

GAYLE L. ESKRIDGE, MEDIATOR

I have been an attorney for over 30 years. Until recently, I had a hybrid practice – I represented my own clients in litigation, in the areas of employment, real estate, and business law. I also worked as an arbitrator and mediator in those same areas of the law. I have now stopped accepting private clients and work full-time as a mediator and arbitrator. I have offices in both Northern and Southern California, and I travel all the time, sometimes even to other states, mediating and arbitrating cases. I also conduct mediations and arbitrations via video conference. As of January 2023, I had conducted over 250 mediations.

I have been on the American Arbitration Association Employment and Commercial mediator and arbitrator panels for over 20 years. I have also served as a Settlement Conference Officer for the Los Angeles Superior Court, and as a Member of the Los Angeles Superior Court Mediator Panel. I am Professional Member of the Southern California Mediation Association and a Senior Mediator with Mediate.com. I am also a Mediator with the National Institute for Advanced Conflict Resolution. I am certified by the Los Angeles County Bar Association Dispute Resolution Services, Inc.

I have received the following awards:

- Martindale Hubbell® AV Preeminent Attorney® – Every year since 2003
- California Super Lawyer® – Every year since 2012
- One of America's Most Honored Professionals® – Top 1% – Every year since 2011
- Martindale-Hubbell® Top Rated Lawyer in Litigation – Every year since 2015
- Martindale-Hubbell® Labor and Employment Law Top Rated Lawyer – Every year since 2015
- Martindale-Hubbell® Top Rated Woman Lawyer – Every year since 2015
- BestLawyers® Best Law Firm – Every year since 2015
- Avvo® Top Attorney – Every year since 2016
- Top Attorney in Southern California® (by Los Angeles Magazine) – Every year since 2017
- California Top Ten Attorney in the Litigation, Lawsuits & Disputes Division by American Institute of Legal Counsel® – Every year since 2017

Please see my website for more information: www.eskridgemediation.com