



## Renée A. Rubino

Of Counsel

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### Practice Areas

Alimony/Spousal

Support

Child Support

Collaborative Divorce

Custody and Parenting  
Time

Division of Assets/  
Equitable Distribution

Divorce and  
Dissolution of Civil  
Unions

Domestic Violence

Mediation and  
Arbitration

Modification of Orders  
or Agreements

Prenuptial and  
Postnuptial  
Agreements

In addition to her litigation practice, Ms. Rubino is trained as a mediator and collaborative attorney. In 2011, she assembled a panel of the top legal, financial and mental health professionals in New Jersey to develop a Basic Interdisciplinary Collaborative Divorce Training for the New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education (ICLE). The panel also offers an Advanced Collaborative Divorce Training for New Jersey professionals. While Ms. Rubino remains committed to alternative dispute resolution methods, these methods are not appropriate for all cases. In those instances where litigation cannot be avoided, Ms. Rubino relies on her many years of litigation experience, including custody trials.

### Professional and Community Involvement

Board Member, New Jersey Women Lawyers Association

(General Counsel, 2008-2011; Co-Chief Operating Officer, 2011-2013; Chairperson, Judicial Outreach Committee, 2013- present)

Former Adjunct Professor of Legal Research and Writing, Seton Hall Law School

Board of Trustees, New Jersey Collaborative Law Group

Presenter/Trainer, New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education (ICLE)

United Way, Women's Leadership Council

New Jersey State Bar Association

Approved Speaker for the National Association of Social Workers (NASW), NJ Chapter

Executive Women of New Jersey, Programming Committee

International Academy of Collaborative Professionals (IACP)

Former President, Board of Trustees, Dr. David Goldberg Child Care Center

### Awards & Recognition

*Super Lawyers* (2014)

AV Preeminent® rating, *MARTINDALE-HUBBELL® PEER REVIEW RATINGS™* (2013)

NJBIZ , *New Jersey's Best Fifty Women in Business* (2011)

NJ Monthly Magazine, *New Jersey's Leading Woman Entrepreneurs* (2011)

Contributing author, *The Road to Independence: 101 Women's Journeys to Starting Their Own Law Firms Way*, American Bar Association publication (2011)

New Jersey Law Journal, "40 Under 40" (2003)

## **Publications and Speaking Engagements**

*Marital Settlement Agreements: The Key to Life After Divorce*

Renée A. Rubino, Esq.  
New Jersey Lawyer Magazine  
Published: December 2012

*The Road to Independence: A Woman's Guide to Forming Her Own Law Firm*

Renée A. Rubino, contributing author  
Published by the American Bar Association

*Divorce with Dignity*

Renée A. Rubino, Esq.  
*PARENTGUIDE NEWS*  
Published: June 2010

Collaborative Practice: A Different Way to Divorce  
Renée A. Rubino, Esq. and Sharon Beskin-Goodman, LCSW

*New Jersey Focus, National Association of Social Workers (NASW) New Jersey Chapter Newsletter, Volume XVIII, Number 3*  
Published: December 2008

*The Case for Mediation*

Renée A. Rubino, Esq.  
New Jersey Law Journal  
Published: November 5, 2007

*Two Day Basic Interdisciplinary Collaborative Divorce Training*  
January 18, 2014 & January 20, 2014

Advanced Mediation Seminar  
March 4, 2014

## **Bar and Court Admissions**

Ohio, 1995

New Jersey, 1996

New York, 2006

S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio, 1996

S. District Court, District of New Jersey, 1997

## **Clerkships**

Mary F. Spicer, Summit County (Ohio) Court of Common Pleas

## **Education**

JD, University of Akron School of Law, 1994

BA, East Stroudsburg University, 1991, *Summa Cum Laude*