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Born and raised in Orange County, California, Michael Pang attended the University of California at Berkeley, earning a Bachelor of the Arts in History. Upon graduating from Cal, Michael attended the King Hall School of Law at the University of California at Davis, graduating with a Juris Doctorate and also completing the Public Service Law Program.

While in law school, Michael first clerked for the Santa Clara District's Attorney's office before joining Adelson, Testan, Brundo, Novell & Jimenez, beginning a 15 year career which started as a law clerk, before returning to Orange County as an associate attorney, then as the youngest partner of the firm, and finally, as the managing partner of the nationwide Sports Law Practice Group.

He was certified in 2013 by the California State Bar Association as a legal specialist in the field of workers' compensation and defends all aspects of workers' compensation, with experience in assisting a wide variety of employers, from small mom and pop stores to large international corporations.

In addition to the claims filed by former athletes, Michael also defends death claims, high value catastrophic claims, Labor Code Section 132(a) discrimination claims, and Serious & Willful actions, and has filed multiple appeals with the WCAB and the California Appellate Courts. He has volunteered as a pro tem judge for the California Workers' Compensation Appeals Board.

Michael is one of the six founding partners of Adelson McLean.

PUBLICATIONS

Sports Business Journal, May 27-June 2, 2013 Issue, Page 15

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Law in Sport, August 5, 2013 Online article

"Professional Sports Challenge to California's Liberal Workers' Compensation System Nearing Resolution"