

**CURRICULUM VITAE OF  
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**LAW FIRM:** CLIFFORD LAW OFFICES, P.C.  
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**EDUCATION:** University of Illinois - Champaign/Urbana  
Bachelor of Science in Accountancy 1977  
  
DePaul University, College of Law  
Juris Doctor, 1980

**EMPLOYMENT  
HISTORY:**

Assistant States Attorney to Cook County,  
1980-88  
Associate at Robert A. Clifford & Associates,  
1988-94  
Partner at Corboy, Demetrio & Clifford,  
1994-95  
Partner at Clifford Law Offices, P.C.  
1995 - Present

**BAR ADMISSIONS:**

Admitted to Illinois Bar, 1980  
Admitted to U.S. District Court,  
Northern District of Illinois, 1980  
Admitted to U.S. District Court,  
Central District of Illinois, 1993  
Admitted to U.S. District Court of Appeals  
for the Seventh Circuit, 1995  
Admitted to U.S. District Court  
Western District of Michigan, 2000  
Admitted to U.S. District Court  
Northern District of New York 2006

**BAR ASSOCIATIONS/  
PROFESSIONAL  
ASSOCIATIONS:**

Member of the following:  
American Bar Association (ABA)  
American Association for Justice (AAJ)  
Chicago Bar Association (CBA)  
Illinois State Bar Association (ISBA)  
Illinois Trial Lawyers Association (ITLA)  
International Bar Association (IBA)

**BAR ASSOCIATIONS/PROFESSIONAL**

**ASSOCIATIONS  
ACTIVITIES:**

***American Bar Association***

Section of Litigation, 1992 - Present

- Product Liability Litigation Committee
- Aviation Litigation Committee (Co-Chair 2000 - 2004)
- Mass Torts Litigation Committee (Co-Chair 2004 - 2006)
- Litigation Institute Training Task Force (2006 - Present)

Tort Trial and Insurance Practice Section 1992 - Present

- Aviation and Space Law Committee (Vice Chair 2005 - Present)
- Commercial Transportation Litigation
- Products General Liability and Consumer Law

***American Association for Justice***

Aviation Law Section 1996 - Present

Motor Vehicle Collision, Highway and Premises Liability Section - 1999 - Present

Products Liability Section 1999 - Present

Railroad Law Section 1999 - Present

Federal Tort Liability and Military Advocacy Section 1999 - Present

Aviation Legislation Task Force - 2008 - Present

***Chicago Bar Association***

President (2006 - 2007)

First Vice President (2005 - 2006)

Second Vice President (2004 - 2005)

Treasurer (2002 - 2004)

Judicial Evaluation Committee,

Investigation Division Member (1989 -1991)

Hearing Division Member (1991 - 1993)

Vice Chairman of Investigation Division (1993 - 1994)

Vice Chairman of Hearing Division (1994 - 1995)

Chairman of Hearing Division (1995 - 1997)

General Chairman (1997 - 1998)

Board of Managers (1998 - 2000)

Chairman, Appellate Review Committee (2001)

***Chicago Bar Foundation***

Board of Directors (2000 - present)

***Center for Conflict Resolution***

Board of Directors (2001 - 2005)

***Illinois State Bar Association***

Tort Law Committee,  
1989 - Present  
Civil Practice & Procedure Committee,  
1989 - Present

***Illinois Trial Lawyers Association***

Legislative Committee,  
1993 - Present  
Board of Advocates,  
1993 - 2001  
Board of Managers  
2001 - present

***DePaul University College of Law***

President of the DePaul University College of Law Center  
for Public Interest Advisory Board 2008 - present

***American College of Trial Lawyers***

Fellow 2009 - present

***International Academy of Trial Lawyers***

Fellow 2010 - present

**FACULTY:**

Adjunct Faculty, DePaul College of Law,  
1988-94 (Taught trial advocacy course and complex  
litigation course)

***National Institute of Trial Advocacy***

Certified Instructor, 1989