

- September 1985 to
September 1987
- Prousky & Biback, Barristers & Solicitors, Toronto, Ontario**
- Practice restricted to civil litigation with a primary emphasis upon insurance litigation from the plaintiff's perspective. Conducted trials (both jury and non-jury) and appeals (appearances in the Court of Appeal of Ontario and Divisional Court). Conducted numerous motions and pre-trial conferences.
- September 1987 to
October 2010
- Laxton Glass LLP (formerly Laxton, Glass & Swartz, Barristers & Solicitors, Toronto, Ontario**
- Practice restricted to civil litigation. Extensive experience in insurance litigation from both a defence and plaintiff perspective. Experience in wrongful dismissal, family law, commercial and real estate litigation. Numerous appearances at trial and on appeal. Appearances at the Financial Services Commission of Ontario (formerly the Ontario Insurance Commission) respecting mediation, pre-arbitration and arbitration hearing. Conducted trials (both jury and non-jury) and appeals (appearances in the Court of Appeal of Ontario and Divisional Court). Conducted numerous motions and pre-trial conferences. Conducted numerous mediations as counsel. Conducted seminars on topical legal issues for major insurance clients. Served as managing partner from 2003 to 2010. Counsel to the firm commencing November 2010.
- January 2006 to
Date
- Cooper Mediation Inc. (formerly LG Mediation & Arbitration Services Inc.)
Toronto, Ontario**
- Principal of a company devoted to mediation and arbitration. Extensive experience as a mediator working primarily in insurance disputes (personal injury, life and disability claims). Extensive experience arbitrating disputes between insurers under the Insurance Act (loss transfer and priority disputes).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

- 1 Member of the ADR Institute of Canada and the ADR Institute of Ontario
- 2 Member of the International Mediation Institute
- 3 Member of the International Academy of Mediators
- 4 Member of the Canadian Bar Association and Ontario Bar Association.
- 5 Member of the Metropolitan Toronto Lawyers Association
- 6 Member of The Advocates' Society
- 7 Former member of Canadian Defence Lawyers, the Defence Research Institute and Medico-Legal Society of Toronto