### Ian R. Leavengood C.V. Mediator – Tampa, Florida

# Counselor, Advocate, Strategist & Entrepreneur

Leavengood, Dauval, Boyle, & Meyer, P.A.

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Tampa/St. Petersburg, Florida

Tracing its roots back to 1972, Leaven Law has extensive experience in Debtor-Creditor law and consumer and commercial bankruptcies, representing thousands of clients in the Middle District of Florida. The Firm also has extensive experience in complex commercial litigation representing small business owners to state-wide general contractors to national foreclosure prevention organizations. Lastly, the Firm's consumer department helps individuals with their real estate, short sale, mortgage foreclosure and title transactions, as well as with personal injury, criminal defense and consumer class action litigation.

# **Experience**

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#### **Founder & Chief Executive Officer**

Company Name Leavengood, Dauval, Boyle, & Meyer, P.A.

Dates Employed Nov 2004 – Present

**Employment Duration 13 yrs** 

Location St. Petersburg, FL

Leavengood, Dauval, Boyle, & Meyer, P.A. ("LeavenLaw") is a boutique litigation firm with significant experience assisting consumer and small businesses with business disputes, bankrtupcy, debtorcreditor law, collections, creditor harassment, credit reporting, class actions, foreclosures, short sales, title, personal injuries/accidents and criminal defense. LeavenLaw also has considerable experience and success assisting individuals with their probate, wills, trusts, estates and asset protection needs. www.LeavenLaw.com 1-855-Leaven-Law

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### **Founding Mediator**

**Company Name Middle Ground Mediation Group** 

<u>Dates Employed Apr 2011 – Present</u>

**Employment Duration 6 yrs 7 mos** 

Location Tampa/St. Petersburg, Florida Area

Middle Ground Mediation Group ("MGMG") is comprised of experienced attorneys with dozens of years of experience handling thousands of contested or litigated matters that involve Consumer, Commercial, Real Estate, Personal Injury, Bankruptcy, Foreclosure, and Insurance disputes in both Federal and State court. The mediators at MGMG have the advantage of having negotiated favorable results for their clients as advocates and bring that like-minded approach as neutrals to assist parties in resolving their disputes, quickly, efficiently and in a cost-effective manner.

Co-Founder, General Manager & General Counsel

Company Name Collateral Bankruptcy Services, LLC

<u>Dates Employed Oct 2015 – Present</u>

**Employment Duration 2 yrs 1 mo** 

Location Tampa/St. Petersburg, Florida Area

Collateral Bankruptcy Services, LLC ("CBS") is a professional services firm that provides Bankruptcy Trustees, Debtor Attorneys and Debtors with services incident to the bankruptcy process. Whether it is lawfully and appropriately acquiring, securing, noticing and storing surrendered collateral or consulting with debtor attorneys on improving practice process and profitability, CBS offers value and profit potential where previously there was none.

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### **Manager**

Company Name Deloitte & Touche, LLP

<u>Dates Employed May 2000 – Jun 2003</u>

**Employment Duration 3 yrs 2 mos** 

**Location New York, NY** 

#### TAX MANAGER, SPECIAL SEPARATION SERVICES

- Chosen to serve as a member of the cross functional team charged with overseeing the \$2.5B roll-up and separation of Deloitte Consulting from Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu.
- Modeled several post separation equity dilution scenarios for both the U.S. and Global D&T firms.
- Drafted questionnaire and worked with firm industry and service line leaders to identify both third party and internally developed intellectual property.
- Assisted General Counsel's Office in analyzing licensee contracts to identify and resolve post separation conflict issues. Further assisted in ownership analysis and the negotiation of post separation cross licensing of internally developed intellectual property.

#### SENIOR TAX CONSULTANT, SPECIAL ACQUISITION SERVICES;

- Served as a member of Deloitte & Touche's Mergers & Acquisitions (M&A) team focused exclusively on Kohlberg, Kravis & Roberts (KKR).
- Firm wide, one of only two entry-level associates selected to the KKR team.
- Performed research, due diligence and post-acquisition integration services for various potential KKR leveraged buyout investments.
- Drafted IRS correspondence (pre-submission conference memos; private letter ruling requests; etc.) for Borden Chemical spin-off transaction valued in excess of \$425.0 M.



# **Business Development Conultant**

Company Name Procter & Gamble, Inc.

Dates Employed May 1995 - Aug 1997

#### **Employment Duration 2 yrs 4 mos**

#### **Location Cincinnati, OH**

#### TECHNOLOGY PROJECT MANAGER

- Ivestigated, negotiated and established the protocol for use of Survey Tracker software within North American P&G Sales.
- Improved survey response times for over four thousand individuals from 6-8 weeks to 3-5 days and increased individual response rates by 30%.
- Served as member of multi-media, intranet access pilot team charged with developing the P&G intranet and the protocol for its use within the national Customer Business Development teams.
- Served as national liaison for 250 technology lead users and developed and implemented lead users' training on new and existing technologies via the net.

#### CUSTOMER BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CONSULTANT

- Managed P&G's paper, food, beverage, soap, health and beauty care products for 4 Publix Regional Directors, 11 Publix District

Managers and 200 Publix retail outlets in Central Florida.

- Interviewed and worked with Publix employees at all levels to understand their current business processes, objectives, and business requirements; From this information, we collectively defined "success," gathered salient

information at retail and HQ, and test marketed different plans in the field. Test marketing led to the implementation of four Quality Improvement

Processes surrounding Efficient Consumer Response (ECR) at Publix.

- Efforts resulted in systemic improvements with potential aggregate cost savings of \$85M.

### **Education**

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## **University of Florida - Fredric G. Levin College of Law**

Degree Name Doctor of Law (JD)

Field Of Study Law

Dates attended or expected graduation 1997 – 2000



# <u>University of Florida - Warrington College of Business Administration</u>

<u>Degree Name Master's degree (MAcc)</u>

Field Of Study Accounting

<u>Dates attended or expected graduation 1993 – 1995</u>



# **University of Florida - Warrington College of Business Administration**

Degree Name BS

Field Of Study Accounting

<u>Dates attended or expected graduation 1989 – 1993</u>

<u>Activities and Societies: Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity, Florida Blue Key, University of Florida Hall of Fame; Outstanding Male Graduate</u>

### **Boca Ciega High School**

<u>Degree Name High School Diploma</u>

<u>Dates attended or expected graduation 1986 – 1989</u>