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**ADMITTED TO PRACTICE:**

Pennsylvania (1983); New Jersey (1984)

U.S. District Courts: Eastern District of Pennsylvania and New Jersey

U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit

**PRIMARY AREAS OF PRACTICE:**

***Environmental, Health and Safety / Natural Resources Law / Transportation Law***

- Waste and Hazardous Substance Regulation and Cleanup
- Air Pollution, Indoor Air • Public Utilities and Renewable Energy; Motor Carrier Licensing
- Water Pollution, Stormwater, Wetlands, and Safe Drinking Water
- Permitting, Administrative and Court Proceedings • Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Trustee Service for Remediation Sites • Expert Testimony Evaluations
  
- Management Systems, ISO • Internal Audits and Investigations
- Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know
- Chemical Regulation (Notification, Packaging and Labeling, Import-Export)
- Agriculture, Pesticides, Organic Certification; Food Registration • OSHA

***Property and Commercial Law***

- Real Estate • Land Use, Zoning, Historic Preservation
- Community and Brownfields Development
  
- Contracts; Computer and Internet Law; E-Commerce
- Business and Nonprofit Organizations
- Corporate Governance and Compliance

**PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:**

Environmental Counsel, Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. (Syngenta AG)

Assistant Secretary, GB Biosciences Corporation and GB Biosciences Holdings, Inc.  
Wilmington, Delaware (11/00-11/02)

Senior Environmental Counsel, AstraZeneca

(Zeneca Ag Products Inc.; Zeneca Inc.; ICI Americas Inc.)  
Wilmington, Delaware (9/91-11/00)

Associate, Blackburn Michelman & Tyndall, P.C.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1/90-8/91)

Associate, Blank Rome Comisky & McCauley (Environmental Group, Real Estate Department)

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (4/87-12/89)

Attorney-Advisor, Office of Regional Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region III

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (10/84-4/87)

Deputy Assistant Counsel, Office of Counsel to the Governor of New Jersey (Thomas Kean)

Trenton, New Jersey (9/83-9/84)

## **EDUCATION:**

Temple University School of Law, J.D., 1983

- Editor-in-Chief (Vol. II, 1983); Associate Editor (Vol. I, 1982), *Temple Journal of Environmental Law and Technology* [f/k/a *Outlook Environmental Journal*], Temple University School of Law
- Finalist and Winner of Best Brief Award, Samuel Polsky Moot Court Competition (1983)

Bryn Mawr College Graduate School of Arts and Science, M.A. in Philosophy, 1978

McGill University (Graduate Study in Philosophy), 1972-1973

New York University, B.A. *cum laude* (English and Philosophy), *Phi Beta Kappa*, 1972

## **PRESENTATIONS and PUBLICATIONS:**

Panel Member, “Socially Responsible Investing,” Temple University Fox School of Business (Mar. 2008)

Panel Member / Moderator: Legal Issues – Social Venture Institute, Philadelphia (Nov. 2004 /Nov. 2005)

Instructor, Program Development Workshop, Amer. Inn of Courts Nat’l Leadership Conference (May 2003)

“Expanding the Right-to-Know: Electronic Databases and the Internet,” *The Practical Real Estate Lawyer*, The American Law Institute, Vol. 17, No.1 (January 2001)

“The Ever Expanding Right-to-Know,” *Pesticides, Chemical Regulation, and Right-to-Know Committee Newsletter*, ABA Section of Environment, Energy and Resources, Vol. 1, No. 1 (October 1999)

Panel Member, “EPA Data Compilations on the Internet: Fact or Fiction?,” American Bar Association Annual Convention (Atlanta, GA), August 1999

Panel Member, “Environmental Impacts on Real Estate Transactions,” Tri-State Real Estate Conference, Spring 1987

“The Use of Roman Law in Contemporary Water Pollution Cases,” *Temple Journal of Environmental Law and Technology*, Vol. III (1984)

Numerous In-House Presentations and Educational Programs (Syngenta /AstraZeneca)

## **PROFESSIONAL and COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS:**

American Bar Association (Section of Environment, Energy & Resources)

Philadelphia Bar Association (Real Property Section; Committees on Land Use/Zoning & Code Enforcement, Environmental Law, City Policy, Professional Responsibility)

Delaware Valley Environmental American Inn of Court (Master Level) 1999 - 2005  
Chair. Program Committee 2003 – 2005; Member, Strategic Planning Committee 2001 - 2002

Society of Women Environmental Professionals, Philadelphia Chapter

Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (Member, Regional Citizens Committee)

Delaware Valley Green Building Council (Local Partner 2002-2003)

Sustainable Business Network of Greater Philadelphia, Member

Pro Bono Legal Services: Recipient, First Judicial District of Pennsylvania's Pro Bono Roll of Honor for Exemplary Work (2009); Philadelphia Volunteers for the Indigent Program/LawWorks: Chancellor's Award (2008)

## **NONPROFIT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS**

Director, United Communities Southeast Philadelphia 1999 - 2006; Advisory Committee 2006 - Present  
Vice President and Treasurer 2001-2006

Director, United Communities Community Development Corporation 2001 – 2006

Legal Advisor, Greater Philadelphia Environmental Network (GPEN) 2006 – Present

Greater Philadelphia Clean Cities Program 2006 – Present