

Experience

Judicial Experience

- 2010-Present: Justice, Illinois Supreme Court
- 1993-2010: Justice, Illinois Appellate Court
- 1988-1993: Circuit Judge, Circuit Court of Cook County
- 1983-1988: Associate Judge, Circuit Court of Cook County

Legal Experience

- 1974-1983: Assistant Public Defender, Cook County

Academia

- Loyola University of Chicago School of Law (Faculty, Trial Advocacy and Civil Litigation; Lecturer, Appellate Practice)
- Northwestern University School of Law (Lecturer, Appellate Practice)
- John Marshall Law School (Lecturer, Appellate Practice)

Publications/Speeches

- Author, "Recent amendment to Supreme Court Rule 304(b) and its impact on family law cases," ISBA Bench & Bar newsletter, Vol. 41, No. 1 (August 2010).
- Faculty, "Sentencing Issues," Illinois Judicial Conference, 1997-2002;
- Faculty, "Criminal Law," New Judge Seminar, Illinois Judicial Conference, 2001-03
- Faculty, "Judicial Ethics," Judicial Education Conference, 2002, 2004, 2008
- Speaker, "Appellate Issues," ISBA Future of the Courts Conference, 2002
- Speaker, "Civil Division: Making a Record," Cook County State's Attorney's Office, 2002
- Speaker, "Post Disposition Issues," Appellate Lawyers Association seminar, 2003
- Speaker, "Liberty Under Law: Separate Branches, Equal Powers," CBA-Young Lawyers Section, 2006
- Panel moderator, "Appellate Law Nuts and Bolts Seminar," Appellate Lawyers Association, 2007
- Speaker, Illinois Supreme Court Review: Important Cases, Procedures and Rules in 2007, Illinois State Bar Association, 2008-2010
- Speaker, "Ethics in Advocacy" and "Judicial Viewpoint on Courtroom Technology and the Art of Persuasion," Trial Practice and Advocacy: Getting it Right, ISBA Law Ed seminar, 2008
- Faculty, "Cyber Issues: Traditional Rules and Modern Technology," Illinois Judicial Conference, 2009
- Speaker, "Appellate Jurisdiction and the Supreme Court Rules," Preparing for Appeal, ISBA seminar, 2010
- Speaker, "The State of Judicial Expectations in Illinois," The State of Civility and Professionalism, ISBA, 2011.