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EXPERTISE - COMMERCIAL

- ❖ CROSS-BORDER DISPUTES
- ❖ MULTI-PARTY DISPUTES
- ❖ INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION
- ❖ COMMERCIAL / BUSINESS DISPUTES
- ❖ HOSPITALITY
- ❖ PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION
- ❖ SHAREHOLDER
- ❖ REAL ESTATE DISPUTES
- ❖ CONSTRUCTION
- ❖ INSURANCE / BAD FAITH
- ❖ FRAUD

EXPERTISE- CIVIL

- ❖ BUSINESS TORTS
- ❖ CONSUMER
- ❖ PRODUCT LIABILITY
- ❖ MEDICAL / LEGAL MALPRACTICE
- ❖ ABUSE / DISCRIMINATION
- ❖ WRONGFUL TERMINATION / RETALIATION

Former trial attorney in large law firms, Morgan has over seventeen years of experience in dispute resolution representing both plaintiffs and defendants. Strong focus on commercial and cross-border disputes with bi-continental experience and practice.

Full-time neutral since 2021, Morgan has acted as counsel or arbitrator in dozens of disputes ranging from large-scale commercial disputes to consumer disputes. Experience includes commercial claims of supply/distribution/payment failures, and defective/substandard performance; partnership dissolution; joint venture dissolution; hospitality development agreements, management contracts, food and beverage suppliers, service and vendor agreements; consumer claims of defective products and equipment, construction equipment, automobiles and household products; privacy violations; construction (commercial and residential) termination and delay claims; subcontractor claims; change order disputes; payment and performance; defective design/construction; real estate acquisition, site development, leasing, and land use disputes; homeowner and condominium association disputes. Amounts in dispute range from under \$50,000 to over \$20 million at issue.

Morgan teaches mixed-mode and negotiation skills to attorneys and law students in Europe, Asia, and the United States. She routinely publishes on dispute resolution and serves on/moderates panels in the U.S. and Europe regarding ADR and negotiation.

LEGAL EDUCATION

- ❖ LL.M., Université-Paris-Panthéon-Assas, *bien*
- ❖ J.D., Southwestern University School of Law, *magna cum laude*
- ❖ B.A., University of Southern California, *magna cum laude*

LICENSES

- ❖ State Bar of California, 1995
- ❖ U.S. District Court, Central District of California, 1995

ADR TRAINING & CERTIFICATES

- ❖ Higginbotham Fellow 2025, American Arbitration Association
- ❖ MCIArb, Chartered Institute of Arbitration, London
- ❖ Certificate, Mediating the Litigated Case, Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution, Pepperdine Caruso Law
- ❖ Certificate, Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution, London
- ❖ Certificate, Center for Dispute Resolution, Santa Monica
- ❖ Qualified, International Mediation Institute

EXPERIENCE

- ❖ Founder, Mediation with Lisa B. Morgan
- ❖ Founder, LBM Dispute Resolution
- ❖ Mediator, Mediation & Resolution
- ❖ Mediator, Mediation Center of Los Angeles (Vendor & LASC Referral program)
- ❖ Consultant, Mediators Beyond Borders International Consulting
- ❖ Of counsel, BOUCHER LLP, Los Angeles
- ❖ Founder, Ciao Yummy!,® Los Angeles, Paris
- ❖ Senior Associate, MITCHELL, SILBERBERG & KNUPP, LLP
- ❖ Associate, LYNBERG & WATKINS

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- ❖ International Bar Association
- ❖ California Bar Association
- ❖ Southern California Mediators Association
- ❖ Beverly Hills Bar Association
- ❖ International Mediation Institution
- ❖ Chartered Institute of Arbitration, London
- ❖ Member, l'Académie de Médiation
- ❖ Médiateur judiciaire (Bordeaux, France)
- ❖ Médiateur judiciaire (Orléans, France)
- ❖ Chambre Arbitrale Internationale de Paris
- ❖ Mediators Beyond Borders International

RECENT PUBLICATIONS / ENGAGEMENTS

- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, Early Dispute Resolution and the Critical Role of Acceptance, Los Angeles and San Francisco Daily Journal, February 15, 2024
- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, Understanding Mediation Through the Narrative Arc, Los Angeles and San Francisco Daily Journal, April 26, 2024
- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, It is Time to Flip the Script on How we Resolve Disputes, The Resolution Issue - Supplement to the Los Angeles and San Francisco Daily Journal, May 1, 2024
- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, The rise of third party litigation funding: What you need to know (Part I), Los Angeles and San Francisco Daily Journal, August 12, 2024
- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, A glimpse into the secret world of litigation funding agreements (Part II), Los Angeles and San Francisco Daily Journal, August 19, 2024
- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, Third party litigation funding and mediation: lessons from the Sysco/Burford saga (Part III), Los Angeles and San Francisco Daily Journal, August 26, 2024
- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, co-author, *Arbitrage internationale et médiation : une combinaison vertueuse pour les contentieux internationaux ?* Option Droit & Affaires, June 18, 2025.
- ❖ Guest Lecturer, UIA (Union Internationale des Avocats) UIA MEDLAB (2024)
- ❖ Guest Lecturer, International Mediation CONSENSUS Campus - IMI-approved certified mediation training program (2024)
- ❖ Guest Professor, Yerevan State University, Master of Laws International Courts and Arbitration (2024, 2025)

- ❖ Expert Assessor at IBA-VIAC CDRC Vienna Mediation and Negotiation Competition (2024, 2025)
- ❖ Creator/Moderator of Paris Arbitration Week discussion: *The Holistic Approach to Dispute Resolution: How the Combination of Mediation and International Arbitration can be Used to Meet your Client's Dispute Resolution Goals* (2024)
- ❖ Creator/Moderator of Paris Arbitration Week discussion: *The Future is Mixed-Mode*, sponsored by CMAP and LERINS (2025)
- ❖ Speaker, Mediation Festival by ADR Hellenic Training Hub, Thessaloniki, Greece (2024)
- ❖ Judge/Mediator, ICC International Commercial Mediation Competition (2022, 2023, 2025)
- ❖ Mediation faculty, Beverly Hills Bar Association, *Mediation Theories and Styles* (2024)
- ❖ Teaching Mentor, Singapore Management University Yong Pung How School of Law, Infrastructure of Mediation Ecosystem in France (2024)
- ❖ Mediation coach for CMAP and ICC competitions, Université-Paris-Panthéon-Assas, Master Droit international (2023, 2024)
- ❖ Speaker, Armenian Arbitration Week: *Why Mediation Matters More Than Ever? Quiet Power in a Noisy World* (2025)
- ❖ Lisa B. Morgan, *How mediation opportunities are squandered and how to avoid doing the same*, LinkedIn (September 15, 2025)

(NON-LEGAL) INTERESTS

- ❖ Morgan holds a *Diplôme Le Cordon Bleu Culinary Arts* (high honors) from the California School of Culinary Arts. She has extensive experience in restaurant industry and the culinary arts.
- ❖ A sports enthusiast, Morgan finished four Ironman triathlons and nineteen marathons, including Boston (3x). And then some.
- ❖ Morgan authored and holds a copyright to three books.
- ❖ Morgan has served as an active board member for many non-profit organizations in Los Angeles supporting the emotional, physical, financial, and educational success of Los Angeles children and their families.
- ❖ Morgan holds a *Certificat Pratique de Langue Française* from the Sorbonne Université in Paris, FR.