



# Lynn Luker

## Mediator and Arbitrator

Lynn Luker is an experienced trial lawyer who serves as a neutral offering alternative dispute resolution services. Being a distinguished teacher and litigator, along with recent experience as a judge at both the trial and appellate level, make Ms. Luker an excellent choice as mediator or arbitrator. She received mediation training and is listed as a qualified mediator on the Louisiana Mediator Registry.



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## Concentrations

Multi-Party and Complex Litigation

Commercial Litigation

Business Disputes

Toxic Torts

Product Liability

Insurance Coverage Disputes

Admiralty and Maritime

Employment Discrimination and  
Employment Contract Disputes

Environmental

Auto and Trucking Litigation

Unfair Trade Practices

## Education

BA in Psychology, University of New Orleans (1978)

JD, Tulane Law School (1981)

LLM Admiralty with distinction, Tulane Law School (1985)

LLM Energy and Environment, Tulane Law School (1992)

## Recognitions

Court appointed mediator in the U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Louisiana, for Hurricane Ida Claims

Court appointed mediator in the Orleans Civil District Court for Hurricane Ida Claims

AV rated Martindale-Hubbell

Leader in Law

Chair of LSBA's Civil Law and Litigation Section (2022)

## Biography

Ms. Luker founded her own firm in New Orleans in 1999, after 18 years at Adams and Reese. Her practice areas are complex litigation involving businesses, including toxic tort, maritime, unfair trade practices, environmental, and product liability law. Ms. Luker has served as national, regional, and local trial counsel in asbestos, benzene, lead paint, noise, and other toxic tort cases for over 40 years. She has handled a number of insurance disputes and has settled thousands of cases over her many years of practice.

Lynn Luker serves as a court appointed mediator in the Hurricane Ida Claims Settlement Program in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana and Orleans Civil District Court. She was the recipient of a second appointment by the Louisiana Supreme Court and served as judge pro tempore on the Louisiana 4th Circuit Court of Appeals from January 2022 through June 2022. Previously, Ms. Luker served as judge pro tempore in the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans in 2014 for a six-month term where she conducted settlement conferences on a regular basis.

For over 30 years, Ms. Luker has been an Adjunct Professor at Tulane Law School, and she received the Tulane Distinguished Teaching Award and its Distinguished Environmental Law Alumna. Ms. Luker is the Chair of the Louisiana State Bar Association Section of Civil Law and Litigation, past president of the Tulane Inn of Court, and former chair of the Louisiana Judiciary Commission. She is also the former Chair of the New Orleans Bar Association Alternative Dispute Resolution Section.

Ms. Luker was admitted to the Louisiana Bar in 1981 and Massachusetts in 2007. She is also admitted to the U.S. District Court: Eastern, Middle and Western Districts of Louisiana; U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth and Eleventh Circuits; and United States Supreme Court. She holds a JD, LL.M. in Admiralty and an LL.M. in Energy and Environment from Tulane Law School. She is a frequent, knowledgeable CLE speaker.

Over her legal career, Ms. Luker has received numerous recognitions including an AV Martindale-Hubbell rating and being named as "SuperLawyer" (2007-present), "Leader in Law" by New Orleans *CityBusiness*, and one of the "Best Lawyers in America" (2009-present).