

ATTORNEY

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Jack's practice focuses on litigation, negotiation, and mediation of complex family law issues. His practice also covers complex commercial and business litigation.

He is a former district court judge in the First Judicial District (2000-2014) where he handled civil, criminal, and family law cases for Jefferson and Gilpin counties and was a judge on the Multi-District Litigation Panel. Currently, Jack serves as the Municipal Judge for Central City. Additionally, he serves as a panel arbitrator and mediator for the American Arbitration Association.

Jack is frequently appointed as a retired judge to perform judicial duties and conduct private trials under C.R.S. §13-3-111 and C.R.C.P. 122.

Before Jack was appointed to the bench, he was a civil and commercial litigator in private practice for 25 years.

Jack speaks five languages: English, Spanish, French, Italian, and Dutch.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS AND PRESENTATIONS

- Panelist
"Use of Civil Claims When Title 14 Comes Up Short"
CBA's Family Law Institute Seminar, August 2023
- Panelist
"Mediation Ethics"
CBA's ADR Conference on Resolution and Democracy, October 2022

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AREAS OF CONCENTRATION

Alternative Dispute Resolution
Business Litigation
Family Law

EDUCATION

University of Colorado, J.D.,
Managing Editor, *University of Colorado Law Review*
Trinity College, University of Dublin, M.A.
Colorado College, B.A.,
magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa
Boettcher Foundation Scholar

CREDENTIALS

Benchmark Litigation: Local
Litigation Star - General
Commercial Litigation,
2020 - 2024

- Presenter
 “Third-Party Discovery in Arbitration: What Authority DO Arbitrators Have to Order Nonparties to Provide Discovery and to Participate in Hearings?”
 Colorado Bar Association’s 2022 Litigator’s Summit, October 2022
- Presenter
 “So You’re a Lawyer and Testifying Expert: Can You Opine on the Law?”
 Lawyers Public Information Foundation’s 34th Annual Family Law Seminar, October 2019
- Presenter
 “How Common are Common-Law Marriages?”
 Lawyers Public Information Foundation’s 33rd Annual Family Law Seminar, October 2018
- Presenter
 “The Challenge of Admitting Digital Evidence: Emails, Voicemails, Texts, Photos, Videos, Social Media Posts, and Websites”
 Lawyers Public Information Foundation’s 33rd Annual Family Law Seminar, October 2018
- Presenter
 “Who Gets Custody of Electronic Data?”
 Lawyers Public Information Foundation’s 32nd Annual Family Law Seminar, October 2017

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 Family Law Arbitration, and
 Family Law Mediation,
 2023 - 2024

Law Week Colorado “Barrister’s
 Best” Best Arbitrator 2016
 Martindale-Hubbell Rating: AV®
 Preeminent™ (highest)

AFFILIATIONS

Municipal Judge, Central City
 The Cactus Club
 Central City Opera House
 Association, Honorary Director
 Denver Athletic Club
 National Western Stock Show
 Association
 Private Pilot
 Rocky Mountain Map Society
 William E. Doyle Inn of Court

ADMITTED

Colorado
 U.S. District Court for the District
 of Colorado
 U.S. Court of Appeals for the
 Tenth Circuit