

# Lauren J. Bianchini

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## **EXPERIENCE**

### **Bianchini Dispute Resolution Services, Austin, TX**

*Mediator*, 2017 – Present

- Mediate a range of cases including employment and workplace disputes using collaboration and creative problem solving skills to reach a solution.
- Attentive use of active listening and interpersonal empathy while assisting clients with varying levels of sophistication in mediation.
- Use of superior communication, negotiation, analytical and conflict resolution skills.
- Maintain absolute confidence and privacy of clients.

### **De Vos & Co. PLLC, New York, NY**

*Attorney*, 2014 – 2016

- Worked remotely, with limited supervision, for Adjunct Professor of Law at Georgetown University Law Center and Senior Partner at international tax boutique specializing in international tax planning and controversy.
- Researched and drafted legal memoranda and briefs in connection with controversy and litigation matters.
- Prepared legal strategies and arguments in connection with test case.

### **Schwartz & Ballen LLP, Washington, DC**

*Associate*, 2010 – 2013

- Advised clients in the financial services industry on regulatory compliance matters relating to consumer protection, data security and licensing.
- Reviewed and drafted updates to anti-money laundering, privacy and error-resolution policies and procedures.
- Negotiated directly with state banking examiners regarding compliance matters and examinations of money transmitters.
- Analyzed existing and proposed payment products and services and drafted advisory memoranda to banking clients.

### **Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson LLP, Washington, DC**

*Associate*, 2007 – 2009

- Worked primarily on matters for New York-based private equity and hedge fund sponsors, with a focus on private equity fund formation.
- Drafted offering memoranda, limited partnership agreements and related formation documents for the formation and marketing of private equity and hedge funds.
- Interfaced with offshore counsel in vetting operating agreements for compliance with local law.

### **American University, Washington College of Law, Washington, DC**

*Research Assistant*, 2005 – 2006

- Researched and wrote scholarly articles on various topics, including academic freedom for students and faculty.
- Drafted proposals for changes to university policies and procedures.

## **EDUCATION**

**Georgetown University Law Center**, Washington, DC  
*LL.M., Taxation*, May 2014

**American University Washington College of Law**, Washington, DC  
*J.D., cum laude*, May 2007  
Note & Comment Editor, American University Law Review (“AULR”)  
Ira P. Robbins Award for Outstanding Contribution to AULR

**Fordham University**, Bronx, NY  
*B.A., Philosophy*, May 2003

## **LICENSE & CERTIFICATIONS**

- Member, District of Columbia Bar, 2008
- Credentialed Mediator, Texas Mediator Credentialing Association, 2017
- 40 Hour Basic Mediation Certificate, The Dispute Resolution Center of Austin, TX, 2016
- Advanced Mediation, University of Texas Center for Public Policy Dispute Resolution, 2018
- Workplace Mediation Training, Mediate.com, 2018

## **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Mediator, The Dispute Resolution Center of Austin, Texas, 2017 – Present

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Association of Attorney – Mediators  
Austin Mediators Association  
Austin Bar Association – ADR & Employment Sections  
American Bar Association – Dispute Resolution Section  
Texas Association of Mediators