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Form: ADR Listing Application Form FINAL

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1. This application is for:	Arbitrator,Mediator
2. Applicant is to be listed for:	Patent Disputes,Trade Secret Disputes
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k. In what locales are you willing to serve?	Available to serve nationally.
-	Arbitration/Mediation of patent and trade secret disputes. Electrical engineer and former U.S. Air Force officer with 26+ years litigating patent and other technology-related cases at Gibson Dunn, Jones Day and Howrey. Represented plaintiffs and defendants. Able to engage directly with the technical merits: claim scope, infringement, invalidity and misappropriation theories. AAA arbitrator (Large Complex Case, Technology and Commercial panels); WIPO-listed mediator; mediation training at the Straus Institute (Pepperdine). Technologies include semiconductors, computer architecture, AI, EVs, battery energy storage and medical devices. Based in Newport Beach, CA; available to serve nationwide.
(all degrees received, stating degree, and school):	Juris Doctor - Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, CA Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering - Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY
a. States:	California (SBN 204529)

b. Admitted to Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit:	Yes
c. Admitted to U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:	No
d. Others:	Federal Circuit and Ninth Circuit Courts of Appeals; Central, Southern, Northern, and Eastern Districts of California; Eastern District of Texas
a. Course(s); Institutions; Dates:	Mediating the Litigated Case (40-hour training) - Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution (Pepperdine), July 2026 AAA Advanced Arbitrator Training: Process and Practice - American Arbitration Association, Nov 2026
b. Total Number of Hours:	55
c. Approx. number of interactive, clinical hours:	35
d. Any Certificate Awarded?	Yes
Provider(s)/and Subject Matter	American Arbitration Association (AAA) National Roster of Arbitrators (Large Complex Case, Technology, Commercial, and

of Panels, if appropriate.	Expedited panels) World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) List of Mediators
a. Have you participated as arbitrator, or party attorney or representative, in at least one arbitration from beginning, through a complete trial, and arbitration decision/award?	Yes
b. Have you participated as mediator, or party attorney or representative, in at least one complete mediation?	Yes
c. Approximate Number of Years practicing patent law:	26
d. Approximate Number of Years practicing patent litigation:	26

e. What specific areas of technical knowledge and experience do you have and wish to identify? [Separate by semicolons (;)] [Limit of 450 characters]	Semiconductor design and operation; semiconductor manufacturing and manufacturing equipment; computer architecture; data storage; signal processing; artificial intelligence processors and accelerators; large language models and machine learning; electric vehicles; battery and energy storage systems; aircraft electrical and energy storage systems; medical devices; electrical engineering generally.
f. Approximate Number of Years practicing trade secret law:	5
g. Approximate Number of Years practicing trade secret litigation:	5
h. Approximate Number of Years practicing trademark/trade dress law:	2
i. Approximate Number of Years practicing trademark/trade dress litigation:	2

j. Have you handled cases involving survey evidence?	Yes
k. Approximate Number of Years practicing copyright law:	
l. Approximate Number of Years practicing copyright litigation:	
a. Major Professional Recognitions: [If, necessary, refer to your resume]	Best Lawyers in America (2025-Present) for Patent Litigation Super Lawyers (2012-2018) for IP and Patent Litigation
b. Professional and other Associations and Leadership Positions: [If, necessary, refer to your resume]	American Intellectual Property Law Association, Orange County Intellectual Property Law Association, Silicon Valley Arbitration and Mediation Center, Orange County Bar Association, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
c. Other relevant experience: (for example, judicial	

experience presiding over/settling patent and/or trade secret cases, teaching ADR and/or IP courses, etc.):	
10. A CURRENT RESUME OR CURRICULUM VITAE MUST BE UPLOADED BELOW. PLEASE CONFIRM THE ACCURACY THEREOF BY STATING "YES" BELOW:	Yes (Required)
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-	Frank P. Cote
-	24 November 2026

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