

Douglas Lawrence C.V. Mediator – Monroe, Louisiana

Partner at The Lawrence Law Firm, LLC & The Lawrence Mediation Group, LLC

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Southern University Law Center

Monroe, Louisiana

Trial attorney and transactional counsel. General counsel to the Monroe City School Board (Louisiana) since 1997. City Attorney for the City of Bastrop, Louisiana since 1997. Civil, Commercial and Employment Mediator. Listed on the approved registry of Mediators maintained by the Alternative Dispute Resolution Section of the Louisiana State Bar Association. Licensed to practice law before all Louisiana Courts, the United States District Court for the Western and Eastern Districts of Louisiana, and the United States Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Experience

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Partner & Mediator

Company Name The Lawrence Law Firm, LLC & The Lawrence Mediation Group, LLC

Dates Employed Jan 1991 – Present

Employment Duration 26 yrs 10 mos

Location Monroe, Louisiana

Litigation & Transactional Attorney. Professional Mediator. Work devoted exclusively to commercial litigation, insurance and casualty defense, governmental affairs, contracting, construction law, municipal law, school law, hospital law and corporate governance. Civil, commercial and employment mediation. General counsel to the Monroe City School District (Louisiana). City attorney for the City of Bastrop, Louisiana.

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Assistant District Attorney

Company Name Office of the District Attorney {Fourth Judicial District of Louisiana}

Dates Employed May 1989 – Apr 1997

Employment Duration 8 yrs

Location Bastrop, Louisiana & Monroe, Louisiana

Criminal Prosecutor--Felony, misdemeanor, juvenile and support enforcement proceedings. Felony criminal jury trials and extensive criminal motion practice involving broad range of criminal offenses including homicide, robbery, sex offenses, drugs and DWI. Grand jury practice. Appellate practice. Legal advisor to the Morehouse Parish Police Jury.

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Staff Attorney

Company Name North Louisiana Legal Assistance Corporation

Dates Employed Jul 1987 – Apr 1989

Employment Duration 1 yr 10 mos

Location Monroe, Louisiana

Trial attorney and legal counsel for indigent persons of low income or no income in civil legal proceedings and civil disputes involving consumer rights, housing rights, family law, income maintenance and Social Security disability. Municipal, state and federal court litigation. Appellate practice.

Education

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Southern University Law Center

Degree Name Doctor of Law (J.D.)

Field Of Study Law

Dates attended or expected graduation 1985 – 1987

Activities and Societies: Southern University Law Review--Associate Editor

Associate Editor, Southern University Law Review

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Southeastern Louisiana University

Degree Name Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

Field Of Study Political Science and Government

Dates attended or expected graduation 1981 – 1984