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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CAUTHORN NOHR & OWEN, www.cauthornnohr.com
Founder of boutique law firm providing general civil, probate and criminal legal services.

COURT AMERICA, Principal in mediation, arbitration, and case evaluation firm.

GEORGIA SUPREME COURT SPECIAL MASTER

GEORGIA OFFICE OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION
Registered Mediator and Arbitrator for general civil and domestic relations

COBB COUNTY OFFICE OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION
Approved panelist for court annexed mediation and case evaluation program.

BOARDS/ MEMBERSHIPS

STATE BAR OF GEORGIA (ADMITTED 1972)
President's Advisory Committee on Legislation, 2009 – 2013
(Vice Chair 2009 – 2010, Chair 2010 – 2011).
Board of Trustees, General Practice and Trial Section, 2006–present
President's Judicial Evaluation Committee, District 7 Representative 1997 – 2007

GEORGIA BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS
2012 - 2018

BOARD OF VISITORS, LAW SCHOOL (WALTER F. GEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW)
2013 - 2019

CHAIR, URGENT LEGAL MATTERS (annual ICLE seminar)
2013 - PRESENT

BAR MEMBERSHIPS
Member of all trial and appellate courts of the State of Georgia; United States District Court, Northern District of Georgia; 11th United States Circuit Court of Appeals; United States Supreme Court.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIPS
Cobb County Bar Association (Business Litigation Section); Atlanta Bar Association (ADR Section); Atlanta Lawyers Club; Old War Horse Lawyers' Club; American Bar Association (Individual Rights Section); Fellow of the American Bar Foundation (2016-present); Emeritus Member of The Charles Longstreet Weltner Family Law American Inn of Court; Sustaining Fellow of the Lawyers Foundation of Georgia; Georgia Academy of Mediators and Arbitrators; and, The Advocates Club.

REPORTED CASES:

In re Woodham, (Special Master) 296 Ga. 618, 769 SE2d 353 (2015)
Gause v. Fidelity Bank, 322 Ga. App. 844, 775 SE2d 207 (2015)
Coxwell v. Coxwell, 295 Ga. 311, 765 SE2d 320 (2014)
Choi v. Immanuel Korean United Methodist Church, 327 Ga. App. 26, 755 SE2d 354 (2014)
May v. State, 295 Ga. 388, 761 SE2d 38 (2014)
Taylor v. Taylor, 293 Ga. 615, 748 S.E.2d 873 (2013)
Jaraysi v. Sebastian, 318 Ga. App. 469, 733 S.E.2d 785 (2012)
Venable v. Parker, 307 Ga. App. 880, 706 S.E.2d 211 (2011)
In re Hudson, 300 Ga. App. 340, 685 S.E.2d 323 (2009)
Hampton Island Founders, LLC v. Liberty Capital, LLC, 283 Ga. 289, 658 S.E.2d 619 (2008)
Page v. Page, 281 Ga. 155, 635 S.E.2d 762 (2006)
VATACS Group, Inc. v. HomeSide Lending Inc., 276 Ga. App. 386, 623 S.E.2d 534 (2005)
Cobb County v. City of Smyrna, 270 Ga. App. 471, 606 S.E. 2d 667 (2004)
Reece v. Smith, 265 Ga. App. 497, 594 S.E.2d 654 (2004)
McIntyre v. Edwards, 261 Ga. App. 843, 583 S.E.2d 889 (2003)
Zaimis v. Sharis, 275 Ga. 532, 570 S.E.2d 313 (2002)
Automated Solutions Enterprises, Inc. v. Clearview Software, Inc., 255 Ga. App. 884, 567 S.E.2d 335 (2002)
Mark Turner Properties, Inc. v. Evans, 274 Ga. 547, 554 S.E.2d 492 (2001)
Ledee v. Devoe, 250 Ga. App.15, 549 S.E.2d 167 (2001)
Prater v. State, 273 Ga. 477, 545 S.E.2d 864 (2001)
Mintz v. Barlow, 241 Ga. App. 860, 528 S.E.2d 306 (2000)
Baker v. City of Marietta, 271 Ga. 210, 518 S.E.2d 879 (1999)
Belton v. State, 270 Ga. 671, 512 S.E.2d 614 (1999)
Barlow v. State, 270 Ga. 54, 507 S.E.2d 416 (1998)
Diffley v. Marshall's at East Lake, 227 Ga. App. 343, 489 S.E.2d. 123 (1997)
Ledee v. Devoe, 225 Ga. App.620, 484 S.E.2d 344 (1997)
Henderson v. HSI Financial Services, Inc., 222 Ga. App. 674, 475 S.E.2d 721 (1996)
Aycock v. Re/Max of Georgia, Inc., 221 Ga. App. 587, 472 S.E.2d 137 (1996)
Brown v. State, 266 Ga. 723, 470 S.E.2d 652 (1996)
Stocks v. Glover, 220 Ga. App. 557, 469 S.E.2d 677 (1996)
Continental Cas. Co. v. HSI Financial Services, Inc., 81 F.3d 1087 (11th Cir. 1996)
Continental Cas. Co. v. HSI Financial Services, Inc., 266 Ga. 260, 466 S.E.2d 4 (1996)
Continental Cas. Co. v. HSI Financial Services, Inc., 61 F.3d 845 (11th Cir. 1995)
Matter of Inquiry Concerning a Judge, 265 Ga. 843, 462 S.E.2d 728 (1995)
Page v. HSI Financial Services, Inc., 218 Ga. App. 283, 461 S.E.2d 239 (1995) (red flag)
Brooks v. Bellsouth Telecommunications, Inc., 164 F.R.D. 561 (1995)
Dick v. Williams, 215 Ga. App. 629, 452 S.E.2d 172 (1994)
Martin v. State, 213 Ga. App. 146, 444 S.E.2d 103 (1994)
Hospital Authority of Gwinnett County v. State Health Planning Agency, 211 Ga. App. 407, 438 S.E.2d 912 (1993)
State Farm Mut. Auto Ins. Co. v. Seeba, 209 Ga. App. 328, 433 S.E.2d 414 (1993)

Green v. State, 205 Ga. App. 412, 422 S.E.2d 288 (1992)

Stephenson v. Board of Com'rs of Cobb County, 261 Ga. 399, 405 S.E. 2d 488 (1991)

PRESENTATIONS

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2012, RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN CASE LAW UNDER THE FEDERAL ARBITRATION ACT

Institute of Continuing Judicial Education, 2012, REAL EMERGENCIES: TRO'S, TPO'S, ETC

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2011, REAL EMERGENCIES: TRO'S, TPO'S, ETC

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2010, CRIMINAL AND CIVIL CONTEMPT IN GEORGIA: A BRIEF OVERVIEW

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2009, DEVELOPMENTS IN COURT MANDATED ADR JANUARY 2005 – JULY 1, 2009

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2008, THE SPECIAL LITIGATION COMMITTEE AS AN URGENT RESPONSE TO THE DERIVATIVE LAWSUIT

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2007, ATTORNEYS FEES A-Z

Cobb County Bar Association, 2006, Panelist, "ETHICS"

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2006, ATTORNEYS FEES A-Z

Cobb County Bar Association, 2001, Panelist, THE DECISION TO APPEAL, COMMENCING THE APPEAL: THE RECORD AND TRANSCRIPT AND BRIEFS AND ENUMERATIONS OF ERROR, MOTIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION, CERTIORARI PETITIONS AND ORAL ARGUMENT

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2001, MEDIATION

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 2000, TRIAL EMERGENCIES

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 1999, TRO'S & OTHER *EX PARTE* RELIEF

Institute of Continuing Legal Education, 1998, ADR IN GEORGIA

POLITICAL

JUDGE	1979 - 1985
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<i>State Court of Cobb County</i>	
Chief Judge of the State Court of Cobb County, 1983 - 1985.	
PRESIDENT	1984 - 1985
<i>Council of State Court Judges of Georgia</i>	
MEMBER	1983 - 1985
<i>Judicial Council of Georgia</i>	
JUDGE	1985 - 1991
<i>Georgia Superior Courts, Cobb Judicial Circuit</i>	
STATE REPRESENTATIVE	1991 - 1995
<i>Georgia House of Representatives</i>	
LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE & COMMISSION ASSIGNMENTS	1991 - 1995
<i>Governor's Commission on Child Support; Georgia Commission on Family Violence; Joint Commission on Legislative Information Management; Georgia Child Abuse Prevention Panel; Joint House/Senate Study Committee on Child Support; Judiciary Committee; Governmental Affairs Committee (vice-chair, chair of Elections sub-committee); Industrial Relations Committee; and, Children and Youth Committee.</i>	

MEMBER	1998
<i>Judicial Qualification and Nomination Recommendation Committee, U.S. Sen. Max Cleland</i>	
MEMBER	1998
<i>Finance Committee, Roy Barnes for Governor</i>	
MEMBER	2000 - 2003
<i>Cobb Circuit Defender, Tripartite Governing Committee, Superior Court of Cobb County Representative</i>	
CHAIR	2001 - 2003
<i>State of Georgia, Health Planning Review Board</i>	
CHAIR	2003 - 2012
<i>Committee to Elect Judge Adams to Court of Appeals</i>	
TREASURER	2002 - 2008
<i>Committee to Re-Elect Judge John H. Ruffin, Jr.</i>	

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

BOARD OF DIRECTORS	1979 - PRESENT
<i>Cobb County Youth Museum, Inc.</i>	
President of the Board, 1985 - 1986, 1990 - 1991, and 2002 - 2003.	
BOARD OF DIRECTORS	1981 - 1994
<i>Cobb County Children's Center, Inc.</i>	
President of the Board, 1981 - 1985; named President Emeritus in 1994	
MEMBER	1988 - 1993
<i>Cobb County Arts Commission</i>	
Chair of the Commission, 1991 - 1993.	
MEMBER	1975 - PRESENT
<i>Marietta Kiwanis Club</i>	
Chair, Business and Public Affairs Committee, 2003 - 2004	
ADVISORY BOARD	1992 - 1994
<i>Drug Free School Program, Marietta City Schools</i>	
BOARD OF DIRECTORS	1993 - 1994
<i>Mountain View Arts Alliance, Inc.</i>	
ADVISORY BOARD	1994 - 1997
<i>Regional Institute for School Enhancement (RISE)</i>	
MEMBER	
<i>Cobb County Chamber of Commerce</i>	
LIFE MEMBER	
<i>Georgia Jaycee Rebel Corps</i>	

SOCIAL

MEMBER <i>Kappa Alpha Order (Life Member of Loyal Order)</i>	1967 – PRESENT
MEMBER <i>Marietta Country Club</i>	1991 – PRESENT

AWARDS

Recipient of the ROBERT H. CLEVELAND AWARD OF PROFESSIONALISM 2011, from the Cobb County Bar Association.

Recipient of a RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION 1994, from the Board of Human Resources of Georgia.

Recipient of the GIDEON'S TRUMPET AWARD 1994, from the Georgia Indigent Defense Council.

Recipient of the DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD FOR 1993 by Cobb County Arts Commission.

Recipient of the PRESIDENT'S AWARD FOR 1993 by the Cobb Arts Council.

Named DEMOCRAT OF THE YEAR for 1992 by the Cobb County Democratic Party.

Named FRIEND OF CHILDREN 1985 by The Council for Children, Inc.

Selected as one of the FIVE OUTSTANDING YOUNG MEN IN GEORGIA 1979 by the Georgia Jaycees.

President's CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION, 1976, State Bar of Georgia, for service as Chair of State Bar and YLS Law Day committees.

EDUCATION

A. B. <i>Mercer University</i>	1969 <i>Macon, Georgia</i>
J. D. <i>Mercer University (Walter F. George School of Law)</i>	1972 <i>Macon, Georgia</i>
GENERAL JURISDICTION COURSE <i>University of Nevada (National Judicial College)</i>	1980 <i>Reno, Nevada</i>
DIPLOMA OF JUDICIAL SKILLS <i>American Academy of Judicial Education</i>	1988 <i>Boston, Massachusetts and Charlottesville, Virginia</i>

MILITARY

Captain, Retired Reserve, U.S. Army

FAMILY

Married to the former Lulu Ferguson.

Four adult children.

Three grand-children.

Member, First United Methodist Church of Marietta (member, Board of Trustees, 2013 – 2015).

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