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Education

Law School/Year: University of California, Hastings College of the Law/1975

College/Year: San Diego State University/1972

Bar admissions

California

Practice areas

Business Litigation, Civil Litigation, Insurance, Legal Malpractice, Patent, Trademark and Copyright

Major cases you have participated in

Successfully defended National University in large wrongful termination suit by founding employee of the university.

Successfully defended a national law firm in large legal malpractice claim by former physician client.

Successfully defended Texaco in claim by gas station operator for termination of his leasehold interest in station alleged to have been on basis of discrimination — medical and otherwise.

Successfully prosecuted Union Tribune Publishing for wrongful termination of 27-year management employee; \$800,000 verdict.

Successfully prosecuted claim by man beaten outside massage parlor — \$1 million settlement post — verdict and before commencement of punitive damages phase of trial.

Successfully prosecuted claim by passenger in vehicle driven by defendant under the influence of alcohol — \$1,500,000 settlement following jury selection.

Professional background

Joined predecessor firm to Neil, Dymott in 1976 and served as insurance defense trial lawyer for 10 years. Co-founded Edwards, White & Sooy in 1986 specializing in civil litigation. Formed what is now White & Oliver in 1996 continuing to specialize in civil litigation.

Tried nearly 100 cases to jury verdict.

Professional affiliations

Admitted to membership in American Board of Advocates in 1983, holding the rank of advocate. Member of Association of Southern California Defense Counsel (former member, board of directors). Member of San Diego Defense Lawyers Association (former member, board of directors) and recipient of 2002 Defense Lawyer of the Year award. Member of Association of Business Trial Lawyers (former member of board of directors). Listed in Best Lawyers in America for many years. Rated AV by Martindale-Hubbell Law Directory for two decades.

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