

Leslie (Davisson) Mattingly C.V. Mediator – Saint Simons Island, Georgia

Attorney, Mediator

Self Employed - Law, Mediation

Drake University Law School

Saint Simons Island, Georgia

PROFESSION

Attorney, Mediator, Fmr Master Commissioner/Judicial Officer

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL

U.S. Supreme Court (1989).

State of Georgia: Superior Court, Ga Supreme Ct, Ga Court of Appeals (2003).

U.S. Federal Dist. Court, N. District of Georgia. (2003).

U.S. Federal Dist. Court, S. District of Georgia. (1998).

Supreme Court of the State of Indiana. (1984).

U.S. Federal Dist. Court, S. District of Indiana.(1984).

Certified: Civil and Family Mediation, State of Indiana, 1993, 1994, 1998.

Certified: Civil Mediation, State of Georgia, 2008.

Certified: Domestic Mediation, State of Georgia, 2009.

National Institute of Trial Advocacy, 1991.

AFFILIATIONS OF SPECIAL NOTE

Advis. Council The Conservation Trust of Puerto Rico

BOT The Georgia Conservancy.

BOD Natl. Parks NY Harbor Conservancy

Advis. Council St. Simons Island Land Trust.

2005-Present, actively involved with the PR Conservation Trust in a variety of rolls in both Ecological Conservation & Historic Preservation.

2004-2012 : The GA Dept of Natural Resources Marsh & Shoreline Protection Committees.

2015, performed as Soprano Soloist, Beethoven's Ninth Symphony, Conductor Luis Haza, w/ Coastal Symph. GA.

2011 to present performed Soprano Vocal) in recital, classical & contemporary music in German, Italian, French, Portuguese & English.

2003-2010 served on Judicial Nominations Commission, GA Governor Sonny Perdue – to recommend candidates for Judicial positions at all state levels.

2001 served on Pres. GW Bush committee to recommend candidates for Federal Judge, US Attorney and US

Marshall positions from within the State of Georgia.

1989, launched a successful community wide effort to "save", protect, and restore an historic "Atmospheric Theater" in Anderson IN.

Rotary International 1991-present. Current Club: St. Simons Island, GA PP Anderson, IN, PP St. Simons Island, GA. Dist. 6920 2017-2018 Dist Gov.'s Communications Asst.

Experience

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Attorney, Mediator, Fmr. Judicial Officer

Company Name Self Employed - Law, Mediation

Dates Employed 1984 – Present

Employment Duration 33 yrs

Attorney: Georgia (2003), Indiana (1984). In private practice IN; Davisson & Davisson Attnys PC (1984-1998) : Corporate, Estates, Juvenile, Family and Domestic law. Certified in Civil and Domestic Mediation in Indiana (1993, 1994) and Georgia (2008, 2009). Master Commissioner, Madison Superior Court, Division I, Anderson IN;(1988 to 1998). Judge Pro Tem in Superior Court Div. I, II, & III, Madison County Court, Divisions I & II, Anderson City Court, (Indiana) (1985-1998). Criminal Magistrate, Unified Courts 1990-1992.

As a member of the State Bar Committee for Family & Juvenile Law, helped implement a highly successful statewide youth Conflict Resolution program, "Project Peace". Also served as a trainer of elementary and middle school students across Indiana to mediate and trained school teachers in supervision and further training of students.

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Environment and Conservation Leadership Support

Company Name Self Employed (conservation policy)

Dates Employed 1998 – Present

Employment Duration 19 yrs

Location Georgia, Puerto Rico, New York

Beginning in approximately 1998 I have worked extensively in the areas of Conservation and The Environment, both in the State of Georgia (State and local levels, New York City, and in Puerto Rico. Experience includes Board work, individual efforts in a variety of roles, as well as legislative advocacy efforts on Local, State and National levels on behalf of National Conservation groups as well as the PR Conservation Trust.

From 2004-2012 : I served, by appointment of the Governor of Georgia and the Department of Natural Resources Board, on The GA Dept of Natural Resources Marsh & Shoreline Protection Committees.

From 2005-Present, I have been actively involved with the Conservation Trust of Puerto Rico (Para la Naturaleza) in a variety of rolls in both Ecological Conservation & Historic Preservation. I currently serve on their Advisory Council .

I am a member of the Board of Trustees of The Georgia Conservancy, and am a member of the Board of Directors of the National Parks of New York Harbor Conservancy.

I also (since approximately 2008) serve as a member of the Advisory Council St. Simons Island Land Trust.

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Para La Naturaleza - The Conservation Trust of Puerto Rico - Advisory Council Member

Company Name Para la Naturaleza

Dates Employed Aug 2013 – Present

Employment Duration 4 yrs 3 mos

Location Puerto Rico

The Conservation Trust of Puerto Rico is a private non-profit institution and its mission is to protect and enhance the resources and natural beauty of Puerto Rico. The Trust acquires and receives as donations natural areas and the constitution of conservation areas in private lands, among other mechanisms. As a part of its mission, the Trust develops education programs aimed at promoting actions that will lead to the protection and conservation of natural areas. The Trust also has a husbandry program to propagate and distribute native tree species of Puerto Rico to preserve the island's biodiversity.

- Georgia Conservancy Board of Trustees**

Company Name Georgia Conservancy

Dates Employed Feb 2013 – Present

Employment Duration 4 yrs 9 mos

Location Atlanta, Georgia

The Georgia Conservancy strives to protect Georgia's natural resources by advocating sound environmental policies, advancing sustainable growth practices and facilitating common-ground solutions to environmental challenges

- Rotary International (Clubs: Anderson IN and St. Simons Island GA) - Member, PP both clubs, active**

Company Name Rotary International

Dates Employed 1990 – Present

Employment Duration 27 yrs

Location Anderson Indiana and St Simons Island Georgia

Rotary District 6920, (Eastern Georgia) 2017-2018 Communications Assistant to DG Elect Hamsa Thota, Membership Chairman, 2002-2003, Literacy Comm. 2004-2006
St. Simons Island Rotary Club. Member 1999-2006, and 2016 to present.
Board of Directors 1999-2001 & 2003-2006, President 2004-2005.
Multiple Paul Harris Fellow

Rotary District 6560 - Central Indiana, Anderson Indiana Rotary Club. Anderson Noon Club 1990-to 1999, Board of Directors 1995-1998, President 1997-1998, President-Elect 1996-1997, Secretary 1995-1996. Paul Harris Fellow, 1996

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Community Philanthropic Work

Company Name Saint Simons Island, GA

Dates Employed 1998 – Present

Employment Duration 19 yrs

In 2012, in partnership with Pianist Terry Readdick, presented a vocal performance of classical music in both German & Portuguese at a St. Simons Island concert on behalf of The Mozart Society to raise money for music scholarships for gifted local music students to further their training and education.

Active in the community in a wide variety of positions including: President of the St. Simons Island Rotary Club, President of CASA Glynn BOD, Founding President of the Coastal Symphony of Georgia Society, President of the Christ Church Frederica ECW, board member St. Simons Island Library and of the Brunswick - Three Rivers Library system, St Simons Island Land Trust Advisory Board, and others.

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Vocal Performance

Company Name Music

Dates Employed 1974 – Present

Employment Duration 43 yrs

Extensive background and study in music, vocal performance, studying at Anderson College, Indiana University, Drake University, the Wisconsin Conservatory of Music, Iowa State University, Anderson University, and in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

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National Parks of New York Harbor Conservancy - Board Of Directors

Company Name <http://www.nyharborparks.org/conservancy/>

Dates Employed Sep 2016 – Present

Employment Duration 1 yr 2 mos

Location New York City, NY

The National Parks of New York Harbor Conservancy is the primary nonprofit partner of the National Parks of New York Harbor (NPNH)—a division of the National Park Service that stewards 10 national parks with 22 destinations in the NY/NJ Metropolitan Area - including of specific note, restoration and programming of Federal Hall, location of the First American Congress and inauguration of President George Washington.

Our shared goals are natural and cultural resource protection, improving access to parks, enhancing the visitor experience and expanding park funding through philanthropy and earned revenue. To date, we have raised or generated over \$15 million for park programs and major projects.

The organization supports interpretive experiences at its Manhattan historic sites as well as free recreation programs in Queens, Brooklyn and Staten Island. Currently, their two main initiatives are The Federal Hall Project and America's Largest Urban Campground.

Their mission is to create for the people an unrivaled vehicle to preserve the environment, promote economic development and create on New York Harbor the finest urban waterfront recreation and educational national park system in the world.

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Conservation & Preservation Advocate Volunteer

Company Name Para la Naturaleza

Dates Employed 2003 – Present

Employment Duration 14 yrs

Location Puerto Rico

From 2003, as my husband served as Trustee of the PR Conservation Trust, I became actively involved with him in the work and support of the Trust and its many projects encompassing both Ecological Conservation and Historic Preservation. Over those 8 years, I gained vast knowledge and experience in

both areas while learning from and participating in Trust Programs and activities. These experiences and endeavors significantly supplemented prior and current activities in both Historic Preservation and Ecological Conservation, as well as in project management & development in Georgia, Indiana and elsewhere.

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Marsh & Shoreline Protection Committees

Company Name Georgia Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Resources Division

Dates Employed 2002 – Dec 2012

Employment Duration 10 yrs

Location <http://www.gadnr.org/insideDNR>

In accordance with the GA Marsh and Shoreline Protection Act, these committees review and approve or deny a wide range of permitting applications on activities which impact marsh or shoreline environments within the State of Georgia.

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Commission Member

Company Name Judicial Nominations Commission - Governor Sonny Perdue

Dates Employed 2002 – 2010

Employment Duration 8 yrs

Commission members are appointed by the Governor to interview candidates for open Judicial positions at every level in the state of Georgia. Typically, the committee interviews all candidates for a specific position and then recommends a "short list" to the Governor for further consideration and decision. Commission members serve at the will of the Governor, in an advisory capacity.

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Founding Principal, Board Member, Officer

Company Name Anderson Paramount Theatre & Ballroom

Dates Employed May 1989 – Sep 1998

Employment Duration 9 yrs 5 mos

Location Anderson, Indiana <http://www.andersonparamount.org>

Along with Jim Abraham and Bill Hardacre, founded this community wide effort to save, preserve and restore one of only 13 remaining historic atmospheric theaters in the US. This huge project in turn inspired other community historic restoration projects.

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Judicial Officer

Company Name Madison County IN Government Center

Dates Employed 1988 – Aug 1998

Employment Duration 10 yrs

Master Commissioner, Madison Superior Court, Division I, Anderson IN; 1988 to 1998. Judicial Officer, serving generally as an Assistant Judge, Also served as Judge Pro Tem in Superior Court Div. I Criminal Magistrate, appointed by the Madison County IN, Unified Courts and Circuit Court 1990-1992. Judge Pro Tem, Madison Superior Court, Division I, Division II, Division III, as well as Madison County Court, Divisions I and II, and the Anderson City Court, Anderson IN approx. 1985-1998. Appointed extensively by approximately 7 Judges in the various Courts to cover the full range of judicial responsibilities during their absence, including typical daily civil and criminal proceedings of every nature, as well as juvenile hearings and determinations, including both juvenile crime and CHINS cases (Children in Need of Services) : 1988-1998.

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Attorney

Company Name Davisson & Davisson, Attnys PC

Dates Employed Dec 1983 – Aug 1998

Employment Duration 14 yrs 9 mos

General Civil Law Practice emphasized Corporate, Estates, Juvenile, Family and Domestic law. Also, real estate, personal injury and collections. Personal focus on issues involving children and juvenile law. Was certified in Indiana in both Civil and Domestic Mediation.

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Community Philanthropic work

Company Name Anderson, IN

Dates Employed 1984 – 1998

Employment Duration 14 yrs

Extremely active in the community serving on a wide variety of non-profit boards and positions including: founding officer and board of the Madison County Arts Council, officer and board member Anderson Symphony Orchestra, founder, officer and board member Paramount Heritage Foundation, Member and Past President Anderson Rotary Club, Quality Assurance Committee, St. John's Hospital, President of Advisory Board of Anderson Salvation Army, Board President of Anderson Area Children's Choir, and others.

Education

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Drake University Law School

Degree Name JD

Field Of Study Law

Dates attended or expected graduation 1981 – 1984



Drake University

Degree Name BS

Field Of Study Business Admin., Music:Vocal Perf.

Dates attended or expected graduation 1978 – 1980



Indiana University Bloomington

Field Of Study Business Admin., Private Music Inst.

Dates attended or expected graduation 1976 – 1978