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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**EDUCATION:**

University of California at Santa Barbara, Bachelor of  
Arts - Political Science 1975

Loyola Law School, Los Angeles - Juris Doctor 1978

Fraternal affiliations: Sigma Chi Fraternity, Phi  
Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

State Bar of California (admitted November 1978),  
State Bar of Georgia (admitted June 2007) American Bar  
Association, Member of Tort and Litigation Practice  
Section, Los Angeles County Bar Association, Atlanta  
Bar Association, Georgia Trial Lawyers Association,  
Sandy Springs Bar Association, Licensed Life Insurance  
Agent in State of California, Recognized as a Georgia  
Super Lawyer for 2013-2015.

**LEGAL EXPERIENCE:**

**Law Offices of Jeffrey D. Diamond,**  
1995 - Present

AV-rated attorney specializing in insurance law,  
including expert witness and consultation services  
regarding first and third party coverage questions and  
policy interpretation concerning property, liability,  
life, health and disability claims, Examinations Under  
Oath, declaratory relief and civil litigation, "bad  
faith" litigation, construction defect litigation,  
appraisal, arbitration, trial and appellate  
proceedings, and general civil matters, including  
business and real estate litigation.

**Gauntlett & Associates**

1997-1998

AV-rated attorney specializing in insurance law, including expert witness and consultation services regarding first and third party coverage questions and policy interpretation on behalf of policyholders concerning intellectual property issues, property insurance, liability, life, health and disability in appraisal, arbitration, general civil and business litigation including trial and appellate proceedings.

**Slott and Diamond**

1988 -1994

Partner of AV-rated firm specializing in insurance law, including coverage questions and policy interpretation, Examinations Under Oath, declaratory relief litigation, "bad faith" litigation, third party defense and construction defect litigation, appraisal, arbitration, and trial proceedings, legal questions concerning property, liability, health, disability and life insurance claims, contract interpretation, duty to defend and general civil matters, including business and real estate litigation.

**Grossman and Diamond**

1986 -1987

Partner of AV-rated firm specializing in insurance law, including coverage questions and policy interpretation, examinations under oath, declaratory relief litigation, "bad faith" litigation, appraisal, arbitration, and trial proceedings.

**Wasserman, Comden & Casselman**

1985

"Of Counsel" to the firm as head of first party insurance unit responsible for analysis of and opinions on coverage questions and policy interpretation, examinations under oath, "bad faith" defense litigation, declaratory relief litigation, appraisal, arbitration and trial proceedings.

**Simon, Buckner, Haile & Migdal**

1981-1985

Specialization in first party property insurance defense, including coverage questions and policy

interpretation, examinations under oath, "bad faith" litigation, third party defense, declaratory relief litigation, appraisal, arbitration and trial proceedings.

**Staitman & Snyder,**

1978-1981

First and third party defense, business litigation, real estate broker litigation, coverage questions and policy interpretation, general litigation and trial practice.

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

**Author:** "Managing Agent Liability,"  
California Broker Magazine, October, 1991.

**Guest Speaker:** "Managing Agent Liability" - Ventura County Association of Health Underwriters - May, 1992

**Instructor:** Los Angeles Valley College Paralegal Academy, "Contracts /Business Law," "Evidence" "Torts," "Law and Motion," "Commencement of the Lawsuit," "Trial Preparation," "Post-Trial Motions and Appeals" and "Insurance" Modules, 1995-2007

**Law School Professor:** Georgia State University College of Law-Insurance Law, 2009-2015, Atlanta's John Marshall Law School-Insurance Law, 2012-2014

**Law School Professor:** University of West Los Angeles School of Law, San Fernando Valley Campus-Insurance Law, 1995-2006

**Guest Speaker:** Institute for Conflict Resolution Mediation Training Seminar, "Observations of an Attorney Practitioner in Mediation," Fairmont Hotel, Santa Monica, July 2006

**Guest Speaker:** Atlanta Risk and Insurance Management Society Education Conference, "Principles of Risk Transfer," Atlanta, February 2009

**Guest Speaker:** Windstorm Insurance Network Regional Symposium, "Science and Law of Hail Damage," Emory University Conference Center, Atlanta, May 2011

**Guest Speaker:** Windstorm Insurance Network Annual Insurance Conference, "Depositions and Examinations Under Oath," Orlando, Florida, January 2012, "Conditions in a Policy of Property Insurance," Orlando, Florida, January 2013

**Guest Speaker:** Georgia Fire Investigators Association, Southeastern Annual Training Conference, "Point-Counter-Point: A Discussion of the Legal and Ethical Considerations in Handling Suspicious Insurance Claims," Savannah, Georgia, August 2012

**Guest Speaker:** "Property Insurance Claims from the Consumer's Perspective"-First Party Claims Conference, Warwick, Rhode Island-October 2012

**Guest Speaker:** "Ethical Practices for Public Adjusters in Property Insurance Claims"-Georgia Association of Public Insurance Adjusters, Atlanta, Georgia-May 2013

**Guest Speaker:** "Role of the Expert," "Managing the Expert Engagement,"-National Association of Certified Valuators and Analysts Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.-June 2013

**Guest Speaker:** "Policy Conditions, e.g. Proof of Loss, Examination Under Oath, Production of Documents and Records, and Situations Arising from Those Demands by the Insurer -- What the PA Can and Should Do," - National Association of Public Insurance Adjusters, San Antonio, Texas-June 2013

**Guest Speaker:** "Considerations of Fraud in Property Insurance Claims,"-Georgia Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, Atlanta, Georgia-December 2013

**Guest Speaker:** "10 Ways to Protect your Agency from Professional Liability Claims"-Metro Alliance of Independent Insurance Agents-January 2014

**Instructor:** National Association of Certified Valuators and Analysts, "Commercial Damages: Legal Theory and Case Law, Expert Witness Bookcamp, Webinar Presenter on various law related topics, 2007-2015

**Instructor:** Kessler-Eidson Program for Trial Techniques-Emory School of Law, 2008-2014

**Published Decisions-***Preis v. American Indemnity* (1990) 220 Cal. App. 3d 752; *Michelson v. Mid-Century Insurance Company* (2000) 83 Cal. App.4th 450; *Bialo v. Western Mutual Ins. Co.* (2002) 95 Cal. App.4th 68. *Israel-Curley v. California Fair Plan* (2005) 126 Cal. App.4th 123; *Arocho v California Fair Plan* (2005) 134 Cal. App.4th 461; *Mid-Century v. Superior Court* (2006) 138 Cal. App.4th 769; *Medill v. Westport Ins. Corp.*(2006) 143 Cal. App.4th 819

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