

## REX C. ANDERSON- CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EXPERIENCE

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- **Principle of Rex Anderson PC since 1992.** Practicing exclusively in Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, Fair Credit Reporting Act, Telephone Consumer Protection Act, Regulation of Collection Practice Act, Michigan Occupational Code, Debtor Rights/Collection Defense, Consumer Bankruptcy Litigation (Stay and Discharge violations) and Personal Injury Litigation.
- Handled more than 3,000 individual consumer protection and personal injury lawsuits, claims and settlements in state and federal court with extensive focus on illegal debt collection practices in federal court.
- 2009~Present~Eastern Michigan Legal Services, Monthly Pro Bono Services, Flint, MI

### EDUCATION

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- **1992 ~ Juris Doctor and Masters in Business Administration** ~ University of Detroit Law School, Detroit, MI ~ Business Law Journal- Assistant Editor
- **1985 ~ Bachelor's in Science Business Administration with Economics Minor** ~ Hope College, Holland, MI ~ Water Polo Coach/Captain
- **1981 ~ Ann Arbor Huron High School**

### BAR ADMISSIONS

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- 1992 ~ State Courts of Michigan
- 1992 ~ United States District Court Eastern District of Michigan
- 1992 ~ United States Bankruptcy Court Eastern District of Michigan
- 2002 ~ United States District Court Southern District of Texas- Houston Division
- 2010 ~ United States 6<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court of Appeals - Cincinnati, Ohio
- 2011 ~ United States District Court Western District of Michigan
- 2011 ~ United States Bankruptcy Court Western District of Michigan

### PUBLICATIONS

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- September 2010 ~ Michigan Bar Journal- *FDPCA ~ A Law Needing Updating*
- November 2010 ~ NACTT Academy ~ *The Technology of Debt Collection*
- March 2011 ~ Genesee County Bar Beat ~ *Introduction to the FDCPA*
- January 2013 ~ Michigan Consumer Bar Section ~ *Introduction to the TCPA*
- November 2015 ~ Genesee County Bar Beat ~ *FDPCA as Alternative to Bankruptcy*

### CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

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- September 2005 ~ NACBA<sup>1</sup> Conference - Orlando, FL
- February 2006 ~ NCLC<sup>2</sup> - FDCPA<sup>3</sup> Conference - - Austin, TX
- April 2006 ~ NCLC - FCRA<sup>4</sup> Seminar - Las Vegas, Utah
- May 2006 ~ NACBA Bankruptcy Reform Update, New Orleans, LA
- June 2006 ~ Pete Barry FDCPA Boot Camp, Minneapolis, MN
- September 6-12, 2006 ~ O. Max Gardner III Bankruptcy Litigation Boot Camp
- June 19-22, 2008 ~ Pete Barry FDPCA Boot Camp, San Diego, CA
- October 2008 ~ NCLC - Litigation Conference Seminar, Portland, OR
- March 2009 ~ NCLC - FDPCA Seminar - San Diego, CA
- May 2009 ~ NACBA Conference, Chicago, IL
- April 19, 2010 ~ CORT<sup>5</sup> Consumer Law Training, Ann Arbor, MI
- August 8, 2011 ~ NCLC Pay Day Lending Litigation Tel-Conference
- Nov 2, 2011 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Chicago IL
- Feb 22, 2012 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, New Orleans, LA
- Feb 24, 2012 ~ NCLC Class Action Symposium, New Orleans, LA
- April 27, 2012 ~ NACBA Conference – San Antonio, TX
- October 25-28, 2012 ~ Gerry Spence Trial Lawyer College on Voir Dire, Illinois
- March 7, 2013 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Baltimore, MD
- November 6, 2013 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Washington, DC
- November 8, 2013 ~ Class Action Symposium, Washington, DC
- March 7, 2014 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, San Antonio, TX
- March 12-13, 2015 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Washington, DC
- March 10-11, 2016 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Miami, Fla
- March 28, 2016 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, New Orleans, LA

## TEACHING

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- May 16, 2007 ~ GCBA<sup>6</sup> Introduction to the FDCPA
- Jan 15, 2008 ~ Flint Library Collection Harassment Seminar (Featured on ABC Nightly News)
- June 1, 2009 ~ Highland MI Library Consumer Debtor Rights Seminar
- March 10, 2010 ~ Flint Library- *Ask the Lawyer*- Consumer Rights in Debt Collection

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<sup>1</sup> NACBA - National Association of Consumer Bankruptcy Attorneys

<sup>2</sup> NCLC – National Consumer Law Center

<sup>3</sup> FDCPA – Fair Debt Collection Practice Act

<sup>4</sup> FCRA – Fair Credit Reporting Act

<sup>5</sup> CORT – Committee on Regional Training

<sup>6</sup> GCBA – Genesee County Bar Association

- March 9, 2011 ~ Flint Library- *Ask the Lawyer*- Consumer Debtor Rights
- March 12, 2012 ~ Flint Library- *Ask the Lawyer*- Illegal Debt Collection Practices
- April 10, 2012 ~ GCBA Family Law Committee – Bankruptcy Issues in Divorce
- April 18, 2012 ~ Faith Tabernacle Church, Burton MI – Debtor Rights Seminar
- April 27, 2012 ~ NACBA Conference, San Antonio, TX, FDCPA In Bankruptcy
- June 14, 2012 ~ Eastern Legal Services of Michigan – *The Peoples' Law School*, Flint, MI - Debtor Rights, Bankruptcy & Mortgage Foreclosure issues
- May 10, 2013 ~ MAJ<sup>7</sup> – Introduction to FDCPA-TCPA law
- March 7- 8, 2014 ~ NCLC – FDCPA conference, Technology in Collections, San Antonio, TX
- January 30, 2015 ~ Genesee County Bankruptcy Seminar - 1) FDCPA, an alternative to Bankruptcy, 2) Federal Consumer Claims in Adversary Proceedings
- March 13, 2015 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Washington DC, Avoiding Problems in Bankruptcy Proceedings with FDCPA Claims
- March 13, 2015 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Washington DC, Pursuing FDCPA Cases in Bankruptcy Adversary Proceedings
- March 11, 2016 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, Miami Fl, Pursuing FDCPA Relief in Bankruptcy Adversary Proceedings
- March 28, 2016 ~ NCLC Litigation Conference, New Orleans LA, Avoiding Bankruptcy Problems in FDCPA cases
- September 28, 2017 ~ Co-Presenter for the Michigan Consumer Bar Section annual meeting, Cobo Hall Detroit, How to diffuse collection lawsuits with consumer law violations

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

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- NACBA (National Association of Consumer Bankruptcy Attorneys)
- NACA (National Association of Consumer Advocates)
- MAJ (Michigan Association of Justice)
- AAJ (American Association for Justice)
- Lapeer County Bar Association
- Genesee County Bar Association
- American Bar Association

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<sup>7</sup> MAJ – Michigan Association of Justice. (formerly (MTLA) the Michigan Trial Lawyers Association

- Counsel Member of the Michigan State Consumer Bar
- Professional Snow Board Instructors Association
- Schussmeisters - Greater Flint Area Ski Club

## MISCELLANEOUS

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6th Circuit Court of Appeals reversal of lower court decision denying relief on fraudulent mortgage. *Sutter v U.S. Bank, Saxon* - CA No 10-1656. 6th Circuit Court of Appeals reversal of lower court decision permitting QWR as a discovery device in Bankruptcy Adversary Proceedings. *Conley v Central Mortgage Company*, (08-CV-13432 ED Mich 2009).