

# OSBORNE & NESBITT LLP

*Insurance Recovery Lawyers*

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Professional Summary

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### PRACTICE:

Insurance Coverage Analysis and Litigation

### EDUCATION:

University of Chicago, J.D., 1989

Winner: Hinton Moot Court Competition

Recipient: Thomas R. Mulroy Prize for Excellence in Appellate Advocacy with Highest Distinction

University of Iowa, B.A. in English and History, 1984

Cum Laude

Phi Beta Kappa

### BAR INFO:

California - 1990

U.S. District Courts for the Southern, Central, Northern and Eastern Districts of California

U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit

### ASSOCIATIONS:

Lawyer Representative, Southern District of California - 2019 to 2020

Member, Insurance Law Committee, California State Bar Association - 2010 to 2016

Past Chair, Insurance/Bad Faith Section, San Diego County Bar Association - 2010

Master, Enright Chapter, American Inns of Court - 2004 to 2014

### AWARDS:

Southern California "Super Lawyer" - 2010-2020 - Insurance Coverage

San Diego Daily Transcript "Top Attorney," Finalist

### ARTICLES:

**The Duty To Defend: Identifying A Wrongful Denial**

September 2016, *San Diego Lawyer Magazine*

**Insurance Recovery: Silver Lining To Costly Litigation**

April 14, 2016, *Los Angeles Daily Journal*

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**Scrutinize Every Lawsuit For Claims Of Defamation**

March 16, 2016, *Los Angeles Daily Journal*

**Don't Miss The "Buss"**

June 2010, *ADVOCATE: Journal of Consumer Attorneys Association for Southern California*

**How To Negotiate Allocation Of Responsibility Issues Under D&O Policies**

Summer 2006, *Association of Business Trial Lawyers Report*

**Audit Can Turn Wrongful Insurance Denial Into Business Asset**

November 2, 2004, *The Daily Transcript*

**Survival Guide For Cumis Counsel: How To Address Insurers' Challenges To Fees Owed To Independent Counsel**

August 2004, *Association of Business Trial Lawyers Report*

**Fire Insurance: What You Need To Know Now**

March/April 2004, *San Diego Lawyer Magazine*

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS:

**Liability Insurance: Top Ten Facts Every Attorney Should Know**

October 31, 2017 – Association of Corporate Counsel – San Diego, CA  
2017-2018 – Law Firms and In-House Counsel throughout California

**The "Duty To Defend": How To Spot A Wrongful Denial!**

September 14, 2016 - Association of Corporate Counsel - San Diego, CA  
April 21, 2016 - Association of Corporate Counsel - Sacramento, CA

**Insurance Law: The Year In Review**

Annual Program - 2010 to 2015 - San Diego County Bar Association

**An Insurer's "Duty To Defend": Don't Be Short-Changed!**

August 13, 2015 – Association of Corporate Counsel – San Diego, CA

**Land Mines And Gold Mines Of Insurance Coverage**

September 19, 2014 – Association of Corporate Counsel – San Diego, CA

**Negotiating Allocation Issues Under Directors & Officers Policies**

September 25, 2013 - Association of Corporate Counsel - San Diego, CA

**"Rembrandt In The Attic" (The Hidden Value Of A Wrongful Insurance Denial)**

September 13, 2012 - Association of Corporate Counsel - San Diego, CA

**Ten Things Every Attorney Should Know About Insurance Coverage For Business Litigation**

September 16, 2011 - California State Bar Convention - Long Beach, CA

**Would You Like *Cumis* With That? (Everything You've Wanted To Know About The *Cumis* Doctrine, But Have Been Afraid To Ask)**

July 12, 2011 - Association of Corporate Counsel - San Diego, CA  
April 21, 2011 - Association of Corporate Counsel - Sacramento, CA  
September 14, 2010 - San Diego County Bar Association

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### **Liability Insurance: Five Costly Mistakes To Avoid**

July 20, 2010 - San Diego County Bar Association

May 20, 2010 - Association of Corporate Counsel - San Diego, CA

May 11, 2010 - Association of Corporate Counsel - Sacramento, CA

### **Insurance Coverage For Business Litigation: Ten Things Every Corporate Counsel Should Know**

February 17, 2005 - Association of Corporate Counsel - San Diego, CA

### **Hot Topics In Insurance Coverage And Bad Faith Litigation In California: Consequences Of A Wrongful Denial Of The Duty To Defend**

December 3, 2004 - Lorman Education Services - San Diego, CA

### **Insurance Coverage For Fire Loss: What You Need To Know**

December 11, 2003 - San Diego County Bar Association

### **Hot Topics In Insurance Coverage And Bad Faith Litigation In California: *Cumis* Counsel: How Insurers Challenge Fees Owed To Independent Counsel**

December 3, 2003 - Lorman Education Services - San Diego, CA

### **Insurance Law: Third Party Coverage In California**

August 2, 2002 - NBI Seminars - San Diego, CA

### **Land Mines & Gold Mines Of Insurance Coverage**

2001 to 2003 - Law Firms, Business Organizations and In-House Counsel throughout Southern California

## TEACHING ENGAGEMENTS:

### **National Institute Of Trial Advocacy: Trial Skills**

1995 to 2010 - San Diego, San Francisco, Berkeley and Palo Alto

### **National Institute Of Trial Advocacy: Deposition Skills**

1995 to 2010 - San Diego, San Francisco and Seattle

## ARTICLES ABOUT OSBORNE & NESBITT LLP:

### **Looking For Rembrandts**

April 29, 2011, *Los Angeles Daily Journal*

### **Super Lawyers Profile**

June 2010, *Super Lawyers Magazine*

### **Osborne & Nesbitt: Cold-Case Detectives For The Insured**

November 15, 2004, *San Diego Daily Transcript*

### **Osborne & Nesbitt Get Businesses The Coverage They Are Entitled To**

May 7, 2004, *San Diego Daily Transcript*