



Anthony Garcia

Attorney, Mediator, Arbitrator, Umpire

Hourly Rate

Current

\$350

Garcia Mediation – Florida Supreme Court certified Mediator (Circuit Civil, Family, Federal – Middle District of FL, County)

Practice

Cases

Languages

3

35+

English

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Work History

Following law school, Anthony began his career at the Office of the State Attorney for Hillsborough County, Florida. His first private sector associate position involved corporate and insurance defense in the Tampa Bay Area, including Allstate, Metropolitan, State Farm, Federated National and more.

Anthony went on to serve as a founding partner of the boutique firm Trial Lawyers of Alvarez Garcia where he assisted plaintiffs/defendants in civil and criminal matters. Garcia launched AG Law in 2015 as a solo practitioner. Since then, Anthony has dedicated his time to helping clients resolve injury, corporate, class action, and mass tort issues.

Anthony represented hundreds of businesses and individuals from Florida, Louisiana and Alabama, Garcia negotiated and resolved nearly \$20 million in economic loss and punitive damage claims. Throughout this time, Anthony developed a sound and proven infrastructure for analyzing and negotiating such actions. Having worked closely with federally appointed neutrals to the BP Oil Spill Settlement, Garcia developed an interest in efficient dispute resolution. Naturally, this experience led him to pursue the Florida Supreme Court’s licensure to practice mediation services.

General Experience

Anthony has 22+ years of diversified legal experience covering a multitude of areas, practicing insurance defense and representing plaintiffs in civil litigation, class action, mass tort and business transactional matters. Please visit www.AGLawinc.com for additional information on his law practice.

Because of Mr. Garcia’s willingness to serve both the defense and plaintiff bars as corporate, trial and post-trial counsel, he brings a no-nonsense, practical style to each dispute resolution. Patience, perspective and persistence have served him well in both his personal and professional life.

Experience as a Mediator

Anthony carries heavy experience in matters of personal injury, wrongful death, consumer protection and commercial issues, including cases involving:

- Automobile accidents
- Premises liability
- Florida's Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act
- Contracts
- Business disputes
- Non-compete agreements
- HOA disputes
- Libel & slander
- Sports
- Product liability

Representative Issues Handled as a Mediator

Business disputes, commercial litigation, auto injury, premises liability, homeowner's disputes, family, legal malpractice, BP claim/contractor dispute, fee dispute, contract issues, sports, international tax disputes.

Multi Party Mediation Experience

Yes – both Zoom and in person.

Years of Practice as a Mediator

3

Total Number of Cases Mediated

35+

Mediation Experience as an Advocate or Party

Anthony has 22+ years of diversified legal experience covering a multitude of areas, practicing insurance defense and representing plaintiffs in civil litigation, class action, mass tort and business transactional matters. Over the past two decades Anthony has participated in numerous mediations for his legal cases.

Mediation Philosophy

Patience – Perspective – Persistence

Mediation References

Available upon request.

Alternative Dispute Resolution Training

Circuit Civil, County, Family, Federal – additional training in online mediation, virtual mediation, The New Conflict Management, Friendly Divorce, Mathematics of Zero-Sum negotiations, Courtless Divorce Options.

Professional Licenses

FL Bar licensed attorney

Professional Associations

Hillsborough County Bar Association, Florida Bar, Jesuit Bar Association.

Education

A native of Tampa, this Jesuit High School graduate earned his degree in communications from the University of Florida. Anthony studied law at both the South Texas College of Law and Stetson University before graduating in 1996.

Publications and Speaking Engagements

Anthony has published several articles in Lawyer Magazine, a publication of the Hillsborough County Bar Association. He has also created virtual CLE's and presented for membership of the Hillsborough and Broward County Bars.

Compensation

\$350 Per Hour

Languages

English

Citizenship

United States of America

Locale

Tampa, FL

The AAA provides mediators to parties on cases administered by the AAA under AAA mediation procedures. Mediations that proceed without AAA administration are not considered AAA mediations, even where parties select a mediator who is a member of an AAA mediation roster.