



## Résumé of Jeffrey P. Bean

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### Profile

- Your Solutions [www.Beyond the Courthouse.com](http://www.Beyond the Courthouse.com)<sup>TM</sup>
- Mediation, dispute resolution and conflict management consulting services
- Mediation for growing business
- Partnering with people building their own sustainable solutions
- Collaborative approaches to disputes, hard conversations and difficult decisions.
- Client-centered, agreement-oriented and solution-focused.
- 25 years of broad litigation experience, including the two largest settlements in Washington State history (*State of Washington v. American Tobacco Co., et al.*; *State Investment Board v. The New England, et al.*)

### Experience

- The Bean Law Firm PLLC, Beyond the Courthouse Mediation, 2004-present
- Partner, Ferguson | Bean PLLC, 2002-2004, and Attorney, Chandler, Franklin & O'Bryan, 1999-2002
  - Representing businesses, individuals and governments in complex, class-action, and tobacco litigation
  - *In re Cigarette Antitrust Litigation*, MDL 1342, representing national class of cigarette wholesalers with horizontal price-fixing claims against manufacturers
- Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, 1990-99
  - Torts Claims Division: representing state agencies in civil litigation, 1999
  - Tobacco Litigation Unit: action against tobacco manufacturers and associations for health care reimbursement and for violation of antitrust and consumer protection laws, 1996-99
  - State Investment Board Litigation Unit: action against The New England Mutual Life Insurance Company and Copley Real Estate Advisors for breach of fiduciary duties in management of commercial real estate investments for the Washington State Investment Board, 1994-96
  - Prosecution Unit, Labor & Industries Division: Medical Disciplinary Board prosecution, parole revocation prosecution and industrial insurance third party reimbursement appeals, 1990-91; 1991-94
  - Litigation Group, Labor & Industries Division: Industrial insurance employer classification and workers' compensation appeals, 1991
- Principal, Bean Consulting, Microcomputer Support Services, 1984-1987
- Legal Assistant (private firms and Office of the Attorney General) 1980-84

### Education

- J.D., *cum laude*, Seattle University School of Law (formerly University of Puget Sound School of Law), 1988
- B.A., University of Washington, 1983
- Pacific Lutheran University, 1979-81

### **Publications, Presentations & Instruction**

- *Web 2.0 Marketing for Dispute Resolution Professionals*. 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Northwest Dispute Resolution Conference, May 2010.
- [\*Dispute Resolution as a Client Service\*](#). King County Bar Association Bar Bulletin, April 2010
- *Bridging the Gap: Negotiation & Mediation*. King County Bar Association & Washington State Bar Association Young Lawyers Divisions, March 2010
- *A New Context for Looking at Mediator Style*, Colorado/Denver Bar Association Dispute Resolution Section, March 2010.
- *The Uniform Collaborative Law Act*, King County Bar Association Collaborative Law Section, February 2010.
- [\*Mediation Isn't Mediation\*](#), Mediate.com, September 2009; King County Bar Association Bar Bulletin, December 2009.
- *Civil Dispute Management: Collaborative Law and Interviewing the Client*. King County Bar Association & Seattle University School of Law, December 2009.
- *Collaborative Law*. Washington State Bar Association, July 2009.
- *Advising Clients of ADR Options and Common Representation in Negotiation: Procedure & Pitfalls*. Skagit County Volunteer Lawyers, December 2008.
- [\*The Conflict Resolution Map: A New Tool for Advising Clients\*](#). King County Bar Association Bar Bulletin, October 2008.
- *Situation Assessment: A Framework for Any Dispute Resolution Approach?* 10<sup>th</sup> Annual American Bar Association Section of Dispute Resolution Spring Conference, 2008
- *Interest-based Negotiation*, King County Bar Association Collaborative Law Section, 2008
- *Negotiation in Collaborative Law*, University of Washington School of Law, 2008
- *Coach, Mediation Training*, Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution, Dispute Resolution Center of King County; Seattle University School of Law, 2007- present
- *Using New Technology in Litigation: Management of Document Discovery*, Washington State Bar Association, 1999
- Records Officer Training, Office of the Secretary of State, 1999
- Parole Revocation Hearings Training for Community Corrections Officers, Department of Corrections, 1991

### **Professional Honors**

- Attorney General's Tobacco Litigation Award, 1998
- Attorney General's Commendation, 1998
- Attorney General's Special Recognition Award, 1996

- American Jurisprudence Award, Remedies, 1987

### **Admitted to Practice**

- State of Washington, 1988
- U.S. District Court, Western District, 1993
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit, 2002

### **Certifications and Specialized Training**

- Certified Mediator, Washington Mediation Association (Commercial/Business; Consumer/Merchant; Public Policy; Trusts, Estates, & Eldercare; Organizational Relations; Health Care; and Criminal Justice), 2008
- Mentor Mediator, Dispute Resolution Center of King County, 2008
- Certified Mediation Practitioner, Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution, 2007
- Professional Mediation Skills Certificate Training Program, University of Washington School of Law, 2006
- Collaborative Law Practice, 2006
- 500+ hours presenting and training in mediation and conflict resolution, 2006-2010

### **Professional Affiliations and Community Involvement**

- Washington State Bar Association Alternative Dispute Resolution Section
  - Chair-Elect, 2009-2010
  - Executive Committee, 2008-present
- King County Collaborative Law:
  - Vice President, 2009-2010
  - Member, Board of Directors, 2007-present
  - Webmaster and Chair, Website/IT Committee, 2008-2010
  - Chair, Membership Committee, 2007-2009
  - Chair, Civil Practice Group, 2007-2008
- Northwest Dispute Resolution Conference Program Planning Committee, 2009-present.
- Member, Civil Solutions of Seattle LLC, 2008-present
- International Academy of Collaborative Professionals, 2006-present
- Dispute Resolution Section, King County Bar Association
- South King County Bar Association
- Washington Mediation Association, 2007-present
- Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution, 2006-present
- Dispute Resolution Center of King County, 2007-present
- Des Moines Area Food Bank: Director, 1989-91; President, 1990-91
- Presbyterian Church, USA: Ruling Elder, 1990-96; 2007-2009; Trustee, 1991-96; Worship & Music Commission, Chair, 1991-96; Audit Committee, 1991, Chair, 2007-2008; Sabbatical Committee, Chair, 2008; Finance & Administration Commission, 2007-2009; Long-Range Planning Committee, 2009-present.