

MEREDITH A. JURY, BANKRUPTCY JUDGE
United States Bankruptcy Court
Central District of California
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Riverside, California 92501
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Current Employment

United State Bankruptcy Judge, Central District of California, Riverside Division
1997-current
Panel Member, Ninth Circuit Bankruptcy Appellate Panel, Sept. 2007-current

Professional Employment

Best Best & Krieger LLP
3750 University Avenue
Riverside, California 92501
(909) 686-1450

1976 - November 21, 1997; Partner 1982
Managing Partner, Ontario Office 1991 - November 21, 1997
Chair, Litigation Department 1985-1986
Chair, Bankruptcy Section 1979-1996

Bar Memberships

California 1976
United States District Court for
Central District of California, 1976
Southern District of California, 1982
Eastern District of California, 1992
Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, 1982

Professional Organizations

San Bernardino County Bar Association, Board of Directors, 1992-1993

San Bernardino County Bar MCLE Committee, 1991-1994

Inland Empire Bankruptcy Forum, Secretary 1992;
Vice-President 1993-1994; Board of Directors 1992-1994

American Inns of Court, Riverside Chapter, 1992-1994

Member of various committees, Riverside County Bar Association, 1976-1997

Judicial Arbitrator, Riverside County Superior Court, 1980-1997

Settlement Now, Board of Directors, 1992-1994

Federal Bar Association, Inland Empire Chapter
Member of Board of Directors, 1996-2006
Secretary 1999-2002
President 2002-2003

Community Organizations

Founding officer and director, Riverside County Coalition for Alternatives to Domestic Violence, 1978-1980

Philanthropist of the Year, 1990

Member, Riverside County Mental Health Advisory Board, 1980-1985

National Organization for Women

Sierra Club

Riverside YWCA Woman of Achievement, 1993

Riverside City Parking, Traffic, and Streets Commission 1999-2006

Mayor's Commission on Aging, 2006-2008

Professional Educator

Moderator, San Bernardino County Bar MCLE Panel "Bankruptcy for Non-Bankruptcy Attorneys", 1992

Panelist, Orange County Federal Bar Association "The Impact of Bankruptcy on Complex Litigation", 1993

Lecturer, University of California - Riverside
Paralegal Courses

Teach Writing for Lawyers, Best Best & Krieger LLP, 1991-1995

Moderator, San Bernardino County Bar MCLE Panel "Commercial Leases: Foreclosures and Bankruptcy", 1993

Panelist, CEB Course on Landslide and Flood Litigation, 1995

Panel Member, Inland Empire Bankruptcy Forum Consumer Update, 1997-2015

Numerous educational programs for local bar groups and Board of Judges, 1997-2016

Member of Task Force for Credit Education in High Schools, C.D. CA, current

Panelist, Chapter 9 and Receiverships, California Receivership Forum, 2013

Panelist, Chapter 9, ABI Spring Conference, 2013

Panelist, BAP appeals and other matters, Montana State CLE conference, Butte, MT, 2013

Program for Central District Consumer Bankruptcy Attorney Association on 9th Circuit and BAP cases, 2011, 2013, 2016

Numerous other educational programs put on by BAP, 2007-2016

Education

University of Colorado (Boulder)
B.A. 1969 (English)
Phi Beta Kappa, Cum Laude

University of Wisconsin (Madison)
M.A. 1971 (Economics)
M.S. 1972 (English/Education)

University of California - Los Angeles
J.D. 1976

Other Work Experience

U.S. Bureau of the Census, Suitland, MD
Computer Programmer 1969-1970

Wisconsin Division of Corrections, Madison, WI
System Analyst 1972-1974

Professional Career (as lawyer)

Civil litigation with emphasis in creditors' rights and bankruptcy, representation of chapter 7 and 11 trustees in bankruptcy proceedings, state court receivership actions, public law, environmental, natural resources, toxins, eminent domain, civil rights, real property, and business disputes. Tried more than 50 court and jury trials. Considerable experience in administrative procedures, including due process evidentiary hearings.

