

# MICHELLE TERESE LANGAN

## MEDIATOR & ARBITRATOR

### **Curriculum Vitae**

# **Alternative Dispute Resolution Experience:**

04/04-Present

The Michelle Langan Mediation Law Firm, L.L.C., Tucson, Arizona Attorney/Alternative Dispute Resolution Provider

Mediator or arbitrator in all areas of civil law including personal injury, professional malpractice, wrongful termination, employment, civil rights, premises liability, products liability, toxic torts, disability insurance issues, insurance coverage issues, commercial, real estate and construction defect matters. Ms. Langan maintains a 97.84% settlement success rate in over 3,109 cases.

### **Results of 67 Cases Not Settled:**

Thirty-five cases were defense verdicts at trial or were judicially dismissed. Fifteen cases were Plaintiff trial verdicts for less than offered at mediation. Seventeen cases were Plaintiff trial verdicts for more than offered at mediation. Total Amount Settled: \$1,548,188,281.

2/97-03/04

# Fleischman & Langan, P.C., Tucson, Arizona

Partner/Attorney/Alternative Dispute Resolution Provider

Mediator or arbitrator of various areas of civil law including personal injury, professional malpractice, wrongful termination, employment, civil rights, condemnation, premises liability, products liability, toxic torts, disability insurance issues, insurance coverage issues, commercial, real estate and construction matters. Mediator for the Arizona Dalkon Shield Trust Claimants cases and TCE cases.

1994–Present

**Judge Pro Tempore Pima County Superior Court**, Tucson, Arizona Arizona Supreme Court appointed Settlement Master for Pima County.

1993-Present

**Private Mediator/Arbitrator** 

#### **Legal Experience:**

5/91–1/97 Kimble, Gothreau & Nelson, P.C., Tucson, Arizona

Attorney at Law

Responsible for handling numerous claims in the areas of wrongful death,

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personal injury, medical malpractice, municipal liability, civil rights, products liability, employment and labor disputes, defamation, premises liability, landlord/tenant, collection and general litigation.

**Litigation Experience:** Twenty cases tried to a successful conclusion.

**Court Admissions:** 1991 State of Arizona

1991 United States District Court for the District of Arizona

1994 United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit

**Education:** University of Arizona College of Law/JD -- December 1990

University of Arizona & University of London/BA -- May 1988

#### **Professional Activities:**

• State Bar of Arizona: Alternative Dispute Resolution Section – Secretary, 2001-2002 Term

- YWCA Leadership Program—Thorton F. Bradshaw 1998 Fellow in the Humanities at Claremont Graduate University
- Arizona College of Trial Advocacy Graduate, August 1994
- United States Arbitration & Mediation Panelist, June 1993
- United States Arbitration and Mediation Panel Member
- Pima County Settlement Master—Judge Pro Tem

### **Professional Memberships:**

• Pima County Bar Association

• State Bar of Arizona

Arizona Women Lawyers Association

Association of Conflict Resolution

# **Speaking Engagements:**

- Arizona State Bar Association, Chair & Presenter Full Day Mediation Seminar, Tucson, Az 3/2007
- Pima County Bar Association, Mediation Seminar, Pima County Courthouse, Tucson, Az 3/2006
- Defense Research Institute, "Keys to Mediating a Medical Malpractice Case" Phoenix, Az 3/2006

### References available upon request

- AZ Women Lawyers Association Annual Convention Presenter 10/2004
- AZ State Bar Convention Presenter 06/2004 Presidential Award Program Presenter -Employment & Labor Law
- AZ Supreme Court New Judge Orientation "Settlement & ADR" 4/17/02 & 4/11/01
- U of A College of Law Pretrial Litigation Class Mock Mediation 4/22/02 & 4/17/01
- AZ State Bar Seminar "Mediation Tips and Hints for the Advocate" 6/14/01
- ADRA Conference Seminar "Negotiation: Sports, Torts & Courts" 5/4/01

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- AZ State Bar Seminar "Winning the Motor Vehicle Accident Case" 11/10/00
- TLSA Seminar "Personal Injury, Initial Introduction to Mediation" 10/21/00
- AZ State Bar Course on Professionalism Faculty Member for Break Out Discussion Session of "Large Firm" Members
- AZ State Bar Seminar "The Medical Malpractice Case: From Case Screening to Jury" 5/19/00
- U.S. Dept of Justice Seminar "Mediating Environmental Disputes Already in Litigation" 05/18/00
- State of Arizona New Judge Orientation Program Seminar "Settlement and ADR" 4/10/00
- AZ State Bar Seminar "Employment and Labor Law: 1999 Update" 6/25/99
- Arizona Trial Lawyers Association Seminar "Working Magic in Mediation" 4/13/99
- Arizona Women Lawyers Association "Leaders in Law: A Women's Leadership Conference" -Discussion Facilitator 02/05/99
- Lorman Education Services Seminar "Az Auto Insurance Law and Accident Litigation -Mediation v. Litigation" 11/13/98
- U.S. Dept. of Justice "Advanced ADR Advocacy Course" in S. Carolina, 10/05/98 & 10/06/98
- AZ State Bar Seminar "Mediation in a Complex Case" 06/12/98
- U.S. Dept. of Justice "Dispute Resolution/Enhanced Negotiations Seminar" in CA. 05/28/98
- Pima County Bar Assoc. Seminar "The Nuts & Bolts of Alternative Dispute Resolution" 05/21/98
- Maricopa County Superior Ct Seminar for Judges "Successful Styles of Settlement Conferences to Resolve Litigation" 9/12/97
- Lorman Business Center Seminar "Auto Insurance Law and Accident Litigation ADR of Motor Vehicle Cases" 5/9/97
- AZ Dispute Resolution Assoc Sem. "Successful Styles of Mediation to Resolve Litigation" 4/25/97
- Arizona Trial Lawyers Association Seminar "Negotiation Skills in Mediation" 4/11/97
- Mujer 2000 Seminar Speaker 01/10/97
- Arizona Bar Foundation Judge for "We The People... The Citizen and the Constitution" Competition in Phoenix, AZ 12/13/96
- Sole Practitioners Meeting/Seminar re: ADR 05/14/96
- AZ State Bar 1996 Arizona Legal Skills Seminar 05/10/96
- Hispanic National Bar Association (La Raza Chapter) "Challenges of Private Practice" Seminar 05/10/96
- Arizona Association of Defense Counsel's "Hot Topics in Tort Litigation" seminar 04/16/96
- Arizona Trial Lawyers Association Speaker "Judicial Settlement Conferences: What Works, What Doesn't" 05/12/95
- Young Lawyers Division Seminar re: Ethics 05/04/95
- Arizona Dispute Resolution Conference Speaker re: "Ethical Issues of ADR" 04/28/95
- Arizona Womens Lawyer Association Speaker re: "Mediation in Pima County: How Can Your Clients Benefit?" 03/20/95
- Pima County Bar Product Liability Seminar CLE 12/15/94