

# Roy Niedermayer

## PRINCIPAL

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Roy Niedermayer aggressively pursues his clients' objectives, aiming to achieve optimal results under all facts and circumstances. He does this through his decades of successful client outcomes and the use of risk management analyses tempered by his years of pragmatic experience always keeping in mind the realities of his clients' financial constraints because dispute resolution is time-consuming and expensive.

The resolution process begins with Roy's in depth client interview where client goals and objectives are discussed. Roy then poses various options and explains the pros and cons of each option enabling his clients to reach an informed decision regarding the strategy chosen to pursue by the client to achieve a resolution. Roy's focus is always on the client and providing a comprehensive solution to complex problems in a way that is of most benefit to the client.

## Admissions

- District of Columbia
- Maryland
- US Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit
- US Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit
- US Court of Federal Claims
- US District Court for the District of Columbia
- US District Court for the District of Kansas
- US District Court for the District of Maryland
- US District Court for the Eastern District of Texas
- US District Court for the Southern District of New York
- US District Court for the Virgin Islands
- US Supreme Court
- US Tax Court

## Education

- Harvard Law School, JD, 1972

- Yale University, AB, 1969

## Honors

- Best Lawyers in America®, 2020-present (Litigation – Trusts and Estates)
- Super Lawyers®, 2007-2008 and 2010-2018
- Recipient of Anti-Defamation League Award for Outstanding Pro Bono Work in the area of Civil Rights and Discrimination, 1996
- Nominated for the American College of Trial Lawyers “Courageous Advocacy” Award, 1986
- AV Preeminent® Peer Review Rated

## Affiliations

- Governing Regional Board of Directors, Anti-Defamation League, 1981-present
- Yale Club of Washington DC
  - Board Member, 2007-present
  - President, 2007-2008
- Director, Board of Governors of Alumni Association, Yale University, 2011-2013
- Regional Director, Mid-Atlantic, Yale Day of Service
- Board of Directors, Bethesda Help, Inc., a 501(c)(3) providing food assistance and financial help to those in need in Bethesda and surrounding communities
- Peer Review Committee, Attorney Grievance Commission of Maryland, 2017-2022
- Recipient, Kavod Award for Service to the Jewish Community, Congregation Beth El, 1998
- Montgomery County Steering Committee, Glendening Election Committees, 1994 and 1998

## Publications

- “Implementing the Estate Plan: Anticipating and Avoiding Litigation,” Maryland Institute for Continuing Professional Education of Lawyers, Inc., 2009
- “Demonstrative Evidence: Worth A Thousand Words” in Special Litigation Report of the *Legal Times*, 1994

## Speaking Engagements

- “Force Majeure and Insurance Coverage Issues During the Pandemic” A Business Law Section Webinar, Maryland State Bar Association, 2016, [msba.org/force-majeure-and-insurance-coverage-issues-during-the-pandemic-a-business-law-section-webinar/](https://msba.org/force-majeure-and-insurance-coverage-issues-during-the-pandemic-a-business-law-section-webinar/)
- “Implementing the Estate Plan: Anticipating and Avoiding Litigation,” Maryland Institute for Continuing Professional Education of Lawyers, Inc., 2009
- Lecturer, “Aesthetics, Process, Getting It Built – Legal Issues,” The Catholic University of America, Department of Architecture and Planning, 1986
- Lecturer, Small Business Administration, Presentation Series sponsored by SCORE on “How to Start Your Small Business,” Washington DC

## RELATED SERVICES

Appellate

Civil Litigation

Administrative Litigation

Arbitration & Mediation

Commercial & Business Litigation

Insurance Litigation

Professional License Defense

Estates & Trusts

Contested Estate Litigation

Estate Planning

Fiduciary Litigation

Probate

Trust Administration