

Brief Resume of
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Member of the Bar:

District of Columbia
United States District Court for the District of Columbia
United States Court of Appeals
District of Columbia Circuit
Eighth Circuit
United States Supreme Court

Legal Education:

Juris Doctor Degree, 1968
Georgetown University Law Center
Washington, D.C.

Distinctions:

Outstanding Advocate, Class of 1968
Winner of William Leahy Appellate Advocacy Competition, 1967
Chair of the Barristers' Council, 1968

Legal Experience

1999 – 2000	Interim Dean, Franklin Pierce Law Center
1974 – 2001	Professor of Law, Franklin Pierce Law Center
1980 – present	Speaker for New Hampshire Humanities Council on various subjects including, Free Speech, Religion, Ethics, US Supreme Court, and Civil Liberties after 9/11.
1972 – 1974	Executive Director, National Consumer Law Center
1971	Visiting Professor, Arizona State Univ. Law School
1970 – 1973	Adjunct Faculty, Boston College Law School
1970 – 1975	Consultant, U S Office of Economic Opportunity and its successor, National Legal Services Corporation.
1970 – 1972	Litigation Director, National Consumer Law Center
1969 – 1970	Director, Target City Project, Philadelphia, PA (police misconduct & community relations project)

1969 – 1970 Guest Lecturer at Temple University Law School and
Univ. of PA Law School
1968 – 1969 Reginald Heber Smith Community Lawyer Fellow,
University of Pennsylvania Law School

Activities:

1997 – 2003 Comissioner, NH Commission For Human Rights
1995 – 1999 Legal Counsel, N H Civil Liberties Union
1992 – 1999 Board of Directors, N H Civil Liberties Union
1986 – Present Legal Panel, NH Civil Liberties Union

Awards and Distinctions:

1997 Bill of Rights Award, New Hampshire Civil Liberties Union
2001 Professor Emeritus, Franklin Pierce Law Center
2003 Bill of Rights Award, New Hampshire Civil Liberties Union