FRANCIS A. MONACO Jr.

Frank is a certified mediator having completed the Institute of Conflict Management Training Course in 2004, and the North Carolina Dispute Resolution Commission certification process in 2016. His mediation skills are based on over 40 years of experience as an attorney practicing in the areas of business bankruptcy and commercial litigation and transactions.

He is an approved mediator for the Delaware and North Carolina bankruptcy courts as well as bankruptcy appeals to the Federal District Court in Delaware. Frank has resolved over 100 disputes in Delaware and North Carolina courts and was also an arbitrator in the Delaware Superior Court.

Frank was certified by the American Board of Certification as a specialist in business bankruptcy until he retired from private practice in 2021. He has had direct experience in business bankruptcy cases by representing debtors, creditor committees, individual creditors, and other interest holders including secured lenders, indenture trustees, government agencies, trade creditors, equipment lessors, landlords, asset purchasers, bondholders, and stockholders.

EDUCATION

- University of Delaware, AB Political Science
- Villanova University School of Law, JD

MEMBERSHIP & AFFILIATIONS

- American Bankruptcy Institute (ABI)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES & HONORS

- Current member of the Mediation Committee and a Special Projects Director
- Former Member of the ABI Board of Directors
- Former Co-Chairman of the ABI Commercial Fraud Task Force
- Former Co-Chairman of the ABI Mid-Atlantic Bankruptcy Workshop

CHARITY WORK

- The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (Delaware Chapter Man of the Year, 2014)
- Currently serves as member of the Board of Trustees and Leadership Committee of the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (North Carolina/Virginia Chapter)
- American Red Cross Volunteer

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