

KATHERINE G. MORROW

EDUCATION

Golden Gate University School of Law, San Francisco, J.D. 1984

Honors: Golden Gate University Law Review, Associate Editor.

Publication: Case Comment: "Subjecting Bar Admission Policies to Antitrust Scrutiny: The Ninth Circuit Takes A Realistic View," 13 Golden Gate 79 (1983); Selected by West Publishing Co. to be included on WESTLAW.

University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, B.A. Political Science 1981

Honors: Academic Scholarship awarded by Institute of Shipboard Education for 1979

CERTIFICATION

University of California, Berkeley, University Extension, Berkeley

April 2006

Certification in Mediation and Conflict Resolution

WORK EXPERIENCE

Shannon B. Jones Law Group, Danville, CA

Attorney, February 2006 - Present

Responsible for all phases of litigation: initial case analysis; pleadings; written discovery; depositions; law and motion; alternative dispute resolution; settlement negotiation; and trial preparation. Practice includes real estate brokerage defense; landlord-tenant disputes; commission recovery matters; and representation of parties in real estate transactions and related disputes. Responsible for significant client contact. Extensive experience handling mediations on behalf of private parties and real estate professionals. Certified in Alternative Dispute Resolution. Serves as mediator for a wide variety of real estate and business disputes.

Peterson Weyand & Martin LLP, San Francisco, CA

Attorney, 1997 – January 2006

Handled all phases of litigation, including: initial case analysis; pleadings; written discovery; depositions; law and motion; ADR; settlement negotiation; and trial preparation. Practice included matters involving professional liability defense for business and real estate professionals; disclosure claims; commercial and residential landlord-tenant matters; real property sales and acquisitions; commercial contracts; business torts; property management; and other real property related disputes. Primarily responsible for handling mediations on behalf of major real estate brokerage firm. Responsible for significant client contact.

Private Practice/Contract Attorney

1995 – 1997

Private practice and contract attorney for Bay Area civil litigation firms, including: Minami Lew & Tamaki, LLP, San Francisco, California; Dickson Ross & Honig, Oakland, California; Andrada & Schanzenbach, Oakland, California

Work included: consultation regarding residential purchase and sale and commercial leasing transactions; drafting pleadings and briefs; depositions; court appearances; ADR; and trial preparation. Practice areas: real estate and employment. Significant involvement in three employment discrimination class actions, including: potential class member interviews; and drafting successful motion for class certification.

Murphy Pearson Bradley & Feeney, San Francisco, CA

1986-1989

Practice included professional liability defense for attorneys and real estate professionals. Responsible for drafting pleadings and briefs; law and motion; depositions; ADR; and trial preparation.

Norris, Beggs & Simpson, Lafayette, CA

Commercial Real Estate Agent, 1985-1986