

Colleen Connelly, Esq.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Founder, Persevere Law & Mediation, P.C.
- General Counsel and VP of Quality & Compliance, Orora Packaging Solutions (2-billion-dollar packaging company)
- VP of HR, North America and Employment Counsel for DSV (global 40,000 employee company)
- VP, Corporate Legal and Employment Counsel for UTi Worldwide (global 20,000 employee company)
- Associate General Counsel for E. & J. Gallo Winery
- Senior Associate, Employment and Commercial Litigator for McCutchen, Doyle, Brown & Enersen (large SF based law firm)

PANELS

- American Arbitration Association (Employment Arbitration, Consumer Mediation)
- Alaska Labor Relations Agency List of Mediators, Arbitrators and Fact Finders
- Nevada Employee-Management Relations Board Rosters of Neutrals

EDUCATION

- Edwards Mediation Academy
- J.D., University of Virginia School of Law - Virginia Law Review
- B.A. in Psychology and Political Science, Kenyon College – *magna cum laude*

MEMBERSHIPS/AFFILIATIONS

- Southern California Mediation Association
- American Workplace Investigators (AWI)
- Orange County Bar Association
- Los Angeles County Bar Association

VOLUNTEER WORK

- Lead Mediator, Groundswell
- Resolve LA, Settlement Conference Officer
- Superior Court of Los Angeles Mediation Volunteer Panel
- Beverly Hills Bar Association, Mediator and Arbitrator