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## Practice Areas

Commercial Finance, including representation of lenders and borrowers

Public Law, Public Finance and Public Private Partnerships, including representation of public entities and private entities engaging public entities as well as public entities' authorizations, governance and activities and municipal finance and public private partnerships relating to projects and public asset privatization

General Business, including formations, capitalization, governance, operations, mergers, acquisitions and dispositions

## Education

- Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts  
J.D., 1974
- Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire  
A.B., 1971

## Admitted to Practice

- Supreme Court of Ohio, 1974
- United States District Court, 1975

## Public Service

- Director of Law, City of East Cleveland, Ohio; 1998 to 2004
- Assistant Director of Law, City of Cleveland, Ohio; 1981 to 1983

## Boards of Directors

- FirstEnergy Corp. (predecessor, Ohio Edison Company), electric utility holding company, Akron, Ohio; Director, 1994 to 1998
- FirstMerit Corporation (predecessor, First Bancorporation), bank holding company, Akron, Ohio; Director, 1990 to 1997
- First National Bank of Ohio, Akron, Ohio; Director, 1990 to 1995
- Shore Bank, Cleveland, Ohio; Director, 1995 to 1997

## Diplomatic and Other Appointments

- Honorary Consul of the Republic of Guinea, 1996 to present
- Central State University, Wilberforce, Ohio; Trustee, 1987 to 1997

## Honorary Degree

Doctor of Laws, Central State University, Wilberforce, Ohio, 1991



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