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LAW RELATED EMPLOYMENT:

Polivy, Lowry & Clayton, LLC f/k/a Polivy, Taschner, Lowry & Clayton; Hartford, Connecticut 06103
Attorney, August 2015 – present

Engaged in the general practice of commercial and corporate law, including complex commercial litigation, computers, bankruptcy, uniform commercial code, and international law.

Brown & Welsh, P.C.; Meriden, Connecticut 06450

Attorney, February, 1993 – August 2015

Engaged in the general practice of commercial and corporate law, including complex commercial litigation, computers, bankruptcy, uniform commercial code, and international law. Chair of litigation department from February 1993 to 2015.

Tarlow, Levy & Droney, P.C. f/k/a Tarlow, Levy, Mandell & Kostin; Farmington, Connecticut 06034

Attorney, September, 1983 - February, 1993

Engaged in the general practice of commercial and corporate law, including complex commercial litigation, computers, bankruptcy, uniform commercial code, business agreements, banking, and international law. Chair of litigation department from May 1992 through February 1993.

University of Connecticut School of Law; Hartford, Connecticut 06105.

Lecturer in International Commercial Law and International Commercial Arbitration, Spring 1990-1995; 1999-2002; Spring 2019; Spring 2020; Spring 2021.

U.S. District Judge William M. Acker, Jr.; Birmingham, Alabama 35203.

Law Clerk, September 1982 - July 1983.

EDUCATION:

National Institute of Trial Advocacy
Certificate, 1988.

Yale Law School; New Haven, Connecticut 06520
Visiting Scholar 1981 - 1982.

Hague Academy of International Law; The Hague, The Netherlands
Certificate in Private International Law (equivalent to Conflict of Laws), July 1981 and July 1982.
Charles A. Dana Fellow in International and Comparative Law, July 1981.

University of Cambridge; Cambridge, England
Bachelor of Law in International Law with Honors, June 1981; LLM in October 1998.
Courses included: Law of the Sea (Dr. G. Marston), Law of Peace (Judge Sir Robert Y. Jennings),
International Institutions (Judge Sir Christopher Greenwood, Sir Elihu Lauterpacht and
Clive Parry), Law of War (Clive Parry and John Hopkins) and European Economic
Community Law (Prof. Kurt Lipstein, P.J. Allott and Mrs. E. Freeman)..

Gonzaga University School of Law; Spokane, Washington 99258
Juris Doctor *cum laude*, May 1980.
Member: Board of Regents (Finance & Audit Committee).

University of Connecticut; Storrs, Connecticut 06268
Master of Business Administration, May 1980.

Pitzer College (a Claremont College); Claremont, California 91711
Bachelor of Arts in Political Studies and Psychology, June 1976.
Thesis: Basic Civil Rights of Institutionalized Mental Patients.

PUBLISHED BOOK:

Critical Documents Sourcebook Annotated: International Commercial Law and Arbitration, Little, Brown
& Company, Boston, 1991.

PUBLISHED ARTICLES:

"Should you include an arbitration clause in your engagement agreement?" Connecticut Lawyer
September/October 2018, page 26.

"Enforcing International Judgments" GP Solo April/May 2010 page 34.

"How do I get my stolen domain name back?" Connecticut CPA Magazine, July-August 2007, volume 48,
page 12.

"Survey of 2004-2005 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 79 Connecticut Bar Journal 131
(2005).

"Connecticut and International Law," 12 ILSA Journal of International and Comparative Law 575 (2006).

"Recent Developments in International Commercial Arbitration," 10 ILSA Journal of International and
Comparative Law 335 (2004).

"Survey of 2002-2003 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 77 Connecticut Bar Journal 171
(2003).

"Survey of 2000-2001 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 76 Connecticut Bar Journal 217
(2002).

"Early Implementation of the 1988 UNCITRAL Bills and Notes Convention" published as a chapter of
"Legal Harmonization in the Americas: Business Transactions, Bijuralism and the OAS",
published by the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States, ISBN 0-8270-4424-
0, 2002.

"Recent Developments in the International Law of the Sea," 35 International Lawyer 787 (2001).

"Survey of 1999 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 74 Connecticut Bar Journal 406

- (2000).
- "Survey of 1998 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 73 Connecticut Bar Journal 339 (1999).
- "1996 United Nations Commission on International Trade Law Model Law on Electronic Commerce and Guide to Enactment" 5 ILSA Journal of International & Comparative Law 433 (1999).
- "So your client wants to engage in deep seabed mining..." 5 ILSA Journal of International & Comparative Law 325 (1999).
- "Survey of 1997 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 72 Connecticut Bar Journal 364 (1998).
- "Survey of 1996 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 71 Connecticut Bar Journal 185 (1997).
- "Survey of 1995 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 70 Connecticut Bar Journal 68 (1996).
- "Survey of 1994 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 69 Connecticut Bar Journal 143 (1995).
- "Survey of 1993 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 68 Connecticut Bar Journal 222 (1994).
- "Survey of 1992 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 67 Connecticut Bar Journal 141 (1993).
- "Survey of 1991 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 66 Connecticut Bar Journal 64 (1992).
- "Foreign Legal Consultants in Connecticut," 16 International Legal Practitioner 115 (1991).
- "Survey of 1990 Developments in International Law in Connecticut," 65 Connecticut Bar Journal 70 (1991).
- "The United States Joins the Inter-American Arbitration Convention," 7 Journal of International Arbitration 83 (1990).
- "Transborder Data Flow: Public and Private International Law Aspects," 6 Houston Journal of International Law 159 (1984).
- "Does Computer Stored Data Constitute a Writing for the Purposes of the Statute of Frauds and the Statute of Wills?" 9 Rutgers Computer and Technology Law Journal 93 (1982).
- "Release of Medical Records," Connecticut Medicine, Vol 44, No. 2, page 103 (1980).
- "Normalization: A Revolutionary Approach," 20 Jurimetrics Journal 140 (1979). (Published by ABA section of Science & Technology).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

- American Arbitration Association's Commercial and International Panels of Arbitrators (certified as a large complex case arbitrator and member, Prudential Policyholders Appeals Committee).
- American Bar Association (ADR Section [Co-Chair, International Arbitration subcommittee, 1994-2000],

Antitrust, International [Vice Chair of Law of the Sea Committee 1993-1994 and 1999-2001, Chair 1994-1997, Council Member 1997-1998; 2017-2023], and Science & Technology sections).
American Law Institute (Members consultative committees on Uniform Commercial Code Article 4A-Wire Transfers, Uniform Commercial Code Articles 3 & 4-Bills & Notes, Restatement Third on The United States Law of International Commercial Arbitration, Restatement Third on Trusts, Intellectual Property: Principles Governing Jurisdiction, Choice of Law, and Judgments in Transnational Disputes, Transnational Insolvency: Cooperation Among the NAFTA Countries, ALI/UNIDROIT Principles of Transnational Civil Procedure, Federal Judicial Code Revision Project, Restatement Third on Agency, Restatement on Suretyship, and Restatement on International Commercial Arbitration).
American Society of International Law (Patron).
Chartered Institute of Arbitrators-Fellow and Chartered Arbitrator (London, England) (#11048); Panel Appointment Certificate effective through April 30, 2014
Connecticut Bar Association (member, House of Delegates 2017-2020; ADR* [Chair: 2012-2014, Legislative Committee Chair, 1993-1995, 2000 and 2004-2006], Computer Law* [Chair 1991-1993, 1999-2000, 2001-2002, Vice Chair 1986-1989, Legislative Committee Chair 1997-1998], International Law & World Peace* [Chair 1987-1990, 1994-1997 and 2005-2014, Vice-Chair 1990-1994 and 1997-2005], and Commercial Law & Bankruptcy [Treasurer 1984-86, Legislative Committee Chair 1986-1998] sections).
Connecticut Law Revision Commission's Advisory Committees on Uniform Commercial Code Article II-A (personal property leasing), Uniform Commercial Code Article VI (bulk sales), Connecticut Evidence Code and Connecticut Electronic Record & Signature Act.
District of Columbia Bar Association.
eResolution arbitration panel for domain name disputes (2000-2001).
International Law Association (Treasurer 2012-present; Secretary 2008-present, Executive committee member 2006-present, Commercial Arbitration Committee [1990-2000] and International Commercial Law Committee [Chair 1990-2012]).
Asian Domain Name Dispute Resolution Center (domain name dispute panel).
The Honorable Society of Gray's Inn (London, England).
Liveryman, Worshipful Company of Arbitrators (London, England).
Freeman, City of London

PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Connecticut Secretary of the State's Public Service Award, May 2003
Member, Secretary of State's Advisory Committee on Private International Law, 1996-present.
Member, North American Law Working Group, United Nations Centre for Trade Facilitation and Electronic Business, 2000-2001.
American Bar Association's representative to United Nations Economic and Social Council, 2002-2010.
NGO Observer, 36th UNCITRAL Session, Working Group II (Arbitration), 2002-present.
Member, Free Trade Area of the Americas Experts Committee on Electronic Commerce, 2000-2001.
Member, United States International Telecommunication Advisory Committee (ITAC), 1998-2000.
Member, United Nations Congress on Public International Law (1995).
Member, UNCITRAL Congress on International Commercial Law in the 21st Century (1992).
Chairman's Award of Merit, CBA Section of International Law & World Peace (1992).

DIRECTOR:

American Branch of the International Law Association (2012-present)
Colonel Daniel Putnam Association.
Lawyers Without Borders, Inc. (2002-2011)

ELECTED OFFICE:

Avon Board of Education 2004-2005 and 2008-2019. Secretary 2009- 2011. Chair 2016-2017.

