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I. Professional	Accrediting Agency or Jurisdiction	Date of Admission
Attorney	Appellate Division - NYS Supreme Court Second Department	February 1988

II. Professional Organization	Date of Admission	Active/Inactive
American Bankruptcy Institute	Since 1999	Active
New York City Bar Association (Former Chair - Structured Finance Committee (2008- 2011)) (Current Member - Futures and Derivatives Committee (2013-Present))	Since 2006	Active

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Barry L. Zaretsky Bankruptcy Roundtable Steering Committee, Brooklyn Law School Member, Since 2004, Active

III. General professional experience:

Law practice is concentrated in financial restructurings, workouts, chapter 11 reorganizations, Securities Investor Protection Act proceedings, credit derivatives transactions and dispute resolution, structured finance and cross border insolvency, including chapter 15 cases. Representation of Chapter 11 debtors, Chapter 15 foreign representative, creditors, asset purchasers, and various other parties in interest. Represented virtually every type of party in interest in Chapter 7, 11 and 15 cases (as well as section 304 cases prior to adoption of Chapter 15), both as a litigator in heavily contested proceedings as well as in a transactional/advisory capacity.

IV. General pertinent experience:

Clerkship with The Honorable Cecelia H. Goetz, US Bankruptcy Judge, EDNY, 1987 - 1988.

Private practice as a bankruptcy/financial restructuring lawyer:

LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene and MacRae, 1988-2002

Baker & McKenzie, 2002 - Present

V. Mediation training:

Completed the American Bankruptcy Institute/St. John's University Forty Hour Bankruptcy Mediation Training Program in December 2014 (December 7-11) and have been awarded the Certificate of Completion for that course. Applied for membership to the American Bankruptcy Institute Mediation Committee.

VI. Pertinent bankruptcy training:

More than 26 years practicing law as a bankruptcy attorney, representing Chapter 11 debtors, Chapter 7 and 11 Trustees, Unsecured Creditors Committees, secured and unsecured creditors, asset purchasers, Chapter 15 debtors and other parties in interest, both as a bankruptcy litigator and transactional lawyer..

VII. General pertinent business or legal experience:

Prior to practice of law, served as Executive Director of a social work not-for profit organization.