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1967 Cornell University, B.A. (cum laude  
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2006 Visiting Professor of Law  
Harvard Law School

1999- Richardson Professor of Law  
Northeastern University School of Law  
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1993-1999 Dean (1993-98) and Professor of Law  
Herbert Hanooh Scholar  
Rutgers University School of Law

1986-1993 Dean and Professor of Law  
Nova Southeastern University

1974-1986 Professor of Law (1978-1986)  
Associate Professor (1976-1978)  
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Case Western Reserve University  
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1971-1974 Associate  
Foley, Hoag & Eliot, Boston, Massachusetts

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   U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit

**Publications:**

**Books**

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### **Activities and Honors:**

Editor, Carolina Academic Press Book Series on Lawyering.

Reviewer, New York Journal of Books.

Scholar-in-Residence, National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum (2006).

Fellow, American Bar Foundation (Life Member).

Fellow, Massachusetts Historical Society.

Elected Member, American Law Institute.

Special Master, Northern District Ohio (1979).

Member, National Academy of Arbitrators.

Member, Massachusetts Bar.

Counsel for plaintiffs in Morgan v. Kerrigan (Boston school desegregation case).

Recipient of NAACP General Counsel's Advocacy Award, November 1974.

Permanent Umpire: Walt Disney World and Actors Equity; MLB & Players Association (Salary Arbitration); United States Customs Service and Treasury Employees Union; AT&T and CWA; MGH-Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital Project Labor Agreement.

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