



Sylvia Mayer
Attorney, Mediator & Arbitrator

Experience:

Over 25 years of experience as an attorney, arbitrator and mediator with broad experience in federal court, state court, bankruptcy court, the American Arbitration Association, and International Centre for Dispute Resolution. Served as counsel or neutral in hundreds of disputes involving a wide variety of industries, including banking, energy, construction, finance, health care, hospitality, oilfield services, real estate, financial services, telecommunications, manufacturing, distribution, oil and gas, transportation, partnerships, retail, wholesale and others.

Arbitrated and mediated over \$100 million in disputes since 2014, as well as having served as counsel in various arbitrations and mediations over the last 25 years. Disputes have involved a wide variety of issues including commercial litigation, contract disputes, banking, business separations, energy, employment, director and officer liability, creditors rights, consumer, insolvency, personal injury, oil and gas, fiduciary duty, construction, finance, fraud, health care, hospitality, landlord-tenant, leasing, lender liability, financial services, telecommunications, manufacturing, distribution, transportation, operator/non-operator disputes, royalties, partnerships, premises liability, products liability, secured transactions, securities, surety, tax, torts, transactions, corporate governance, collections, pipelines, upstream and downstream, real estate, retail, wholesale and others.

ADR Panel Affiliations and Credentials:

- American Arbitration Association, Commercial Arbitration Panel, Consumer Arbitration Panel & Mediation Panel
- United States District Court, Southern District of Texas, Qualified Alternative Dispute Resolution Provider
- United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Delaware, Register of Mediators and Arbitrators
- Texas Mediator Credentialing Association, Credentialed Advanced Mediator

Work History:

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| • S. Mayer Law PLLC (Partner) | 2014 – Present |
| • Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP (Partner) | 2003 – 2014 |
| • Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP (Counsel) | 2002 – 2003 |
| • Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP (Associate) | 1993 – 2001 |



Education:

Sylvia graduated from Washington University in 1987, *cum laude*, with a B.A. in Theater. After working for three years in the arts community in Houston, Sylvia went to law school and, in 1993, graduated from the University of Houston Law Center, *summa cum laude*.

Professional Associations:

- American Bar Association
- American Bankruptcy Institute
- Association of Attorney-Mediators
- Association of Women Attorneys
- Houston Bar Association
- State Bar of Texas
- Texas Association of Mediators

Community Service:

- Houston Pro Bono Joint Initiative, Founder and Chair
- Peach Outreach (Non-Profit), Corporate Secretary and Board Member
- Seven Acres Jewish Senior Care Services (Non-Profit), Board Member

Locale:

With her principal office in Houston, Texas, Sylvia is available to assist parties throughout the U.S.