



## Christopher J. Weiss

Board Certified in Construction

Christopher Weiss has been practicing law for 39 years. Mr. Weiss is a board certified construction attorney. For 35 years, via amalgamation with Holland & Knight LLP, Mr. Weiss focused on Construction Law. Over the years, Mr. Weiss has handled mediations involving hundreds of parties. Mr. Weiss founded his own mediation and construction boutique firm in 2012. He is able to assist you in mediating your dispute or enforcing your contracts to help manage risk in any civil case.

If you need an aggressive mediator, who can handle intransigent parties, Mr. Weiss is the person who can be as tough as necessary to achieve a successful mediation

Mr. Weiss is a recognized authority in construction matters. Mr. Weiss has mediated cases involving construction defects, delay, disruption, acceleration claims associated with all aspects of construction. Mr. Weiss has mediated cases involving major litigation in state and federal courts. He has also arbitrated hundreds of cases. Mr. Weiss' focus of late has been on litigating and mediating claims arising from leaks in building envelope systems, which cause water intrusion, mold and mildew. Mr. Weiss has mediated and arbitrated cases involving OSHA claims.

Mr. Weiss has mediated cases involving construction managers, project managers, developers, architects, engineers and building owners. Should a dispute arise between the parties, we are prepared to assist as a mediator or arbitrator.

### Professional Education and Qualifications

Florida State University College of Law 1974-1977  
JD, Law, Cum Laude

Florida State University 1970-1974  
Political Science & Government  
BA, Cum Laude

### Bar Admissions

Florida Bar (1977) Board Certified – Construction 2005-2016  
Florida State Courts  
U.S. District Courts (Middle and Southern Districts of Florida and District of Colorado)  
U.S. Supreme Court

### Designations/Activities/Memberships

Martindale Hubbell AV Rated 1991-2016  
Orlando Magazine Best Lawyers 2010-2016  
Florida Super Lawyers Magazine 2006-2016  
Florida Legal Elite, Florida Trend Magazine 2005-2008, 2012, 2014-2016  
The Best Lawyers in America Guide for Orlando in Bet the Company Litigation 2010-2015  
The Best Lawyers in America Guide, Construction Law Litigation 2006-2016  
The Best Lawyers in America Guide, Construction Law 2006-2016  
Chambers USA, Construction Law 2005-2016  
U.S. News & World Report, Best Law Firm Ranking 2015  
Orange County Bar Association  
Orange County Legal Aid Society  
American Bar Association

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### Areas of Practice

#### Arbitration/Mediation involving:

Construction Defects (condos, commercial & residential properties)

Civil Disputes/litigation (breach of contract, creditor's rights, collections, negligence, insurance, legal malpractice, professional malpractice)

HOA Disputes

Mechanic's Liens

Contract Disputes (real estate, government, shareholders)

Real Estate Disputes (landlord/tenant, evictions)

Engineering Disputes

OSHA Claims

Personal Injury/Wrongful Death

Property/Casualty (hurricane, sinkholes)

Wrongful Termination