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### ■ *Career Experience*

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- Circuit Judge, Fifteenth Judicial Circuit for Palm Beach County, 1974–1979
- Judge, Fourth District Court of Appeals, 1979–1984
- Special Counsel to Governor Bob Graham, 1984–1985
- Counsel to Florida Judicial Qualifications Commission
- The Florida Bar Certified Appellate Specialist

### ■ *Admitted to Practice*

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- Admitted to State of Florida, 1965

### ■ *Professional & Community Involvement*

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- Past Chair, The Florida Bar Appellate Rules Committee, 1980–1984
- Chairman, The Florida Bar Contingency Fee Commission, 1986–1987
- Past Chair, The Florida Bar Rules of Judicial Administration Committee
- Past Chair, The Florida Bar Appellate Practice Certification Committee
- Member, Federal Judicial Nominating Commission
- Fellow, American Academy of Appellate Lawyers, The American College of Trial Lawyers and The American Bar Foundation
- Member, American Inns of Court

### ■ *Education*

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- L.L.B., University of Florida, 1964
- B.A., Florida State University, 1961
- Executive Editor of the University of Florida Law Review, 1964

### ■ *Honors and Recognitions*

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- American College of Trial Lawyers
- Listed in Best Lawyers in America, Woodward/White, 1996 – Present
- American Academy of Appellate Lawyers