



PROFESSOR A. MARCO TURK, ESQ.

Mediator/Arbitrator

Professor A. Marco Turk, Director of the Negotiation, Conflict Resolution & Peacebuilding Program at California State University Dominguez Hills, joined ARC in 2008. He is available to mediate and arbitrate domestic and international entertainment industry disputes, appellate, business, employment, family, homeowners association and real estate cases. A seasoned ADR professor and program director, Professor Turk is also a well-versed former appellate (including Court of Appeal research attorney), business, entertainment, family and real estate (including community living) lawyer. He has also held a California real estate broker's license since 1963.

PRACTICE AREAS

Appellate, business, employment, entertainment, family law, homeowners associations and real estate.

CONFLICT RESOLUTION EXPERIENCE

Professor Turk is recognized domestically and internationally as an effective consultant, trainer, educator, and ADR practitioner/scholar providing innovative approaches designed to achieve successful peaceful transformation of conflict. His combined 34 years in law practice and the entertainment industry (including hands-on experience as a talent agent and film/TV creator/developer/producer) have been followed by 14 years in full-time higher education, ADR and international peacebuilding activities. Professor Turk is a longstanding American Arbitration Association arbitrator, and community/ trial and appellate court mediator.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

- J.D. cum laude (1960), Southwestern University School of Law
- B.A. (1956), University of Washington (Seattle)
- California Court of Appeal, Second Appellate District (Completed 36 hours appellate mediation training and qualified for the Court's mediation panel, 2004)
- Ventura Courts Civil Mediator Qualification (1993)
- Los Angeles County Bar Association/Dispute Resolution Services, Inc. (Completed Community Mediation Programs Training, and Certified, 1991)

ORGANIZATIONS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Member: State Bar of California, Los Angeles County Bar Assn., Southern California Mediation Assn.
- Practitioner/Educator/Researcher member of the Association for Conflict Resolution and of the editorial board for its peer-reviewed journal, *Conflict Resolution Quarterly* (formerly *Mediation Quarterly*)
- Invited domestic and international presenter/ keynoter on ADR topics
- Selected by the *Los Angeles Daily Journal* as one of the top five community mediation "neutrals" in Southern California
- Consultant for Los Angeles Superior Court ADR programs
- Board of Governors appointed member, California State Bar Committee on Alternative Dispute Resolution
- International Conflict Resolution Adjunct Professor of Law (Loyola Law School/Los Angeles)
- Successful family law appellate counsel (*In re Marriage of von der Nuell* [1994])

Professor Turk is based in Southern California and willing to travel as needed. Additional information available on request.



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