

NEW ENGLAND DISPUTE RESOLUTION NEUTRAL PROFILE

Patricia A. Barbalunga, Esq

TERRITORY:

All of Massachusetts

PRACTICE AREAS:

<u>Primary:</u> Personal Injury, General Accident, (Additional information available upon request.)

ADR TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE:

Arbitrated for the American Arbitration Association AAA & New England Dispute Resolution. Completed Commercial Arbitration Training Workshop and taught arbitration seminars for AAA, New England Dispute Resolution Completed Mediation Training. Superior Court approved for arbitration and mediation. Approved by Hampden County Bar Association. Mediation success rate: Approximately 90%.

EMPLOYMENT:

Patricia A. Barbalunga Arbitration/Mediation Eagles Nest Pittsfield, (2002-present) Moriarty, Donoghue & Leja, P.C. Springfield, MA 01103 Litigation in all courts (1980 – present) Equity partner (1987 – 2002) Western New England College, Springfield, MA (1976 – 1980), Associate Professor and Director of Women's Physical Education Programs and Women's Athletics and Coach of Women's varsity basketball and volleyball (1976 - 1980)

Springfield College, Springfield, MA, Doctoral Teaching fellow and Assistant Professor of Physical Education (1974 – 1976)

Taipei American School, Taipei, Taiwan, Physical Education Teacher and Coach of volley ball (1972 - 1974)

EDUCATION:

Western New England College School of Law, Springfield, MA, Juris Doctor (1980) Springfield College, Springfield, MA, Doctor of Physical Education, Summa Cum Laude (1977) University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, Master of Science in Education, Magna Cum Laude (1974)

University of Illinois, Champagne-Urbana, IL, Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Cum Laude (1971)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Massachusetts Bar Association, Board of Delegates, 1991-1996. Massachusetts Defense Lawyers Association, President, 1995-1996; Board of Director since 1985, holding various officers positions. Hampden and Berkshire Bar Associations, Member, 1980 and 1984 respectively to present. Massachusetts Academy of Trial Attorneys, Defense Research Institute, Massachusetts Bar Association, American Bar Association. Governor's Task Force for Early Court Intervention, 1995-1996. Justinian Law Society, Board of Directors, 1994-present. Massachusetts "Defense Lawyer of the Year," 2002

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