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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Compass Lexecon, Chicago, Illinois (April 2020 – Present): Executive Vice President  
Compass Lexecon, Chicago, Illinois (July 2015 – March 2020): Senior Vice President  
TGG Group, Chicago, Illinois (February 2014 – June 2015): Managing Director  
Compass Lexecon, Chicago, Illinois (April 2013 – January 2014): Vice President  
Compass Lexecon), Chicago, Illinois (January 2009 – March 2013): Senior Economist  
Compass Lexecon (formerly Lexecon), Chicago, Illinois (June 2007 - Present): Economist  
LEAF Group LLC, Chicago, Illinois (2006 - 2007): Economist  
University of Chicago Economics Dept., Chicago, Illinois (2005-2006): Post-Doctoral Fellow  
PriceWaterhouse LLP, Chicago, Illinois (1997-1999): Transfer Pricing Economist

**FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Damages  
Antitrust & Competition  
Healthcare  
Class Certification

**EDUCATION**

Ph.D., UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, Chicago, Illinois: Economics, 2005  
B.A., COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, New York, New York: Economics/Mathematics, 1997

**ACADEMIC HONORS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Margaret Reid Memorial Dissertation Fellowship 2004-2005  
William Rainey Harper Fellowship Economics Department Nominee 2004  
National Science Foundation Fellowship 2001-2004

University of Chicago Unendowed Fellowship 2000-2001

David Romaine Award for best senior honors thesis in economics 1997

## **TESTIMONY**

Declaration of Erica Benton, *In Re: Oil Spill by the Oil Rig "Deepwater Horizon" in the Gulf of Mexico, on April 20, 2010*, United States District Court Eastern District of Louisiana, MDL No. 2179, Declarations dated September 10, 2013.

## **PRINCIPAL CONSULTING ENGAGEMENTS**

*United States of America v. Benco Dental Supply, Inc., Henry Schein, Inc. and Patterson Companies, Inc.*, Docket No. 9379, August 10, 2018. Supported expert in analysis of potential antitrust harm from an alleged boycotting.

*United States of America v. Benco Dental Supply, Inc., Henry Schein, Inc. and Patterson Companies, Inc.*, Docket No. 9379, August 10, 2018. Supported expert in analysis of potential antitrust harm from an alleged boycotting.

*In Re: Dental Supplies Antitrust Litigation*, No. 1:16-CV-00696-BMC-GRB, United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York. Supported expert in analysis of potential antitrust harm from an alleged price collusion.

*SourceOne Dental, Inc., v. Patterson Companies, Inc., Henry Schein, Inc., and Benco Dental Supply Company*, Case No. 15-cv-05440, United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York. Supported expert in analysis of potential antitrust harm from an alleged collusion to exclude a possible entrant.

*U.S. Futures Exchange, L.L.C., and U.S. Exchange Holdings, Inc., v. Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc., and Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Inc.*, Civil No. 1:04-CV6756, United States District Court Northern District of Illinois Eastern Division. Supported expert in analysis of potential antitrust harm related to entry of USFE in US Treasury Futures and Options on Futures markets.

*United States of America, et al. v. Anthem, Inc., et al.*, United States District Court for the District of Columbia, Civil Action No. 16-CV-1493: Economic and econometric analysis of efficiencies, monopsony, competitive effects and market definition, on behalf of Anthem.

*In Re: Polyurethane Foam Antitrust Litigation*, United States District for the Northern District of Ohio, Western Division, MDL Docket No. 2196, Index No. 10-MD-2196 (JZ): Economic and econometric analysis of class certification issues, on behalf of defendants.

*In Re: Mylan et. al. vs. Warner Chilcott Public: Limited Company, et al*; US District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. Economic and econometric analyses of potential damages on behalf of Warner Chilcott.

*In Re: Canadian Competition Bureau vs. The Toronto Real Estate Board*, Canadian Competition Tribunal Proceeding. Economic analysis of antitrust implications in real estate industry on behalf of Canadian Real Estate Association.

*In re: Oil Spill by the Oil Rig "Deepwater Horizon" in the Gulf of Mexico, on April 20, 2010*, MDL No. 2179: Economic analysis of various issues related to settlement of class claims, on behalf of BP.

*AT&T Inc.'s Proposed Acquisition of T-Mobile USA*: Economic and econometric analysis on behalf of AT&T and T-Mobile before the FCC, Justice Department, and various state public utility commissions.

*In re: Rail Freight Fuel Surcharge Antitrust Litigation, United States District Court for the District of Columbia*, MDL Docket No. 1869, Misc No. 07-489 (PLF): Economic and econometric analysis of class certification issues, on behalf of defendants. Economic and econometric analysis of liability and damage issues, on behalf of BNSF Railway Company.

### **OTHER EXPERIENCE**

University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois: Instructor (College) and Teaching Assistant (Graduate and College)

Referee Journal of Political Economy