Admitted to the bar in 1979 and admitted to practice in West Virginia courts and the United States District Courts of West Virginia. In 1989, admitted to practice in Kentucky courts and the United States District Courts of Kentucky. In 1987, admitted to practice before the United States Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit. In 1994, admitted to practice before the United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit. Admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court in 1999.

## **Education**

West Virginia University

J.D., 1979

- Associate Editor, West Virginia Law Review, 1978 1979
- Member, Moot Court Board
- Vice President Student Bar Association
- Member, Ethics Committee
- B.A., magna cum laude, 1976
  - Phi Beta Kappa
  - Phi Kappa Phi

## **Miscellaneous** Experience

Senior member in the law firm of Lamp Bartram Levy Trautwein & Perry, PLLC. Active in cases involving insurance, bad faith, litigation, products liability. Has served as a Hearing Examiner for the Huntington Human Relations Commission, Special Commissioner and Discovery Commissioner for the Cabell County Circuit Court. Advanced training as mediator from West Virginia State Bar, has mediated hundreds of cases over the past 20 years.

Lecturer, West Virginia University College of Law Continuing Legal Education Series, 1990, 1991, 1995, 2005, 2009, 2012. Authored several articles for the Defense Trial Counsel of West Virginia Annual Notebook, as well as articles/outlines for WVU CLE series.

Board of Directors of the Western West Virginia Chapter of the American Red Cross from 1991 – 1997; President, 1995 - 1997. Recipient, Clara Barton Honor Award for Meritorious Volunteer Leadership - American Red Cross, 1997

Board of Directors, First Stage Theater Company, 2001 - 2009.

## Member

Cabell County Bar Association West Virginia State Bar Kentucky Bar Association The Defense Research Institute - Recipient, Exceptional Performance Citation, 2000 Defense Trial Counsel of West Virginia - Member, Board of Governors, 1992 - 1995, 1997 - 2000 - President, 2000 – 2001 West Virginia University College of Law - Visiting Committee from 1994 – 1998 - Financial Development Committee from 2002 – 2004 West Virginia Law Institute - Governing Council - Former President

## **Distinctions**

AV Peer Review Rated, Martindale-Hubbell Best Lawyers In America Super Lawyers, Virginia and West Virginia West Virginia Top Lawyers, The State Journal Past President, Defense Trial Counsel of West Virginia