

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**

**VERIFICATION OF QUALIFICATIONS TO ACT AS MEDIATOR  
IN THE MORTGAGE MODIFICATION MEDIATION PROGRAM (MMM)**

Name: Carrie Thompson Jones

Bar ID (list all applicable state bar numbers): Arizona - 027471

Address: 2 North Central Avenue, Suite 1800

Phone Number: 602-533-2897 E-mail Address: carrie@mandglawgroup.com

In accordance with the Mortgage Modification Mediation Procedures for the District of Arizona, I verify that I am qualified for and agree to serve as a Mediator for the calendar year of 2020, after which I must reapply, as follows:

1. Minimum Qualifications to act as a Mediator in the Arizona MMM program.

a. I am a registered user on PACER and CM/ECF.

b. I have satisfactorily completed at least six (6) hours of MMM training presented by Mortgage Modification Education, Inc. and: (check all that apply)

I am an active and licensed member of the Arizona Bar and have been admitted to practice in a state or federal court for at least five (5) years.

I am a retired Arizona state court judge or federal judge.

I am an active panel trustee in good standing with the Office of the United States Trustee with at least five (5) years of service as a panel Trustee in Arizona.

I am an active and licensed member of the \_\_\_\_\_ bar and approved MMM mediator on the register of mediators with the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Courts for the District of \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_. I agree to accept MMM assignments in Arizona.

2. Additional Qualifications to be considered: (check all that apply)

I have completed the following legal education on mediation, in addition to or other than as described above. (ATTACH CERTIFICATE TO THIS SHEET)

I have completed at least 4 mediation sessions, including 0 MMM sessions.

I am a full  or part-time  bankruptcy practitioner with 9 years' experience.

I have working knowledge of governmental and banking mortgage modification programs (please list):

General familiarity with various loan types (i.e.: VA, FHA, HUD, Conventional, Fannie/Freddie, etc.) and modification programs such as HAMP and HARP.

Add here any other relevant factors that should be considered:

I have informally mediated hundreds of loss-mitigation or pre-foreclosure files in the last nine years, even though I can only report 4 formal (in active litigation) mediation sessions. My background as an attorney is in mortgage servicing industry

3. Additional required information: (answer all that apply)

There are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against the applicant, nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

Applicant has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Arizona. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

Applicant is a member of good standing in all the following State Bar Associations:

Arizona (formerly in Real Property and International Law sections).

4. I have taken the oath or affirmation prescribed by 28 U.S.C. § 453 and have attached proof thereof to this Verification.

5. I agree to accept the current compensation rate established by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Arizona.

6. I am familiar with and will comply with all notice and reporting requirements as implemented in General Order 16-2 and the MMM Program Procedures and Forms.
7. I will disclose to the Court any bias or prejudice which may disqualify me as a mediator.
8. I will accept referrals for cases filed in: (check all that apply):  
 Phoenix,  Tucson,  Yuma.

I certify under penalty of perjury that all the information on this form is true.

By:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

Carrie Thompson Jones, Esq.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Name)

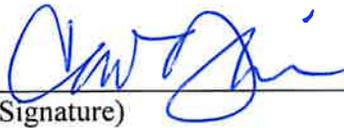
**THIS FORM MUST BE FILED WITH THE CLERK'S OFFICE AT 230 N. 1<sup>ST</sup> AVE.,  
STE 101, PHOENIX, AZ 85003 OR 38 S. SCOTT AVE., TUCSON, AZ 85701.  
YOU MAY ATTACH A ONE PAGE RESUME TO THIS VERIFICATION.**

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

MEDIATOR'S OATH

Each mediator of the United States Bankruptcy Court shall take the following oath or affirmation before performing the duties of his office:

"I, Carrie Thompson Jones do solemnly swear or affirm that I will administer justice without respect to persons, and do equal rights to the poor and to the rich, and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a mediator for the United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Arizona, under the Constitution and laws of the United States."

By:   
(Signature)

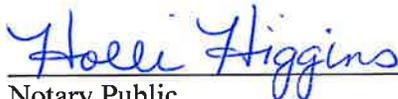
Carrie Thompson Jones, Esq.  
(Print Name)

State of Arizona )  
County of Maricopa )

Subscribed and sworn before me this 11<sup>th</sup> day December, 2019.

(seal)



  
Notary Public



# CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

**Carrie Thompson Jones**

Has completed 7.0 hours of MMM Training

On the 24th day of August, 2018

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Robert J. Lawrence', is written over a horizontal line.

Mortgage Modification Education, Inc.  
MME

# CARRIE THOMPSON JONES

---

## EDUCATION

### **Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law**

*Arizona State University: Tempe, Arizona*

U.S. Department of Homeland Security – Immigration and Customs Externship  
International Law Students Association – Executive Board; Founding Member  
Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition – Member and Judge  
Phoenix Committee on Foreign Relations – Honorary Student Member

*Additional Student Groups: Corporate/Business, Pro Bono Board of Directors, Tech Venture Services*

**Juris Doctorate, May 2009**

### **Kennedy Center for International Studies**

*Brigham Young University: Provo, Utah – International Relations: Political Science & Arabic Studies*

Model Arab League Regional Summit 1996: *Head Delegate* of all-volunteer team; won award for *Best Delegation*.  
Received *Best Delegate* award as Vice Chair of the Economic Affairs Committee.

**Bachelor of Arts, April 1996**

## LEGAL EXPERIENCE

### **Law Office of Carrie Thompson Jones, PLLC**

*Owner and Advisor*

Opened and established firm upon graduation from law school, based upon entrepreneurial knowledge, skills, and abilities obtained in business prior to initiating the practice of law. Depending upon contract or project accepted when not engaged as an employee of a separate firm, practice and advisory areas have included alternative dispute resolution, international business and immigration, corporate structure and governance, startup funding, early-stage innovation finance and development, consumer and commercial real estate and business finance, traditional and digital asset and data protection, privacy and security laws, *et cetera*. Presently acting as an advisor to web developers seeking to work within the securities industry utilizing crowdfunding portals.

Phoenix, Arizona – U.S.A.

*January 2010 – present*

### **Vial Fotheringham, LLP**

*Chair; Business & Financial Services Practice Group*

Drafted regulatory compliance policies for expansion plans to bring a regional law firm into compliance with rules and regulations governing national financial institutions. Formally presented to industry groups as an invited speaker, taught CLE courses, and led informal meetups on Fintech and Regtech in pursuit of business goals. Developed plans for expansion into fields related to blockchain technology ecosystems, tokenization, tech venture/startup, smart contracts, arbitration & mediation, business governance, and asset recovery & protection.

Phoenix, Arizona – U.S.A.

*August 2017 – September 2018*

### **Quintairos, Prieto, Wood & Boyer, P.A.**

*Senior Associate Attorney / Trustee*

Participated in a pilot program to develop a remote satellite office in support of Business, Real Estate, and Financial Institutions operating group. Developed additional practice areas, including medical malpractice and insurance defense.

Phoenix, Arizona – U.S.A.

*October 2015 – October 2016*

### **Zieve, Brodnax, & Steele, LLP (formerly Law Offices of Les Zieve)**

*Litigation Attorney / Trustee*

Managed and developed growing satellite office for firm advancing into new geographic markets. Acted as team lead on all litigation matters, and in supportive role on transactional matters. Stood in fiduciary role for most clients, acting as trustee and counsel during and after foreclosure-related activities such as loss mitigation, deed-in-lieu, short sale, title claims, surplus proceeds, judicial and non-judicial foreclosures, bankruptcy, evictions, and more. Created and implemented an efficiency-based strategic growth plan through addition of personnel, process updates, and development of relationships with new, high-volume clients.

Phoenix, Arizona – U.S.A.

*January 2014 – October 2015*

### **Aldridge Pite LLP (formerly Pite Duncan, LLP)**

*Associate Attorney / Trustee*

Practiced as both a litigator and a transactional attorney in the default-servicing industry. Conducted dozens of bench trials; extensive experience inclusive of state trial and appellate courts. Acted as legal counsel to financial institutions, investors, mortgage servicers, lending partners, and other related entities to protect assets from risk and to confirm compliance with federal regulations. Trained support staff and colleagues on 'best practices' and team efficiencies to successfully manage high-volume caseload.

Phoenix, Arizona – U.S.A.

*August 2010 – July 2013*