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<b>Legal and ADR Qualifications</b>	1986 – Present	Florida Bar
	1998 – Present	Florida Certified Circuit Civil Mediator
	2013 – Present	Certified Mediator, U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida
	2003 – Present	Qualified Florida Arbitrator
	2010 – Present	Residential Mortgage Foreclosure Mediation Training Program
<b>Education</b>	1985	<b>J.D.</b> , Stetson University College of Law, St. Petersburg, FL
	1985	Oxford University, St. Edmund's College, Oxford, England
	1981	<b>B.A.</b> , University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
<b>Professional Experience</b>	2005 – Present	Leon & Berg, P.A., Tampa, FL <b>Certified Circuit Civil Mediator, Federal Mediator</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Founder and shareholder of mediation practice, focusing on personal injury and commercial disputes.</li><li>• Mediated more than 5,000 cases across Florida.</li></ul>
	1989 – 2005	Law Offices of James A. Young, Tampa, FL <b>Trial Attorney</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Trial attorney in the office of Staff Counsel for Allstate Insurance Company, representing the company and its insureds.</li></ul>
	1986 – 1989	Office of the Public Defender, 13 <sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit, Tampa, FL <b>Trial Attorney</b>
	1985	Law Office of Bennie Lazzara, Jr., Tampa, FL <b>Law Clerk</b>
<b>Professional Memberships</b>		National Academy of Distinguished Neutrals Florida Academy of Professional Mediators Hillsborough County Bar Association