



RACHEL YUREK, J.D.

Neutral Arbitrator

PROFILE

Experienced labor relations professional with more than a decade in labor-management contract negotiations, claim and grievance arbitrations, and employee performance. Licensed attorney (AR).

Available for in-person and virtual arbitrations

CONTACT

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ABOUT ME

Native Arkansan living in Fort Worth, Texas and raising three boys with my husband, Doug. Twin mom, community volunteer, SEC football lover, crossword puzzle enthusiast, unwitting monster truck fan.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Mediation Board

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Carrier Member to:

Public Law Board (PLB)

PLB 6701 – IAM

PLB 6987 – IBEW

PLB 7052 – BRC

PLB 7375 – IBEW

PLB 7439 – IAM

PLB 7501 – NCFO

PLB 7537 – NCFO

PLB 7572 – BRC

PLB 7576 – ATDA

PLB 7638 – SMART-Mechanical

PLB 7741 – IBEW

National Railroad Adjustment Board (NRAB)
Second Division - IBEW

WORK EXPERIENCE

BNSF Railway Director, Labor Relations

May 2012 – January 2023

Increasing levels of responsibility for all aspects of labor relations, including primary responsibility for nine collective bargaining agreements and all contracting out notices (excluding BMWED and BRS); drafted hundreds of submissions and represented BNSF as Carrier member at arbitrations; negotiated and drafted CBA updates, side letters, and agreements.

Pulaski County (AR) Circuit Court Judicial Law Clerk

August 2010 – April 2012

Practiced family and probate law: divorce, custody and support, domestic orders of protection, guardianships and decedent's estates

EDUCATION & SKILLS

Admitted to practice in Arkansas – in good standing, out of state resident

University of Arkansas School of Law, Fayetteville, AR

J.D., *cum laude*

Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

B.A. Rhetoric, *cum laude*