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## 2012 VBA Leadership Slate Officers and new members of the Board of Governors



**HUGH M. FAIN, III**  
2012 VBA President

Hugh is managing director and shareholder at Spotts Fain PC in Richmond, where he handles commercial and business litigation, including contract disputes, business torts, employment law, intellectual property, construction litigation, and shareholder and partnership disputes. Hugh serves on the Board of Trustees of the VMI Foundation, Inc., and is a past president of the Richmond Bar Association, the VMI Alumni Association, Inc., the VMI Club of Richmond and the Innsbrook Rotary Club. The Richmond native graduated

with a bachelor's degree in economics, with distinction, from Virginia Military Institute. He earned a J.D. from the University of Virginia School of Law, where he served on the editorial board of the *Journal of Natural Resources Law* and was a Raven Society member.

**THOMAS R. BAGBY**  
2012 VBA President-elect



Tom, who served as chairman of the VBA Board of Governors in 2011, is president of Woods Rogers PLC, where he also leads its labor and employment law section. Before joining the Roanoke-based law firm in 1995, he was a partner in the Washington, D.C., office of a national law firm. There he represented national and international clients in the labor and employment law area, starting in 1986. Tom is co-author of *Labor & Employment Law In Virginia: A Business Guide For Employers*, a book published through the Virginia Chamber of Commerce. Earlier in his career, he served as a law clerk in the District of Columbia to U.S. District Judge June L. Green for two years before joining the U.S. Department of Justice as a trial lawyer in the Civil Rights Division. In addition to the VBA, he is active in the Roanoke, Washington, D.C., and Virginia State Bars. The former chair of the VBA Labor Relations and Employment Law Section earned a bachelor's degree, Phi Beta Kappa, in 1972 from the University of Virginia, where he received a law degree in 1975.

## **CYRIL F. COOMBS**

### **2012-14 VBA Board of Governors, At-Large**

Cyril is senior counsel at Dominion Resources Services, Inc., a subsidiary of energy giant Dominion Resources, Inc., in Richmond. He joined Dominion in 1999 and provides client counseling on labor and employment matters. Cyril is the corporate counsel liaison member for the VBA Labor Relations and Employment Law Section Council and recently was nominated to the Virginia ADR Joint Committee Council. He graduated from John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New York (1979) and a J.D. from Temple University School of Law (1984).



## **MARK L. ESPOSITO**

### **2012-14 VBA Board of Governors, Southwest Region**

Mark resides in Bristol and is an officer of Penn Stuart. He represents clients in state and federal trial and appellate courts throughout Southwest Virginia and Upper East Tennessee in commercial litigation and bankruptcy matters. Mark's areas of practice include commercial transactions and disputes, acquisitions, loan transactions, creditors' rights and general business matters.

He is a member of several Bar groups and serves on a District Hearing Committee of the Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility. Mark graduated from Muhlenberg College in 1980 and from the University of Richmond Law School in 1983.

## **M. MELISSA GLASSMAN**

### **2012-14 VBA Board of Governors, Potomac Region**

A partner with McGuireWoods LLP in its Tysons Corner office, Melissa is the firm's deputy managing partner of business development. Her practice focuses on litigating commercial cases. She also has extensive experience in handling the arbitration of all types of commercial disputes. Melissa formerly chaired the VBA's Construction and Public Contracts Section. She earned a bachelor's degree at the University of Texas in 1976 and a J.D. from George Mason University School of Law in 1987.



## **DONALD C. SCHULTZ**

### **2012-14 VBA Board of Governors, At-Large**

Don is a partner at Crenshaw, Ware & Martin, PLC, in Norfolk, where his practice concentrates on bankruptcy law, creditors' rights, business litigation and eminent domain. Early in his career, he served as law clerk to Judge Blackwell N. Shelley of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of Virginia. He is a former president of the Tidewater Bankruptcy Bar Association

and the Norfolk & Portsmouth Bar Association and serves on the board of the Tidewater Council of the Boy Scouts of America. A 1986 graduate of the University of Virginia, Don received his law degree from Washington and Lee University in 1989.

## **HON. RICHARD H. STUART**

### **2012 VBA Board of Governors, Legislative Representative**

Senator Stuart has been a member of the Virginia Senate since 2008, representing the 28th District. He has practiced law since 1994 in Westmoreland County. The former Marine Corps Reservist serves on the George Washington National Memorial Foundation and several community organizations. The senator is active in several Bar groups. He is a 1988 graduate of Virginia Wesleyan College, attended International Law of Emmanuel College at Cambridge University in England and earned a J.D. at the University of Richmond School of Law in 1991.



## **JAMES P. GUY, II**

### **2012-'14 Chair, VBA Law Practice Management Division**

Jim is a shareholder at LeClairRyan and leads its energy industry team and its utility regulation and governance practice team. He focuses his practice on representing companies in regulatory, transactional, corporate and policy matters. Jim is former chair of the VBA's Administrative Law Section and of the LPMD's Professionalism Committee. He serves as Southern Chapter

president for the Energy Bar Association and is chairman of the HARPS Foundation. He holds a bachelor's (1987) and J.D. degrees (1990) from the University of Virginia.

## **DANIEL E. ORTIZ**

### **2012 Chair, VBA Young Lawyers Division**

Dan is a partner with Blankingship & Keith, PC, in Fairfax, where his practice includes civil and commercial litigation and family law cases. Before joining the firm, Dan clerked for Hon. M. Langhorne Keith in Fairfax County Circuit Court. An associate member of the George Mason University Inns of Court, he co-chairs the VBA/YLD's Professionalism and Civility Committee. In 2004, Dan received the VBA/YLD's Emerson G. Spies Award for dedication to the Association. He graduated from the University of Virginia in 1999 and from the George Washington School of Law in 2002.



## **TRAVIS G. HILL**

### **2012 Chair-elect, VBA Young Lawyers Division**

Travis, who became Virginia's deputy secretary of agriculture and forestry last year, formerly worked at Williams Mullen in Richmond. During eight years there, he represented clients before the Virginia General Assembly, executive agencies, the State Corporation Commission and other regulatory bodies. In his practice, he handled legislative issues for not-for-profit entities and major corporate clients. Travis received bachelor's (2000) and juris doctor (2003) degrees from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.