

General Information

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Hours: 8:30 am to 5:00 pm
Evening Appointments: Yes
Weekend Appointments: Yes

Fee Information

\$75/hr: ODR rate for domestic cases (2 hr min)
\$75/hr per hour all other civil cases (3 hr min)
*Fee waiver rate available for domestic cases: \$15/hr (2 hr min)
Cash, check, debit or credit card
Deposit payment is expected 7 days in advance of mediation session
Average number of hours/sessions typically needed:
1 to 2 sessions: 2 to 3 hours per session
Average Cost of Memorandum of Understanding – depends on issues

Experience

	SINCE:
Custody and Divorce	2010
Criminal Law	2010
General Civil Litigation Practice (including bankruptcy, business law, collections, environmental law, real estate, water law)	1997
Mediation	2007

Professional Affiliations

Colorado Office of Dispute Resolution Mediator
Colorado Bar Association
Fifth Judicial District Bar Association
Ninth Judicial District Bar Association
Mesa County Bar Association
Mountain Chapter, Colorado Women’s Bar Association (Board Member)

Education & Training

Extensive mediation, divorce & child-centered continuing legal education coursework; University of Colorado at Boulder law degree (J.D. 1997, with honors; Law Review Articles Editor); Stanford University (M.A., 1993); Yale University (B.A., 1991).

Currently Handling

All types