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EDUCATION:

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW
Juris Doctor, 1976; Arthur T. Valderbilt Medal
Masters of Law in Labor Law, June 1979;
Elias Lieberman Fellow in Labor Law (1978-79)

CORNELL UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Science, 1973; Clem Miller Scholarship for outstanding public service; Phi Kappa Phi national honor society; Quill and Dagger Senior Honor Society.

BAR ADMISSIONS:

New York (1980), New Jersey (1977), District of Columbia Court of Appeals (1978); Southern District of New York, Eastern District of New York, District of New Jersey, Second, Third, Sixth & Ninth Circuit Courts of Appeals

PUBLIC BOARDS:

New Jersey Educational Facilities Authority (2003-2016), Chairman (2009-2016), Reappointed 2014 to three-year term. The Authority is charged with bonding/funding for all institutions of higher education in the State of New Jersey. The Board serves by nomination of the Governor and with the advice and consent of the State Senate. Annual bond issues are usually between \$400 million to \$1 billion. There is a staff of approximately 15 under the direction of a full-time Executive Director.

I was proactive in discussing issues of social responsibility and creative financing. I have also visited most of the campuses and University Presidents in New Jersey in an effort to discuss campus needs.

NJTV Community Advisory Board, Chairman (2015-present).
Daughters of Israel Board of Governors (2013-present).
Greater Newark Conservancy Board of Directors (2010-2011).
Commissioner, New Jersey Public Broadcasting Authority (2008-2009).

TEACHING AND
FACULTY
APPOINTMENTS:

Fordham University Law School, New York, New York (1989-2003). Adjunct Professor of Law teaching collective bargaining and negotiations.

New York Law School, New York, New York (1979-1986).
Adjunct Professor of Law teaching sex-based discrimination and employment discrimination.

Rutgers University School of Management and Labor Relations and Rutgers Graduate School (1985-2011). Adjunct Professor teaching "Realities of the ADR." Also taught in the Masters Program.

Faculty, NYU Conference on Labor Law (1987).

Instructor, American Management Association (1983-1988).

Instructor, Cornell University School of Industrial and Labor Relations.

SPEAKING
AND PANELS:

Presented at the New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education (NJICLE), January 30, 2013

The Association of Independent Colleges and Universities in New Jersey (AICUNJ) General Counsel, Update on Fair Labor Standards Act and Higher Education August 2012

NJ Institute of Social Justice Workshop on Social Covenant Bonds (April 2012)

The Association of Independent Colleges and Universities in New Jersey (AICUNJ) Board of Directors Retreat June 2011

Moderator, Benefits of Higher Education, National Association of Health and Educational Facilities Finance Authorities (NAHEFFA) Fall 2010 Conference

PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE:

Jacobs Center for Justice and Alternative Dispute Resolution.
(See www.jacobsjustice.com)

Arbitration, mediation, investigations and fact finding. Handling disputes in commercial, employment, construction, contracts, business, international, securities, and intellectual property.

Panel Member for American Arbitration Association; Financial Industry Regulatory Authority; International Institute for Conflict Prevention & Resolution; Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; New York Public Employment Relations Board; New Jersey Public Employment Relations Commission.

Cases referred from Southern District of New York; Eastern District of New York; District of New Jersey; Superior Court of New Jersey; New York Supreme Court Commercial Division.

Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators; National Academy of Distinguished Neutrals; Judge and Mediator, International Mediation Competition, International Chamber of Commerce, Paris, France.

Jacobs Law Offices, LLC, 103 Eisenhower Parkway, Suite 103, Roseland, NJ (973) 226-6663 and 777 Third Avenue, 24th Floor, New York, NY 10017 (212) 644-0500 (previously at Jacobs Rosenberg, LLC) March 1983-December 2011

Practice was primarily related to representation of public and private employers in all aspects of business and Labor and Employment Law. Practice included collective bargaining; litigation in state and federal court as well as administrative agencies; development and implementation of policy; development of employment manuals; and wage and hour issues.

Jacobs Rosenberg, LLC, Newark, NJ - 2001-2011 (predecessor firms included Jacobs & Koch and Jacobs and Associates, 1985-2001). Managing Partner of law firm focusing on representation of public and private institutions. Practice included litigation in all courts, administrative agencies, and appeals. Handled litigation, general business advice, employee policies, labor and employment issues. Supervised all attorneys and personnel.

Representative clients included New Jersey Turnpike Authority; Newark Board of Education; Newark Housing Authority; County of Morris; County of Essex; R&R Construction; Fette America; New Jersey Physicians; Mulberry Metal Products; Sovereign Bank

Guggenheimer and Untermeyer, New York, NY - 1979-1984. Associate in Labor department handling National Labor Relations Board, litigation, discrimination claims, and general client advice and counseling.

Hudson County Prosecutor's Office - 1977-1979.

Bronx District Attorney's Office - 1976-1977.

ARTICLES AND
PUBLICATIONS:

Available upon request. These have included four treatises in Labor Labor and Employment practice areas as well as law review and other writings on all aspects of arbitration, collective bargaining, and settling of business disputes. Recent articles include: Compared and Contrasted: Skepticism and Promise in the Major Providers' Appellate Arbitration Procedures, 33 Alternatives to the High Cost of Litigation 2 (February 2015); Examining the Elusiveness of Finality in Arbitration, and the New Avenues of Appeal, 33 Alternatives to the High Cost of Litigation 1 (January 2015).

AWARDS:

New Jersey Super Lawyers 2010/2011/2012/2013/2014/2015

Essex County Bar Association Kuttner Pro Bono Legal Award (2000)

Essex County Jewish Heritage Award (2011)

Northern New Jersey Council Boy Scouts of America Silver Beaver Award (2000)