

WILLIAM J. HUNT

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EDUCATION

SETON HALL UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW: Newark, New Jersey
J.D., 1970

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY: Middletown, Connecticut
B.A., Economics, 1958

EXPERIENCE

William J. Hunt & Associates: Hackensack, New Jersey
Principal Attorney: 1996-present

DeMaria, Ellis, Hunt, Salsberg & Friedman: Newark, New Jersey
Founding Partner: 1982-1996

- Extensive experience in defense of civil actions and criminal prosecutions in the United States District Courts for the Districts of New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Pennsylvania and Florida as well as in state courts of general jurisdiction. General and special counsel for public entities. Ongoing services as discovery and special master, bankruptcy trustee, arbitrator and mediator in a variety of complex matters.

United States Magistrate, District of New Jersey: Newark, New Jersey
1974-1982

- Presided by consent at more than 200 jury and non-jury civil and criminal trials in the United States District Court
- Member, Speedy Trial Act Planning Group, U.S. District Court
- Equal Employment Opportunity Officer, U.S. District Court
- Special Master, United States of Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit

Assistant United States Attorney, District of New Jersey : Newark, New Jersey
Civil Division: 1971-1974 (Deputy Chief 1973-1974)

- Represented United States in defense of numerous actions brought under Federal Tort Claims Act. Prosecuted civil seizure actions for federal agencies such as FDA, DEA and USDA, including U.S. v. Articles of Food...(Bon Vivant Soups), United States v. Lit Drug Co. and United States v. Premo Pharmaceutical Co.

CIBA Pharmaceutical Company: Summit, New Jersey
Coordinator-Drug Regulatory Affairs: 1969-1971

- Responsible for assembly and filing of new drug applications and abbreviated new drug applications with United States Food and Drug Administration.
- Responsible for regulatory compliance with Code of Federal Regulations.

APPOINTMENTS

Discovery Master: Superior Court of New Jersey
In re Prudential Life Insurance Company of America
Mass Tort Litigation.
2010-Present

Member by appointment: Criminal Justice Act Defense Panel, U.S. District Court,
District of New Jersey
2001-Present

Special Master: U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey
1986-Present - Appointments to hear and determine discovery disputes in multidistrict
litigation.

Certified Arbitrator: U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey
1987-Present - Regularly conduct hearings in arbitrate matters in U.S. District
Court; arbitrator and umpire in complex reinsurance disputes by private
retention.

Certified Mediator: U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey
1992-Present - Active in mediation of complex civil actions in U.S. District Court.

Mediator: Superior Court of New Jersey
1995-Present - Appointed by Chief Justices Wilentz, Poritz and Rabner and Judges
Martinotti, Hoens and Fitzpatrick

1982-Present – Responsible for administration of numerous complex proceedings under
Title 11 U.S. Code.

Lecturer: Federal Court Practice – New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education

Instructor: Bergen County Police Academy – Provide instruction to police agencies
Regarding responsibilities under federal civil rights statutes.

BAR ADMISSIONS

State of New Jersey: 1970

U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey: 1970

U.S. Court of Appeals, for the Third Circuit: 1972

U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York: 2000

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York: 2000