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This book is dedicated to members of several electronic economic discussion lists who willingly contribute their time and talent to help others improve their skills as forensic economists

PREFACE

This volume sits, as it were, on the shoulders of numerous other works produced by forensic economists over the past 30 years. This body of knowledge serves as a foundation for anyone who seeks to work as an economic expert or who desires to learn about the standards of measurement that have been tested and developed in books and peer-reviewed articles.

The present volume is an attempt to both look back and look forward over the entire field of personal damage calculations in civil litigation in the USA. Each chapter addresses a major aspect of economic damages calculation, and does so by relaying what forensic economists have learned about that particular topic, and what still needs to be addressed by future research and analysis.

Contributors to this volume, by and large, are among the most published and recognized authorities in the field of forensic economics. I want to take this opportunity publicly to thank each of them for their willingness to participate in this project. I trust that readers will benefit immensely from the content of their contributions.

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