



Tim Engler

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Tim Engler's practice revolves around helping resolve business and personal disputes through litigation, arbitration, and mediation. His experience with jury trials has gained recognition by others culminating in his admission as a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers. Tim is also well versed as an arbitrator and mediator, and he is one of eight Nebraska lawyers admitted to the National Academy of Distinguished Neutrals. Most of his practice involves commercial disputes, plaintiff's personal injury, and employment litigation.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Mediation
- Commercial Litigation
- Personal Injury
- Wrongful Death
- Employment, Labor and Benefits

ADMISSIONS

- Nebraska
- U.S. District Court (D. Neb.)
- U.S. Court of Appeals (8th Circuit, 10th Circuit, D.C. Circuit, and Federal Circuit)
- U.S. Supreme Court

EDUCATION

- South Dakota State University, B.S., with High Honor, 1976
- University of Nebraska College of Law, J.D., with distinction, 1979

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY

- Fellow, American College of Trial Lawyers (inducted 2017)
- President of the Nebraska State Bar Association (2017-2018)
- Nebraska Lawyers Foundation, President (2016-2017)
- American Bar Association
- Lincoln Bar Association
- Nebraska Association of Trial Attorneys
- Robert Van Pelt American Inn of Court (2009 - 2021), Executive Committee (2014 - 2021)

SUCCESSSES

- Obtained Summary Judgment in federal district court which was affirmed by the 8th Circuit for a majority shareholder in a claim brought by a former minority shareholder to set aside a release and seek a seven-figure judgment for minority shareholder oppression.
- Mediates in excess of one hundred cases each year, including employment, commercial disputes, estate litigation, personal injury and insurance claims.
- Successfully defended the State of Nebraska as a Special Assistant Attorney General in a federal class action lawsuit challenging the administration of the foster care program administered by the Department of Health. Plaintiffs sought injunctive relief and judicial oversight of the program. The case was dismissed by the federal district court
- Obtained a favorable settlement for the Nebraska Investment Council in an action by a Receiver appointed by the Securities and Exchange Commission to take over an alleged Ponzi Scheme initiated in the State of New York seeking to "claw-back" the gains obtained by the NIC as a result of an investment in the defunct entity.
- Tried over 10 jury trials involving claims of discrimination or retaliation in federal and state court.