

WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION
ARBITRATOR'S BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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OCCUPATION:

William Mitchell College of Law, Professor of Law 1977 through 2013

Currently Professor of Law *Emerita* and Adjunct Professor of Law.

Teaching has been primarily in the areas of labor law, labor arbitration, dispute resolution, evidence, trial advocacy. Have published numerous articles and am a frequent national speaker on subject of labor arbitration. Board member: WMCL Center for Negotiation and Justice. Former Director: WMCL Conflict Management Center

LABOR RELATIONS EXPERIENCE:

Former trial attorney, US Dept. of Justice, Washington, DC

Primary responsibilities: Employment and education cases.

Extensive experience since 1982 as arbitrator, fact finder and mediator.

EDUCATION:

LL.M. in Labor Law, Georgetown University Law Center

J.D., Honors, Drake University Law School

B.A., Honors, University of Massachusetts

ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE:

Arbitrator/mediator/fact finder since 1982. Over 2,000 written decisions.

LABOR ARBITRATION:

Minnesota Bureau of Mediation Services

Neutral representative to advisory board

Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service

American Arbitration Association

National Mediation Board

Other state Public Employment Relations Board panels: Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois

North American Agreement on Labor Cooperative (NAALC)

(The labor agreement to NAFTA).

Permanent arbitrator for numerous public and private panels.

Most recent listings available upon request.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

National Academy of Arbitrators

Amicus Brief Advisory Committee

Sections on Labor and Employment

Minnesota State Bar Association

American Bar Association

FEES:

\$1,500 per diem plus expenses. For cancellations within 4 weeks of scheduled hearing dates: one day's per diem for one-day hearing and two days' per diem for two or more scheduled hearing days.

NOTE: The arbitrator shall not charge any fee other than the above stated fees.