



James A. Lochridge, Jr.

Mediator

Since beginning his mediation practice in 2015, Jim Lochridge has mediated over 1,000 cases with hundreds of those claims resolved successfully. His vast array of experience makes him a prime choice as your next mediator.



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Concentrations

Trucking Accidents
Automobile Accidents
Professional Liability (Architects and Engineers)
Construction Law
Property Damage
Toxic Tort
Products Liability
Municipality/Public Entity Law
Civil Rights/42 U.S.C. §1983 Claims
Medical Malpractice
Premises Liability
Industrial Accidents
Discrimination Claims
Insurance Coverage Disputes
Workers' Compensation

Education

BS, Spring Hill College (1985)
JD, Loyola Law School (1989)

Recognitions

Federation of Defense and Corporate Counsel
Defense Research Institute
Business Law Professor
BV Distinguished Rating by Martindale-Hubbell

Biography

Jim Lochridge was a former managing partner of the Voorhies & Labbé law firm in Lafayette, Louisiana. He has been practicing law for 35 years. He has tried jury and bench trials in both State and Federal Court, as well as argued before numerous Appellate Courts. Mr. Lochridge's background includes insurance, professional liability and land-based casualty defense. He's worked with public entities, trucking companies, oil refineries and a major fast-food chain restaurant.

Mr. Lochridge also has taught Business Law as an adjunct professor at the University of Southwestern Louisiana (now, the University of Louisiana-Lafayette).

Mr. Lochridge was admitted to the Louisiana Bar in 1990, as well as the U.S. District Court – Eastern, Middle and Western Districts of Louisiana and the U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit. He is a member of Louisiana State Bar Association, Lafayette Bar Association, Louisiana Association of Defense Counsel, American Bar Association, Federation of Defense and Corporate Counsel ("FDCC").

Born and raised in New Orleans, Louisiana, Mr. Lochridge is a Jesuit High School alum. He now resides in Lafayette, Louisiana with his wife, Jan. He routinely travels statewide to conduct mediations.