **Number of Cases Mediated: not sure, approximately 50-75**

Professional Background and Education:

B.A., Washington University, *cum laude*, 1979
J.D., Washington College of Law, 1982
Faculty, Harvard Law School Trial Advocacy Workshop (since 1996)
Faculty, NITA

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Professional Memberships:

Bars of the District of Columbia and Maryland
DC-TLA (currently President, 2006-2007)
American Association for Justice
Center for Justice and Democracy
Public Justice
Maryland Trial Lawyers Association