



State of New Jersey
Board of Mediation

Resume of Panel Arbitrator

Name Edward Watt

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City Rockaway Park

State NY

ZIP 11694

Arbitration Experience

Part 137 Fee disputes NYCLA

Mediation Experience

NYC Small Claims Court, Illinois Sixteenth Judicial Circuit Mediation Roster, Community Mediation Services, CMS Long Island Resolution Center, LIDRC. Part 137 Fee disputes NYCLA

Labor Relations or Labor Management Experience

Thirty-five years of experience as a union official. Mr. Watt started his career in transportation as a bus operator NYCTA. His experience ranges from chief steward duties to union administration, negotiations, arbitrations, health and safety, training, policy and research. For 9 years, he was the Financial Secretary-Treasurer for the largest transit local in N. America, TWU Local 100. He then worked for Transport Workers Union and Amalgamated Transit Union Internationals. In those varied roles, he has served on many boards and labor management committees as well as federal, state, local and international bodies, including the USDOT Transit Advisory Committee for Safety TRACS, American Public Transportation Association APTA, Transportation Research Board TRB, the International Association of Public Transport UITP, and the International Labor Organization ILO. Understanding the critical role research plays in safety and union management relations, Mr. Watt has facilitated research with the Transportation Research Board TRB, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health NIOSH, Occupational Health Internship Program OHIP, and Cornell University's Institute for Workplace Studies.

Conflict Coach, Managerial Conflict Resolution Course, Yale's Global Network of Advanced Management

Other Relevant or Equivalent Experience

Consulting Associate of the Mineta Transportation Institute. I have participated in many labor-management committees for the last ten years, including both in the American Public Transportation Association, APTA, and the International Association of Public Transport, UITP. I served as a charter member of the US DOT Transit Rail Advisory Committee on Safety, TRACS, 2010-2018. In addition to labor and management representatives, many of these committees include industry-wide stakeholders from academia, government, manufacturing, and civic groups. I continue to be active with the Transportation Research Board, NAS, in project selection and guidance on research.

Area or Industries of Special Interest

Education, Service, Transportation industries, Public Sector and Conflict Coaching

Education

Master of Science degree in Industrial and Labor Relations, MSILR from Baruch/Cornell.

Professional Affiliation/Association (Include Any Panel Membership)

Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, FINRA, Arbitration Panel, Scheinman Institute - Roster of Neutrals, New York City Courts, Small Claims Mediation Roster. Illinois Sixteenth Judicial Circuit Mediation Roster

Association for Conflict Resolution, Labor and Employment Relations Association, American Bar Association-Conflict Resolution Section, Society of Federal Labor and Employee Relations Professionals. Institute for the Study of Conflict Transformation.

Notes

Per Diem Fees: \$ 1650

Cancellation Notice

14 Calendar Days or Parties are Liable for Full Fee for the Cancelled or Postponed Day