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Roger Haydock is a Special Master and a nationally and internationally known arbitrator, mediator, author, law professor, and lawyer. He is also the Director of Education with the National Arbitration Forum, President of the Academy of Court Appointed Masters, and Director of the Advanced Dispute Resolution Institute.

Mr. Haydock obtained his Juris Doctorate from DePaul University and has held several positions in the legal profession and academia, including a long-standing position as Professor of Law at the William Mitchell College of Law. He has taught dispute resolution, advocacy, lawyering skills, trial advocacy, pretrial litigation, civil procedure, evidence, and clinical courses. He has also taught at the University of San Diego and Colorado and has taught international law and dispute resolution programs in Oxford and London.

Mr. Haydock has extensive experience as a mediator and arbitrator. He has arbitrated cases in the areas of commercial, personal injury, healthcare, intellectual property, construction, real estate, consumer, and employment law. He has been a mediator and neutral for over 500 cases ranging from small to billion dollar disputes. He has also conducted other ADR procedures including summary jury trials, mini-trials, mediated settlement conferences, and early neutral evaluations.

Mr. Haydock is Special Master in the Federal MDL Baycol Products Liability Litigation and has served as special master in ten other major federal court cases. He is a charter member and founder of the Academy of Court Appointed Masters. He created and developed the Law School Arbitration Competition, which is co-sponsored by the ABA Law Student Division and the National Arbitration Forum. He currently serves as Chair of the Arbitration Competition Committee.

Mr. Haydock has extensive practice experience. He has been Of Counsel with Robins, Kaplan, Miller & Ciresi, Clark C. Griffith, and Horton and Langevin. He also was Director of the WMCL Law Clinic and Director of Litigation with Legal Assistance of Ramsey County. And, he was the first Director of the Minnesota Advocacy Institute.

Mr. Haydock is also a prolific author and lecturer. He has authored and co-authored practice books, law school textbooks, civil procedure treatises, legal manuals, law review articles and many magazine articles. A few of his books include: *Trial Advocacy Before Judges, Jurors, and Arbitrators*, *Without the Punches: Resolving Disputes Without Litigation*, *Negotiation Practice*, *Discovery Practice*, *Motion Practice*, and *Lawyering: Practice and Planning*. Mr. Haydock also lectures at numerous continuing education courses for lawyers and other professionals.

Mr. Haydock is a member of Warren E. Burger Inn of Court, the Bar of the State of Minnesota, the Federal District Court of Minnesota, the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals, and the United States Supreme Court. He is also actively involved as a member in the American Bar Association and the ABA's Section of Dispute Resolution.

Roger Haydock is married with three children and six grandchildren. He is an avid traveler, reader, motorcyclist and a charter member of the Road Lawyers Street Legal Club.