

Gail Migdal Title, Esq. Mediator • Arbitrator



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Gail Migdal Title, Esq. became a neutral after an illustrious career as a litigator at a prominent national law firm, where she was also the Managing Partner of its California office and Head of its Entertainment Litigation Practice.

As a neutral, Ms. Title utilizes her breadth of legal and management experience along with the personal traits that have made her so successful -- intelligence, sound judgment, practicality, persuasiveness and diligence. She has the ability to communicate on both complex business and nuanced emotional levels. As a result, she gains the trust and respect of counsel and parties and can effectively move them to resolution of their disputes.

Ms. Title also brings to her work a depth of substantive legal knowledge in areas as varied as copyright infringement and idea theft; statutory and common law trademark infringement; defamation and right of privacy; breach of contract and statutory and common law business torts, including participation accounting and trade secrets; labor and employment, including collective bargaining agreement disputes as well as sexual harassment and related claims; design patent disputes; partnership disputes; insurance coverage disputes; civil rights claims; legal malpractice claims; and all aspects of the legal process.

Her knowledge and experience extend to many different industries, including all aspects of entertainment (e.g. film, television, music and video), technology, fashion, publishing, manufacturing, hospitality, and residential and commercial real estate. She is also familiar with the business issues that arise for parties in mediation, including profitability, growth, divestment and strategic planning; market positioning, cash flow, securitization; and personnel matters.

Ms. Title is the recipient of numerous awards in recognition of her professional accomplishments and service to the legal community.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Entertainment: film, television, music, new media, participation accounting
- Intellectual Property: copyright, trademark, idea submission, right of publicity, defamation
- **Employment**: single plaintiff, class actions, discrimination, hostile work environment, retaliation, wage and hour violations, collective bargaining agreements
- **Business Litigation**: breach of contract, tortious interference with contract/economic advantage, unfair competition, breach of fiduciary duty, false advertising
- **Professional Malpractice**: lawyer, accountant, professional code of conduct violations, failure to meet requisite standard of care

DISPUTE RESOLUTION EXPERIENCE

Gail Migdal Title, Esq. has been serving as a neutral for the last 14 years, mediating a wide range of disputes including claims of copyright infringement and trademark infringement; breach of contract; business torts; employment law violations; and accounting violations in a wide range of industries, including film, television, music, technology, new media, fashion, publishing, manufacturing, construction, hospitality, insurance, and residential and commercial real estate.

In addition to her work with ADR Services, Inc., Ms. Title serves on the mediation panel of the United States District Court, Central District, and previously served on the mediation panel of the Los Angeles Superior Court.

She has over 100 hours of mediation and arbitration education and regularly supplements her education with advanced mediation training.

LITIGATION EXPERIENCE

Katten Muchin Rosenman
Managing Partner, Los Angeles, 1997 - 2011
Rosenfeld Meyer & Susman
Federal Public Defender, Central District of California, Deputy
Law Clerk to Hon. David W. Williams, United States District Court

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION EDUCATION

Pepperdine University School of Law, Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution United States District Court, Advanced Mediation Training Los Angeles County Bar Association, Mediation Training

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley, School of Law Wellesley College, Wellesley, Massachusetts

PROFESSIONAL AWARDS & RECOGNITION

Daily Journal

California's Top 100 Leading Lawyers
California's Top 50 Women Lawyers, 7 consecutive times
California's Top 100 Intellectual Property Lawyers, 4 times

Hollywood Reporter

Power Lawyers, 7 times

Los Angeles Business Journal

"Who's Who in Law" - Top 40 Entertainment Lawyers in LA

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Century City Bar Association

Litigator of the Year

Chambers USA

America's Leading Lawyers for Business, 6 consecutive times

Best Lawyers

Los Angeles Media Law – Lawyer of the Year

Southern California Super Lawyers

Women Lawyers Association of Los Angeles

Women of Distinction Award - Top Women Lawyers in Business

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Los Angeles Copyright Society, Past President, Board of Trustees
- United States District Court Magistrate Judge Merit Selection Panel for the Central District of California, Past Chair
- Public Counsel Law Center, Past Chairperson, Executive Committee, Board of Trustees
- Constitutional Rights Foundation, Board of Directors
- Ninth Circuit Historical Society, Board of Directors