

**Joshua F. King**

Associate

[Email Link](#)

Mr. King enjoys acquiring knowledge of the various aspects and intricacies of dispute resolution and applying them in the litigation, negotiation and mediation. Mr. King earned his law degree from the University of Tulsa and his masters degree in dispute resolution from Pepperdine University. Mr. King also earned a certificate in dispute resolution from the University of Tulsa and a certificate in conflict resolution from the University of Utah. He has mediated and handled various cases in Utah. Mr. King's unwavering commitment to achieving equitable results is demonstrated by his personal concern for his clients and willingness to settle and closure is obtained. Mr. King divides his professional time between his law practice and mediation practice. Mr. King's mediation practice focuses on the areas of family and domestic relations and divorce, personal injury, employment, real estate, construction and business.

**Practice Areas:** Mediation; Personal Injury; Employment Law; Estate Planning; Family Law.

**Education and Training**

- **Masters of Dispute Resolution** - Pepperdine University School of Law [Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution](#) (Ranked the #1 Law School for Dispute Resolution by [U.S. News & World Report](#))
- **Juris Doctorate**- [University of Tulsa](#)
- **Domestic Relations Mediation Training** (Approved by the Association for Conflict Resolution) The Mediation Center for Family Institute for Dispute Resolution
- **Civil Harassment Mediation Training** - Los Angeles Superior Court
- **Dispute Resolution Clinic** - Pepperdine University
- **Certificate in Dispute Resolution** - University of Tulsa
- **Certificate in Conflict Resolution** - University of Utah, [Department of Communications](#)
- **B.A. (Communications and Sociology)** - University of Utah

**Experience**

- **King Mediation** - Mediator/ Managing Partner
- **King & King Law Offices** - Attorney
- [Jeff Krivis](#) at **First Mediation** in Los Angeles, California
- **California Academy of Mediation Professionals** in Los Angeles, California
- **Legal Aid Society** (New York City, NY)

**Memberships and Admissions**

- **Utah State Bar**
- **Dispute Resolution Section of the Utah State Bar**
- **Officer, Dispute Resolution Section of Utah State Bar** (Secretary)
- **Utah Council on Conflict Resolution**
- **Utah Supreme Court**
- **U.S. District Court of Utah**
- **American Bar Association**

- **Salt Lake County Bar**
- **Davis County Bar**
- **Central Utah Bar**
- **Litigation Section of the Utah State Bar**

### Endorsements

**Utah Business Magazine** will feature Joshua F. King in their January 2007 edition as one of their Utah's Legal Elite. Utah Legal Elite lawyers decided by peer ballot within the legal profession.

#### **Jeffrey Krivis, First Mediation, Los Angeles, California**

"In my twenty four years as a lawyer, I have seldom come across a person as outstanding as Josh. In essence, he has the rare ability intersection of idea and result. I am convinced that he will be a major influence on legal scholars and practitioners alike, particularly

- *Jeffrey Krivis, Mediator/Attorney, Los Angeles*

#### **Roberta H. Kyman, Commissioner, Superior Court of Los Angeles**

"Without his (Mr. Joshua King's) expertise and ability to broker negotiated settlements, our calendars would have been overwhelmed highly emotional, and sometimes verbally combative, litigants into mediation and reach resolutions that I would not have thought possible. My knowledge of legal issues were highly impressive."

- *Roberta H. Kyman, Commissioner, Superior Court of Los Angeles*

### Presentations

**Negotiation in Mediation: The Advocate as the Solution to a More Valuable Agreement** - Davis County Bar Luncheon - October

**What Does It Take for You To Move? How to Deal with Economic Decision-Making Factors** - Utah Bar Fall Forum - November

**Negotiation in Mediation: The Advocate as the Solution to a More Valuable Agreement** - Salt Lake City & Davis County - December

**Current Developments in ADR** - Panel Member - University of Utah - February 2006

### Articles and Publications

"Mediation as Opera: It Ain't Over 'Till the Phat Mediator Sings"

"The Self-Fulfilling Prophecy: The Mediator's Role in Preventing Its Realization"

"The Religious Chasm: The Cultural Divide between Mormons and Non-Mormons"

"The Psychology of Conflict: Emotions, Energy and Money"

"Mediation Philosophies: What Are Yours? Do They Progress the Profession?" (See <http://mediate.com/articles/kingj1.cfm>)

"Negotiation in Mediation: The Role of the Advocate as the Solution to a More Valuable Agreement"

"Psychology of Negotiation: Restorative Justice and the Power of Apology"

"A Look at Online Dispute Resolution"