

PROBATE MEDIATORS

1 PAMELA (PAM) ANDERSON

770-888-7150

- **Areas of Experience:** Divorce, custody, parenting time, contempt, modification, legitimation, same sex cases, domestic violence, probate, business dissolution, workplace mediation, and landlord tenant.
- **Professional Experience:** Mediated several thousand cases since 1998. Mediation trainer since 2001; Founder of Resolve to Solve, Inc. in 2001. Registered with Georgia's Office for Dispute Resolution, Adjunct Professor at Lanier Technical College in Human Relations and Leadership, Adjunct Professor at Kennesaw State University in Conflict Resolution Masters Program, Parent Coordinator and Divorce Coach since 2005. Pam is on the rosters in Cobb, Cherokee, DeKalb and mediates in Gwinnett, Forsyth, Hall and throughout the 9th District as well.
- **Education:** BS Poli Kennesaw State, Magna Cum Laude 1998. Masters in Human Resource Management, Keller School of Management, with Distinction, 2005.
- **ADR Fees:** \$300 per hour, 2 hour minimum. \$600 charged to cancelling party within 48 hours. Accepts Visa, Master Card, Amex, Discover, Zelle, Venmo and Cash App.
- Ms. Anderson will continue to offer mediation on the Zoom platform.
- **Email:** resolvetosolve@yahoo.com
- **Website:** www.resolve2solve.com

2 DYANN W. BEATY

813-230-4096

- **Areas of Certification:** General Civil, Domestic, Domestic Violence, Probate
- **Professional Experience:** Magistrate Judge 2012 to present (semi-retired). Member of the Florida Bar since 1990.
- **Education:** Eckerd College, St. Petersburg Florida BA Human Resources/Clinical Counseling; Stetson University College of Law, St. Petersburg, Florida Juris Doctor, 1990.
- **ADR Fees:** \$225.00 per hour, 2 hour minimum. \$500 cancellation fee. \$500 No Show fee. Accepts: Zelle, Venmo, Credit Card with 3% processing fee applied
- **Mediation Locations:** In person throughout North Georgia, or via Zoom.
- **Email:** dyannbeatymediations@gmail.com Website: www.dwbmediations.com

3 CHRIS CHAPPELL, ESQ.

678-749-4013

- **Areas of Experience:** Family Law (divorce, custody, child support); Contracts (breach, damages, formation); Landlord/Tenant; Construction Law; Business Law; Wills and Estates.
- **ADR Experience:** Began mediating cases part time starting in 2005 and full time since 2013. Has mediated various General/Civil Cases and Domestic cases. Mediation experience includes Magistrate, Superior, and Appeals court mediations. Excels at tailoring and adapting methods and techniques towards each unique mediation session and each party's needs.

- **Professional Experience:** Began Law practice with a focus on Family, Business, and Real Estate Law. Has been a practicing attorney for 12 years.
- **Education:** J.D. Mississippi College School of law, (2011). B.S. Kennesaw State University, Political Science with minor in Alternative Dispute Resolution (2005). General Civil Training in mediation (2005 and 2013). Divorce and Family Mediation Training (2014). Specialized Issues in Domestic Violence (2017).
- **ADR Fees:** \$250.00 per hour; \$500.00 cancellation fee if less than 24-hour notice. Accepts Cash, Check, Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover Card. Available nights and weekends.
- **Email:** cchappell54@gmail.com

4 MICHAEL A. CHASTAIN

706-300-1581

- **Areas of Experience:** Family Law (divorce, custody, child support); Probate Law; Wills and Estates, Contracts (breach, damages, formation); Landlord/Tenant; Construction Law; Business Law.
- **ADR Experience:** Registered as a Neutral with the Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution for General Civil as well as Domestic Law Mediation.
- **Professional Experience:** Probate Court Judge January 2001- Present, Magistrate Court Judge 2012- Present
- **Education:** Associate degree Business Administration, B.S. Criminal Justice, MPA Columbus State University.
- **ADR Fees:** \$300.00 per hour with 3-hour minimum; \$500.00 cancellation fee if less than 3 business day notice.
- **Email:** crossroadsfamilymediation@gmail.com
- **Website:** <http://crossroadsfamilymediation.com>

5 ANN S. CLANTON

770-633-2597

- **Areas of Experience:** Domestic, Commercial-business to business, construction, employment, and discrimination.
- **ADR Experience:** Registered as a mediator-neutral with the Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution. Ms. Clanton has been mediation cases since 1978. She is a member of the Panel of Neutrals with Henning Mediation & Arbitration Services, Inc., Atlanta. President of the Georgia Council for Dispute Resolution, 40 hours training for certification, Atlanta Justice Center, 40 hours Domestic Training, Betty Manly.
- **Professional Experience:** 1984-1988: President, Legal Ease, Inc. Atlanta, Ga. 1988-1993: Vice President, MLQ Attorney Services, Inc., Atlanta, GA. 1993-1998: Vice President, DeopNet, Inc., Atlanta, GA. 1998-Present: President, eNeutral, Inc. a subsidiary of Henning Mediation & Arbitration Services, Inc. Atlanta, GA, Videoconference Dispute Resolution.
- **Education:** Samford University, Graduate Studies. NC State University, Graduate Studies.
- **ADR Fees:** \$100 per party per hour, 2 hour minimum.

- **Areas of Experience:** Family Law: divorce, child custody, child support, modification of custody and support, paternity, legitimation, adoption, elder law, hospice care and end of life issues and probate.
- **ADR Experience:** Trainer/Lecturer: Georgia Family law- Mediation training program- Atlanta Justice Center-2007- current. Speaker- Georgia Mediators Association Seminar –Mediation Hot Topics and Trends, 2014. Speaker- Georgia Mediators Association Seminar- Online and Face to Face: Future Mediation, 2012. Immediate Past President-Georgia Mediators Association. Member- Alternative Dispute Resolution Section State Bar of Georgia. Certified Mediator- Office of Dispute Resolution, 2000-current. Registered Court Rosters: Cobb County, Gwinnett County, 7th District, and 9th District. Private Mediator, 2000- Current. Private Arbitrator, 2007- Current.
- **Professional Experience:** Owner: Dettmering Mediation, 2006- Current. Founding Partner: Gentry, Smith, Dettmering, Morgan & Schnatmeier, LLP, 2006- Current. Member of Cobb Divorce team 2014-Curent. Admitted to Practice Law: State of Georgia, 1985-Current, Supreme Court State of Georgia, 1985-Current, Supreme Court of the United States, 2000- Current.
- **Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison – Bachelor of Arts. Emory University School of Law-Juris Doctor, 1985.
- **ADR Fees:** \$250.00 per hour, 2 hour minimum. \$500 cancellation fee. \$500 No Show fee. Accepts: Zelle, Venmo, Gredit Card with 3% processing fee applied.
- **Mediation Locations:** Conference room available at no additional charge: Dettmering Mediation: 278 North Marietta Parkway, Marietta, GA.
- **Email:** ann@cobbcountyattorneys.com

- **Areas of Experience:** Family Law, Estates, Guardianship and Probate, Divorce, Legitimation, Custody, Modifications, Child Support, Visitation
- **ADR Experience:** Registered Mediator since 2006, Registered in Arbitration since 2007, Domestic Violence in 2016, also trained as a Parent Coordinator in 2014 and has served as a Guardian Ad Litem in Cobb, Douglas, Cherokee, Gwinnett and Fulton Counties since 2001. On the ADR roster in Cobb County and mediates throughout metro Atlanta.
- **Professional Experience:** Admitted to Georgia Bar in 1998, practiced law in metro Atlanta primarily in family law, adoptions, estates and probate, guardianships since 1998. Has practiced as a Guardian Ad Litem since 2001, Parent Coordinator since 2014 and has been mediating cases since 2006.
- **Education:** B.S in Political Science and French in 1992, with honors; J.D. Marquette University Law School 1997, cum laude
- **ADR Fees:** \$300.00 per hour, 2 hour cancellation fee to the cancelling party if cancelled in less than 48 hours and if less than 24 hours or a no show at mediation, 4 hour cancellation fee to the cancelling/no show party.
- **Payments accepted:** Cash, Attorney Check and party checks guaranteed by attorney, credit and debit cards (Discover, Master Card, American Express and Visa). \$35.00 returned check fees
- **Email:** mditchen@ditchenlaw.com

- **Areas of Experience:** 30 years' experience specializing in Family Law/Domestic Relations (Divorce, Custody, Child Support, Parenting Time, Domestic Violence, Juvenile Deprivation, Guardian ad Litem), including Probate, Estate Planning, Contracts, Real Estate, Personal Injury, Landlord/Tenant, Collections and Employment cases.
- **ADR Experience:** Ms. Ernst mediates 4-6 family law cases per week for lawyers with pending court cases and parties wishing to settle prior to filing. She's mediated thousands of divorce, custody, child support and complex domestic relations cases throughout Georgia, in-person and online. Watch her video on virtual mediation at <https://julieernst.com/zoom-tips> . With over 300 hours of advanced training, she's authorized to mediate Domestic Relations, Domestic Violence and Juvenile Deprivation cases. She's trained mediators, judged mediation competitions, consults on how to negotiate most effectively, and serves as Guardian ad Litem. A member of the Family Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia, Forsyth Bar Association, Atlanta Bar Association and Gwinnett Bar Association, she's certified to be selected by the parties and is approved to accept court-referred mediations in the Sixth, Seventh, Ninth and Tenth Districts of Georgia, as well as Fulton, Dekalb, Gwinnett, Clayton and Cobb Counties. Through <https://agreetodivorce.com/>, Ms. Ernst works with couples to settle all issues before filing for divorce and provides flat fee uncontested and cooperative divorces.
- **Professional Experience:** Private Practice in Divorce, Family Law and Mediation services since 1999, including flat fee uncontested and cooperative divorce. Supervising and Staff Attorney for Georgia Legal Services Program, Inc., 1995 to 1999. Assistant Public Defender, Northern Judicial Circuit 1994-1995. Tobin & Hoffspiegel 1993-1994.
- **Education:** Georgia State University, College of Law, J.D., 1994. Miami University, School of Arts & Sciences, B.A., 1989.
- **ADR Fees:** \$300.00 per hour, minimum 2-hours, Credit/Debit cards accepted, 2-hour fee for cancellations less than 48 hours prior to session.
- **Email:** julie@agreetodivorce.com
- **Website:** To check availability and schedule mediation: <https://julieernst.com>; For those interested in divorce: <https://agreetodivorce.com>

- **Areas of Experience:** Family Law/Juvenile Law/Grandparent Custody/ Divorce/ Custody/ Parenting Time/Modification/Contempt/Legitimation/Domestic Violence/Probate
- **ADR Experience:** Registered as a mediator since 2011. Also registered in Domestic cases, Domestic Violence cases, Probate cases and as an Arbitrator.
- **Professional Experience:** Kristine is the owner of Kristine M. Fletcher, LLC, founded in 2014, where she mediates, serves as a Guardian ad Litem, and practices family law and juvenile law. She represents children, parents, grandparents, and relatives in all manner of domestic and juvenile practice. She is admitted to practice in all the state trial courts of Georgia, the Georgia Court of Appeals, and the Supreme Court of Georgia.
Kristine began her career with a small family law firm in Cherokee County, where she represented men and women as marriages came to an end or family law issues were litigated.

She also represented parents and children in dependency proceedings before the Juvenile Court when children were removed from their homes. Kristine then worked for a different small firm in Canton, where she represented clients in family law matters and represented DFCS as a prosecutor in dependency proceedings before the Juvenile Court.

Kristine is also a member of the Amicable Divorce Network as both a mediator and a litigator.

- **Education:** BBA University of Georgia 2008, JD Georgia State University School of Law 2011, admitted to practice law in Georgia in 2011.
- **ADR Fees:** \$300.00 per hour. Accepts, cash, checks and credit cards.
- **Email:** kf@kfletcherlaw.com
- **Website:** www.kfletcherlaw.com or book directly at <https://calendly.com/kfletcherlaw/mediation>

- **Areas of Experience:** Domestic/Domestic Violence mediations including custody, parenting plans, child support calculations, spousal support, division of property, and modification of divorce decrees; General Civil Mediation in matters of business, contracts, and other litigation; Dependency mediations; and Juvenile Delinquency mediations.
- Virtual or on-site mediation services
- Bilingual services available.
- **ADR Experience:** Inez is a practicing attorney licensed in the State of Georgia since 1992. Inez was part of the original adoption of mediation within the Court system in Hall County. She focuses her practice on family law, juvenile law, criminal law and immigration. She has a fully bilingual staff and is able to provide interpreters for mediation. Inez received her training from the Justice Center of Atlanta, Inc and received her divorce mediation from Henning Mediation and Arbitration Services. Inez is registered with State of Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution
- Inez is also one of the partners in EQUAL GROUND MEDIATION SERVICES which also offers joint and dual mediations in all areas listed above by zoom or in person. You can reach <https://equalgroundmediationservices.com/>.
- **Professional Experience:** 1992-2008 Prosecutor with various State and Superior Courts in Hall, Barrow and Forsyth Counties. 2008-present private general practice Gillsville Law, LLC (with a brief return to prosecution from 2013 until 2015) covering North Georgia area. Gillsville Law, LLC is located on historic Green Street and can accommodate mediation within the office building. Member of Brenau Mediation Advisory Board.
- **Education:** Brenau College BA, John Marshall Law School (1992)
- **ADR Fees:** \$225.00 per hour 48 hour cancellation Notice or cancellation fee of \$200.00.
- **Accepted methods of payment:** Check, cash, credit or debit card at the end of the mediation session.
- **Email:** inez@gillsvilleglaw.com or receptionist@gillsvilleglaw.com(bilingual)
- **Website:** www.gillsvilleglaw.com

- **Areas of Experience:** General Civil (all areas); Certified Paralegal and worked in the Real Estate and Mortgage fields as a Paralegal; Mortgage Processor and Closing Agent; Worked for Thomson-West as a sales representative and national research trainer on Westlaw; As a filmmaker, actor, writer and producer, skilled in creating a harmonious negotiating process and building team environments. Comfortable speaking in front of any size group and teaching.
- **Professional Experience:** Maggie is also partners with her sister, Attorney Inez Grant, at EQUAL GROUND MEDIATION SERVICES. Offering MEDIATION and ARBITRATION SERVICES. <https://equalgroundmediationservices.godaddysites.com/> Offering VIRTUAL (ZOOM) mediations in the areas of: DOMESTIC MEDIATIONS- Divorce, Settlements, Modifications; FAMILY LAW - Adoption, Legitimizations, etc.; JUVENILE; CIVIL; and ELDER LAW. We offer a free 20-minute consultation.
- **Education:** Graduated with a BS in Political Science/BA in Theatre, University Miami/Florida; International University; Certified Paralegal University of Miami; Abraham Lincoln Law School Los Angeles, CA; Capella Law School San Jose, CA
- **ADR Fees:** \$185.00 per hour Virtual mediations, 2-hour minimum for in person Mediation.
- Very flexible schedule
- **Email:** myaccessga@gmail.com
- Available on short notice

- **Areas of Experience:** General Civil matters, Education Law, Juvenile Law, Probate, Guardian ad Litem.
- **ADR Experience:** Registered Mediator, Special Education Mediation training, Registered Arbitrator, Juvenile Delinquency and Dependency.
- **Professional Experience:** 2007 – Present: Law office of Manda C. Gwatney, Blue Ridge, GA. 2006: Registered as a Neutral with Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution. 2000-2002: Literary Coordinator and department chair. 1995-2002: Teacher.
- **Education:** North Georgia College and State University, B.A., 1995. University of Georgia, Masters of Education, 1998, Educational Leadership Endorsement, 2000, Specialist in Education, 2000. Georgia State University, College of Law, 2007.
- **ADR Fees:** \$200.00 per hour, 2 hour minimum.
- **Email:** manda@gwatneylaw.com
- **Website:** www.gwatneylaw.com

- **Areas of Experience:** General civil matters: contracts, corporation, commercial, negligence, personal injury, real property, zoning, land use, condemnations, HOA disputes, trusts, estates, municipal government matters, landlord/tenant, banking; Domestic matters: divorce, custody, support and modification, and; Criminal law.

- **Areas of Experience:** All matters arising in probate, State and Superior Court, including but not limited to domestic relations, custody, contracts, corporations, partnerships, limited liability companies, business disputes, real property disputes, personal injury, commercial, construction, wills, trusts, estate and probate law, and general civil litigation.
- **ADR Experience:** Certified as a general mediator and as a domestic mediator.
- **Professional Experience:** General trial practice for 44 years since June of 1974, trying numerous cases in all of the above areas, with a concentration in family law and domestic relations.
- **Education:** University of Georgia, BBA in 1971, University of Georgia School of Law, J.D. in 1974
- **ADR Fees:** \$125.00 per hour per party, 2 hour minimum, \$250.00 cancellation fee within 2 days of mediation.
- **Email:** elhartness@bellsouth.net

14 MELISSA HEARD

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- **Areas of Experience:** Family matters (however family is defined), divorce, custody, legitimation, parenting time, modification, contempt, IPVA (domestic violence), workplace, Juvenile delinquency and dependency, probate, landlord tenant and other case types. In court connected and private cases, military, federal, state and local agencies.
- **Professional Experience:** Mediating since 1991, providing services in several thousand cases across various case types, states, and countries.
As of January 2024, Melissa has become the Executive Director of the Justice Center of Atlanta, Inc. and will be providing services under the non-profit. Mediation Trainer since 1999; Success Consulting & Mediation founder in private practice as a neutral and consultant since 2000; FEMA Reservist with the ADR Cadre serving disaster staff and survivors across the country since 2017; and Registered with the Georgia Commission in the following categories: General Civil, Domestic Relations, Specialized Domestic Violence, Probate, Special Education, Delinquency and Dependency Mediation.
- **Education:** Brenau University (Women's College) 1992 BA; University of Tennessee, Knoxville – College of Social Work 1994 1994 MSSW.
- **ADR Fees:** Half day (\$800.00) or Full day (\$1,500.00) rate. Accepts checks and credit card payments. Zoom platform and in person available.
- **Email:** melissa@justicecenter.org

15 ANGELA J. HIGHSMITH

706-499-5285

- **Areas of Experience:** Divorce, custody, child support, parenting time, visitation, legitimation, modification, contempt, adoption, grandparent custody, domestic violence, juvenile dependency, homeschool education, elder law, and probate matters.
- **ADR Experience:** Registered Neutral with Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution in General Mediation, Domestic Relations Mediation, Specialized Domestic Violence Mediation, Juvenile Delinquency Mediation, Juvenile Dependency Mediation, and Non-Binding Arbitration. Ms. Highsmith has mediated divorce, custody, child support, parenting time, alimony, legitimation, adoption, termination of parental rights, civil cases, will contest, and probate matters.

- **Professional Experience:** Mediator, Arbitrator, Child Welfare Law Specialist, Guardian ad Litem, Associate Special Assistant Attorney General (for Division of Family and Children Services and Division of Aging Services), Family Law Attorney, Superior Court Law Clerk, U.S. Bankruptcy Court Internship (Eastern District of Arkansas).
- **Education and Publications and Presentations:** Georgia State University, B.A. History (1998); University of Arkansas School of Law, J.D. (2002); Child Welfare Law Specialist (2023); Litigating Custody of Homeschooled Children in Georgia, *The Family Review*, Winter 2017, 4-5. Ms. Highsmith has presented ICJE-approved CLE courses on child support and financial affidavits.
- **ADR Fee:** \$250 per hour (divided between two parties/sides); for three or more parties, fee is \$100 per party per hour. Two-hour minimum with fees paid 48 hours in advance of mediation for non-represented parties; 48-hour cancellation notice required or \$500 fee applied. Accepted payments: cash, credit/debit (with 3% processing fee), or firm check (no personal checks). Travel expenses may be applied for mediations outside of the Ninth District Administrative District.
- **Mediation Platforms:** In-person, ZOOM, hybrid. Ms. Highsmith can schedule virtual mediations and provide links to all parties.
- **Email:** angelahighsmith@gmail.com

16 MANDA C. HUGHES, ESQ.

706-632-2083

- **Areas of Experience:** General Civil matters, Education Law, Juvenile Law, Probate, Guardian ad Litem.
- **ADR Experience:** Registered Mediator, with specialized training in Special Education Mediation, Juvenile Delinquency and Dependency Mediation, and Probate Mediation. Registered Arbitrator
- **Professional Experience:** The Law Office of Manda C. Hughes (formerly Manda C. Gwatney), Blue Ridge, GA (2007-Present). Registered as a Neutral with Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution (2006-Present). Teacher (1995-2002, including Literary Coordinator and department chair from 2000-2002).
- **Education:** North Georgia College and State University, B.A., 1995. University of Georgia, Masters of Education, 1998, Educational Leadership Endorsement, 2000, Specialist in Education, 2000. Georgia State University, College of Law, 2007.
- **ADR Fees:** \$200.00 per hour, 2 hour minimum.
- **Email:** manda.c.hughes@gmail.com
- **Website:** www.gwatneylaw.com

17 HENRY (HANK) W. KIMMEL, ESQ.

404-735-9132

- **Areas of Experience:** Domestic, Real Estate, Probate, Condominium Association, Landlord-Tenant, Personal Injury, Contracts, Lemon Law.
- **ADR Experience:** Mr. Kimmel has helped settle more than 5,000 disputes (including more than 500 virtually) in Georgia through his private practice and as a mediator in metro Atlanta

and surrounding areas. A registered mediator since 1999, Mr. Kimmel has specialized training in Domestic, Domestic Violence, Juvenile, Probate, and Landlord-Tenant mediation – and for Guardian Ad Litem work. He has also served as a mediation coach for the John Marshall Law School, the University of Georgia, Emory University, and the Fulton County Landlord-Tenant program. Mr. Kimmel also has worked extensively as a journalist, playwright, and tennis professional, and brings those related skills to his work as a mediator.

- **Professional Experience:**
 - 2000-present: Principal, Henry W. William, Esq., Mediation Services (GA)
 - 2002-present: Managing Partner, Turtle Bay House Properties LLC (NY)
 - 1999-2001: Executive Director, Georgia Lawyer for the Arts (GA)
- **Education:** Emory School of Law; Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism; and Brown University.
- **ADR Fees:** \$275.00 per hour for zoom, \$325 for in-person mediation. Two-hour minimum. Cancellation fee for less than 72 hours notice: \$350 if no travel is involved; \$500 if travel is involved.
- **Email:** hwkimmel@gmail.com

18 HANNAH PALMER

770-888-7150

- **Areas of Experience:** Divorce, custody, parenting time, child support, contempt, modification, legitimation, same sex cases, domestic violence, and landlord tenant
- **Professional Experience:** Mediated hundreds of cases since registering with the GODR as a mediator in 2016. Associate Mediation Trainer with Resolve to Solve, Inc. since 2017. In addition to the 9th District, Hannah is also on the Cobb, Dekalb, Gwinnett, and 7th District ADR lists. Mediates both in person and virtually.
- **Education:** Studied Political Science and Cognitive Science at the University of Georgia (2015). Obtained a Master's in Conflict Resolution and Reconciliation from Abilene Christian University (2017)
- **ADR Fees:** \$275 per hour, 2 hour minimum. \$600 if cancelled within 48 hours or no show. Accepts Visa, Master Card, Amex, Discover, Zelle, Venmo and Cash App.
- **Email:** resolvetosolve.hannah@yahoo.com
- **Website:** resolve2solve.com

19 JENNIFER C. PINSON-HARVEY, ESQ.

770-935-0026

- **ADR of Experience:** Has settled cases or facilitated communications between parties in several thousand private and court-ordered domestic and civil mediations since 1995, including the areas of family law (divorce, custody, modification, legitimation and contempt), contract disputes, collections, personal injury, property issues and various other areas of legal disputes.
- **Professional Experience:** Solo law practice since 1995 specializing in mediations, uncontested divorces, wills and incorporations. Previously worked in state government

relations with the Atlanta Committee for the Olympic Games, as a Congressional staffer, a municipal law association attorney and an associate in a general law practice.

- **Education:** University of Georgia, A.B.J., 1980. Emory University, M.A., 1982. George Washington University, J.D., 1988.
- **ADR Fees:** \$295.00 per hour. Accepts Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express. Cancellation fees apply if notice of cancellation is not received 48 hours prior to scheduled mediation. \$310 if commute is necessary.
- **Accepted Methods of payment:** cash, checks, Zelle, Venmo, CashApp, as well as all major credit and debt cards with a 3% fee.
- **Email:** jenpinhar@gmail.com

20 BONNIE O. POWELL, ESQ.

404-918-3581

- **Areas of Experience:** Domestic, Landlord/Tenant, Workplace and Probate disputes.
- **ADR Experience:** General civil, domestic, domestic violence, workplace disputes. Also trained in Probate and Juvenile Delinquency and Deprivation.
- **Professional Experience:** Mediator, Arbitrator, Attorney, Adjunct Professor of Dispute Resolution, Director of Fulton Landlord/Tenant Mediation Program.
- **Education:** Bachelor of Science, Florida State University. Juris Doctor, Georgia State University College of Law.
- **ADR Fees:** \$325.00 per hour with a minimum of 2 hours; a 2-hour fee will be charged against the cancelling party if cancelled less than 72 hours of session. Payment can be made by cash, Zelle, or credit card.
- **Email:** bonnie@powelladr.com

21 DEBORAH REDDICK

404-857-4447

- **Areas of Expertise:** Domestic Relations, Personal Injury, Probate, Business Disputes.
- Registered with the Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution (GODR) in the General Civil, Domestic and Specialized Domestic Violence categories
- **ADR Experience:** Deborah Reddick has been a trained and certified mediator since 2016. She has also served as a member of the Georgia Bar Association Fee Arbitration panel since 2018. In addition to offering private mediation services, she is an active roster member of several local ADR programs including The Ninth and Sixth Districts, Cobb, Gwinnett, Clayton, Coweta and Fulton Counties. As of spring, 2024 she has facilitated well over 2,500 mediation sessions including personal injury, probate, landlord/tenant, divorce, child custody/support and business disputes. In early 2020, Deborah expanded her practice to include virtual online mediation services. To date, she has successfully facilitated over 1500 online mediation sessions.
- **ADR Fees:** \$250.00 per hour. Services offered in person or via Zoom.
- **Email:** georgiamediator1@gmail.com

- **Areas of Expertise:** General & Civil Mediation; Divorce & Family Mediation, Domestic Relations, Domestic Violence; Juvenile Delinquency & Juvenile Dependency; & Probate.
- **ADR Experience:** Over 8 years mediation experience in Magistrate and Superior Courts and privately scheduled appointments. In person sessions, ZOOM and DocuSign platforms available.
- **Professional Experience:** Owner of Doll Ritchie & Associates, LLC. Certified as neutral mediator for State of Georgia Office of ADR. Certified as Executive Coach through The Hudson Institute of Santa Barbara. Somatic Awareness Coach. In-depth experience in employer/employee conflict resolution; landlord disputes, contractor and subcontractor disputes, estate disputes, real estate and insurance settlements, contract grievance management and labor bargaining process; patient & long-term care advocacy; adult training and group facilitation. Over twenty-five years as senior executive Human Resources Leader with large, multi-campus healthcare organizations and fifteen years HR professional in Fortune 100 manufacturing & distribution organizations.
- **Education:** Social Work & Psychology, Huntingdon College, B.A.; Organizational & Management Development, Brenau University, M.Ed. Civil General Mediation training at JW Fanning Institute, Arbitration and Domestic Relations Mediation at Henning Mediation Services, Domestic Violence & Family Mediation at Resolve to Solve, Inc. Juvenile Delinquency & Juvenile Dependency; and Probate through GOADR.
- **ADR Fees:** \$200.00 per hour/2-hour minimum; 48-hour (Business Days) cancellation notice required or cancellation fee of \$200 applies to both parties.
- **Method of payment:** Cash, Credit/Debit card, Venmo, PayPal
- **Email:** Rit329d@gmail.com

- **Experience:** Joshua was born and raised in North Georgia. He currently lives in Braselton with his wife and children. Joshua served in the United States Marine Corps in the aviation field for six years. Joshua has experience in all manner of domestic relations litigation, including divorce; child custody, visitation, and child support; alimony and spousal support; paternity issues and legitimation of children; post-divorce issues; grandparent and third party custody/visitation; child welfare and advocacy; probate matters, and personal injury actions.
Ninth District Opportunity Board Member
Georgia Association of Counsel for Children (GACC) Board Member
State Bar of Georgia; Georgia Court of Appeals; U.S. District Court, Northern District of Georgia; Supreme Court of Georgia; American Bar Association; Gainesville Bar Association (Northeastern Judicial Circuit)''
- **Education:** J.D., John Marshall Law School; B.A., North Georgia College and State University
- **ADR Fees:** \$350 per hour, 2-hour minimum, Accepts Cash, Check, Venmo, Cashapp, or Card. 3.5% processing fee for use of card or Cashapp. \$200 cancellation fee if cancelled within 2 business days

- **Areas of ADR Experience:** Collection, Construction, Contracts, Corporate, Civil (General), Domestic, Domestic Violence Insurance, Landlord-Tenant, Employment Law, Labor/management, Personal Injury, Property, Juvenile, Probate, Workplace.
- **Experience:** Ms. West is a registered neutral with the Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution in civil and domestic matters. She offers both private and court ordered mediation. Ms. West has over 20 years of experience in practicing law in Georgia and over 15 years in mediation. She has practiced in the areas of family law, immigration, real-estate, landlord-tenant, estate planning, probate and small business. Ms. West is also a trained Guardian Ad Litem and Arbitrator, a member of the Gwinnett County Bar Association, and a past President of the Georgia Association for Woman Lawyers, Statewide and Gwinnett Chapter. She also has experience in mediating international child abduction cases pursuant to the Hague Convention.
- **Professional Experience:**
- 2023 – Present: Gwinnett County Magistrate Judge (Part-time). Designated to sit in Superior Court; State Court; Probate Court and Juvenile Court
- 2022 – Present: MeWe Consults, LLC, Founder and Principal
- 2019 – 2022: State Bar of Georgia, Director, Institute of Continuing Legal Education, Atlanta, GA
- 2013 – 2019: State Bar of Georgia, Director, Transition into Law Practice Program, Atlanta, GA
- 2006 - 2014: M. West Legal, LLC, Lilburn, GA
- 2005 – 2006: Law Office of Green & Associates, Atlanta, GA
- 2002- 2005: Georgia Legal Services, Gainesville, GA
- **Education:** Emory University School of Law, J.D., 2002; Georgetown University, B.S.F.S., 1997
- **ADR Fees:** \$200 per hour, virtual or in-person. Accepts cash and credit cards
- **Email:** michelle@meweconsults.com