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## **EDUCATION**

- Wake Forest University School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, 1986; Order of Barristers, National Moot Court Team, National Trial Team, Phillip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Team, Wake Forest Law Review
- Wofford College, B.A. English, *summa cum laude*, Phi Beta Kappa, 1983

## **ADMITTED TO PRACTICE**

- South Carolina
- United States District Court for the District of South Carolina
- United States District Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

## **AREAS OF PRACTICE**

- Land Use, Planning and Zoning
- State and Local Government
- Business Litigation (Banking, Intellectual Property, Construction and Real Estate)
- Business Entity Formation and Governance

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- American Bar Association Section of State and Local Government Law; Executive Committee, Secretary; Member of Council, Committee Coordinator; Editor, *State and Local Law News*; Co-Chair, Land Use Committee; Vice Chair for Programs, Land Use Committee; Co-Chair, Exactions and Impact Fees Subcommittee.
- South Carolina Bar: Member, House of Delegates
- Certified Civil Mediator, South Carolina Supreme Court
- Charleston County Bar Association
- Urban Land Institute: Full Member, Sustainable Development Council
- Urban Land Institute, South Carolina District Council: District Council Chair; Assistant Chair, Chair, Coastal Region; Graduate of Inaugural Class, Sustainable Leadership Institute
- Congress for New Urbanism, Carolinas Chapter; Member, General Counsel
- United States Green Building Council, South Carolina Chapter; Member, General Counsel

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### Books

- *At the Cutting Edge 2009: Land Use Law from The Urban Lawyer*, contributor, Dwight H. Merriam, editor; American Bar Association 2010
- *At the Cutting Edge 2008: Land Use Law from the Urban Lawyer*, contributor, Dwight H. Merriam, editor; American Bar Association 2009
- *A Legal Guide to Urban and Sustainable Development for Planners, Developers and Architects* coauthor with Daniel K. Sloane and Doris S. Goldstein, John Wiley & Sons 2008

### Articles and Book Reviews

- "Recent Developments in Exactions and Impact Fees," with Bryan W. Wenter, published in *The Urban Lawyer*, Summer 2009
- "A Blueprint for Rebuilding Our Cities," a book review of *Redevelopment Planning, Law, and Project Implementation: A Guide for Practitioners*, Brian W. Blaesser & Thomas P. Cody, Editors, published in *State and Local Law News*, Winter 2009 Vol. 32, No. 2
- "Recent Developments, Exactions and Impact Fees," with Bryan W. Wenter, published in *The Urban Lawyer*, Summer 2008
- "Exactions and Impact Fees 2007: The Limits of Local Authority," with Bryan W. Wenter *The Urban Lawyer*, Summer 2007
- "Exactions Update: The State of Development Exactions After *Lingle v Chevron USA, Inc.*," with Daniel J. Curtin, Jr. and Bryan W. Wenter, *The Urban Lawyer*, Summer 2006
- "Exactions Update: When *Nollan/Dolan* Heightened Scrutiny Does Not Apply," with Daniel J. Curtin, Jr., and Bryan W. Wenter, *The Urban Lawyer* Summer 2005
- "Recent Developments in Land Use, Planning and Zoning Law Relating to Exactions," with Daniel J. Curtin, Jr., *The Urban Lawyer*, Summer 2004
- "Exactions Update: When and How did *Nollan/Dolan* Rules Apply," with Daniel J. Curtin, Jr., *The Urban Lawyer* Fall 2003

## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

- Crisis Ministries, Board of Directors, Immediate past Chair 2009- ; Chair 2008-2009, Vice Chair 2007
- Low Country Local First, Board of Directors, Chair 2010-, Vice Chair 2008-2009
- Raptor Youth Rowing Club, Founder and Chairman, 2008-2010

- The DAE Foundation, Board of Directors, Chair 2007-
- Sustainability Institute Board of Directors, Chair 1999-2007
- Carolina Youth Development Center, Board of Directors, 1993-1999, Chairman 1997-1999
- I'On Assembly, Board of Directors 2002-2006
- Parents and Children Together, General Counsel 1997- 2008
- South Carolina Coastal Conservation League, Member and legal counsel
- First (Scots) Presbyterian Church
  - Board of Deacons 1997-2000, Moderator, 1998-2000
  - Elder and Member of Session, 2000-2003, Vice Clerk of Session 2001-2003, Chair, Stewardship Committee
  - ACORN Building Committee, Member and general counsel 2005-present

## **REPRESENTATIVE CASES**

R.E. Goodson Construction Company, Inc., v International Paper, 2006 WL 4916336 (D.S.C. 2006)

Botany Bay Marina, Inc. v Great American Insurance Company, 37 F.3d 1492, 1994 WL556538, (4<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1994)

Taylor v Hoppin' John's, Inc., 304 SC 471, 405 S.E.2d 410 (Ct. App. 1991)