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PROFESSIONAL:

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EDUCATIONAL:

Marquette University - Bachelor of Science Degree (1959).
University of Wisconsin Law School - Law Degree (1962).
University of Oregon Law School - 40 Hour Basic Mediation Skills Training Course 2001.

PROFESSIONAL:

Attorney with law firm of Brennan, Steil & Basting, S.C. from August of 1962 to retirement on December 31, 2005. Formerly Vice President and Co-Chair of law firm's Executive Committee.

Mediator - Wisconsin Patient's Compensation Panel.

Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity.

Instructor General Practice Course - University of Wisconsin Law School (1977-78).

Instructor Special Skills Course - University of Wisconsin Law School (1992; 1993; 1999).

Member - Wisconsin Association of Mediators.

Member Rock County Bar Association (President 1974-75).

Member American Bar Association.

Member State Bar of Wisconsin - Past Director of the Litigation Section (Chair 1990-91; Chair Litigation Section Nominating Committee 1992); Current Member Committee on Professional Ethics (Chair 1990-1993; 1998-1999); Member Special Committee to Study Multi-Disciplinary Practice Issues (1999-2000); Member Multi-Disciplinary Practice Commission (2001 to Present); Member BAPR Structure Committee (1999-2000). State Bar of Wisconsin - President Elect 2006-2007; State Bar of Wisconsin – President 2007-2008.

Board of Directors of Civil Trial Counsel of Wisconsin (1988).

Certified Civil Trial Advocate by the National Board of Trial Advocacy of Washington, D.C. (May 1986); Recertified (1991, 1996, 2001).

Fellow American College of Trial Lawyers (November 1989) --
Special Problems Committee (1994-95).
Wisconsin Committee (2000 – 2002).

Fellow International Society of Barristers.

Life Fellow of American Bar Foundation.

Fellow of Wisconsin Bar Foundation.

Member Wisconsin Academy of Trial Lawyers - Board of Directors (1998-1999;
1991-1992; 2000-2004).

Program Panelist Continuing Legal Education of Wisconsin -
Auto Accident Reconstruction Seminar.

Past Program Lecturer for Civil Trial Counsel of Wisconsin -
Defense on the Offense Seminar.

Past Program Lecturer for State Bar of Wisconsin Annual Meeting-
(1992 -- Trust Account Management).

Past Program Lecturer for State Bar of Wisconsin Mid-Winter Convention -- (1991 Ethics).

Past Program Lecturer for WATL - Ethics and the Trial Lawyer.

Past Program Lecturer for State Bar of Wisconsin, Lawyers Discipline:
Referee Continuing Education (1996).

Professional Education Systems, Inc. Seminar Presenter on Wisconsin Legal
Ethics (October 1993).

Ethics Panel Participant, Wisconsin State Bar (October 2000).

Ethics Lecturer, State Bar TeleSeminar on Collection of Fees and Procedures for Handling Fee
Disputes with Clients (December 2003).

Ethics Panel Presenter for State Bar of Wisconsin (November 2004).

Ethics Program Chair for WATL (December 2004).

Counsel to the Office of Lawyer Regulation (formerly BAPR).

Special Prosecutor for State of Wisconsin Ethics Board Investigation of Wisconsin Legislators
and Lobbyists (July 1988 - August 1990).

Special Investigator for Wisconsin Judicial Commission.

Vice Chair of the Commission on the Evaluation of the Rules of Professional Conduct
established by the Wisconsin Supreme Court and also known as the
Wisconsin Ethics 2000 Committee.

Member James E. Doyle Chapter – American Inns of Court.

OTHER:

Board of Directors Common Cause of Wisconsin (1991-92).

Director UW Law School Alumni Board.

Past President of University of Wisconsin Janesville Alumni Association.

Past Member Board of Visitors – UW Law School.

Member State of Wisconsin Educational Communications Board.
Director and Vice President - Friends of WHA-TV, Madison, Wisconsin.
Director Camp Manito-Wish YMCA, Boulder Junction, Wisconsin.
Past President Bd of Directors Camp Manito-Wish YMCA, Boulder Junction, WI
(2000-2002).
Former Director of the American Players Theatre, Spring Green, Wisconsin.
Past President of The Janesville Little Theatre.
Past President Janesville Country Club.
President Capitol Point Condominium Assn – Madison, WI (2003 – Present).
Member Downtown Madison Rotary Club.
President Janesville Morning Rotary Club (1993-94).