



Arbitration & Mediation Services

John P. Fuchs, Esq.



AREAS OF PRACTICE

Premises Liability, Bodily Injury, Third Party Violent Crime, intentional tort, product liability, construction defect, business disputes and insurance/bad faith

For 40 years, Mr. Fuchs has been involved in civil litigation representing both plaintiffs and defendants dealing with multiple areas of legal dispute issues with over 100 jury trials to his credit. His areas of expertise include premises liability, bodily injury, third party violent crime, intentional tort, product liability, construction defect, business disputes and insurance/bad faith.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

October 2002 – present	Law Offices of John Paul Fuchs, Los Angeles, California
1996 – 2002	Hill & Fuchs, Torrance, California
1979 – 1996	Hill, Genson, Even, Crandall & Wade, Woodland Hills, California

EDUCATION

Southwestern University School of Law, Los Angeles, California
Juris Doctor, 1979

University of California, Los Angeles
B.A. Cum Laude, 1976
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PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP AND HONORS

American Board of Trial Advocates
Association of Southern California Defense Counsel
Los Angeles County Bar Association
California State Bar Association
Arbitrator, Los Angeles Superior Court Arbitration Program
Judge Pro Tem, Los Angeles Municipal Court
Patrol Officer, 23 years with the Los Angeles Police Department Reserves – Retired

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Mr. Fuchs simply loves to settle cases and takes personal satisfaction and pride in bringing both sides together to reach a mutually satisfying resolution to their dispute.

Mr. Fuchs approaches the mediation process with excellent listening and communication skills, patience, and the attention to detail necessary to fully understand each party's perspective and arguments. The goal is to bring both sides together for a fair and equitable settlement.

Mr. Fuchs believes that thorough preparation and detailed analysis leads to understanding both sides of the argument and the subtleties that make each situation unique. Taking a non-adversarial approach that builds trust, Mr. Fuchs employs creative ways of navigating roadblocks and deescalating potential barriers which leads to fair and mutually satisfying resolutions. Mr. Fuchs explores the nuances of each case in detail and quickly establishes an atmosphere that promotes effective resolutions that both sides are comfortable with.

Born in 1954, in Los Angeles, Mr. Fuchs attended all the local schools. He attended Hamilton High (where he ran track), UCLA (where he was active on campus and served as a legislative intern in D.C. the summer of 1975), and Southwestern Law School.

Mr. Fuchs worked as a law clerk for Hill, Genson, Even, Crandall & Wade, then becoming an attorney and eventually working his way up the ladder to senior partner managing the Los Angeles office.

Joining John Hill in 1996, Mr. Fuchs divided his time between marketing and trial work. In 2002, Mr. Fuchs opened his own law firm.

Along the way, Mr. Fuchs worked as a patrol officer for 23 years with the LAPD Reserve Program. He was involved in community-based policing and worked closely with local leaders to organize neighborhood watch meetings.

Mr. Fuchs brings extensive professional experience and enthusiasm to his goal of effectively settling cases.