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**Lee Jay Berman** began as a full-time mediator 28 years ago, and has successfully mediated over 2,600 matters, many of which were high profile cases. He is an American Arbitration Association Master Mediator for employment matters, a national panelist on their commercial and construction panels, and a select mediator on their International Center for Dispute Resolution mediation panel. He is a Distinguished Fellow with the International Academy of Mediators, a Charter Diplomat with the National Academy of Distinguished Neutrals (NADN), and certified by the International Mediation Institute (one of the first 5 mediators in the U.S.). Who's Who Legal named him a one of their 10 Global Thought Leaders in mediation in North America, NADN named him their inaugural "Distinguished Neutral of the Year" in 2017, California's Daily Journal twice named him "Top Neutral", he has been voted by his colleagues into the Who's Who of International Commercial Mediation from 2012-2022, ranked by Chambers USA as one of the top 40 commercial mediators in the U.S. from 2018-2022 and the Southern California Mediation Association has honored him with both their Cloke-Millen Peacemaker of the Year and L. Randolph Lowry award for his contributions to training and growth in the field.

Also a popular trainer, Mr. Berman founded the American Institute of Mediation after seven years as Director of Pepperdine Law School's *Mediating the Litigated Case* program (ranked #1 nationally). He has trained mediators, judges, attorneys, and business leaders across the U.S., Canada, Mexico, and Europe, as well as in India, Dubai, Uzbekistan, Australia, and New Zealand.

Lee Jay has been interviewed on dozens of podcasts, published numerous articles on mediation and negotiation, and the American Bar Association will be publishing two of his books in 2022 and 2023.



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20 Years in Practice