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## Gerry L. Alexander

### Areas of Practice

- Mediation
- Arbitration
- Consultation
  - Appellate Court Practice
  - Legal and Judicial Ethics

### Education

- University of Washington, B.A.
- University of Washington, J.D.

### Experience

- Partner, Parr, Baker, Alexander & Cordes, 1964 – 1973
- Judge, Superior Court, Mason and Thurston Counties, 1973 – 1985
- Judge, Court of Appeals, Division Two, 1985 – 1995
- Justice, Washington Supreme Court, 1995 – 2011
- Chief Justice, 2001-2010
- Of Counsel, Bean, Gentry, Wheeler & Peternell, 2012 – present

### Legal Community Involvement and Awards

- Lecturer, University of Washington School of Law
- Award of Merit, Washington State Bar Association
- Henry M. Jackson Distinguished Alumnus Public Service Award, University of Washington School of Law
- Board Member, University of Washington School of Law Foundation
- Emeritus Member, Board of Visitors, Seattle University School of Law
- Doctor of Laws, Gonzaga University
- Emeritus Member, Robert Bryan Inn, the American Inns of Court
- Member, Thurston County Bar Association
- Past President, Thurston-Mason County Bar Association
- Past Adjunct Professor, University of Puget Sound School of Law
- Former Chair, Marine Employment Commission
- Former Chair, Advisory Commission on Washington Law Reports
- Former Chair, Bench-Bar-Press Committee of the State of Washington
- Former Chair, Board for Judicial Administration



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- Former Chair, Capitol Furnishings Preservation Committee of the State of Washington
- Former Member, Statute Law Committee of the State of Washington
- Founding Member, Washington Courts Historical Society
- Landmark Deeds Award, Washington Trust for Historic Preservation
- Robert Grey Medal, Washington State Historical Society
- Daniel Bigelow Award, Thurston County Bar Association
- Charles Goldmark Distinguished Service Award, Legal Foundation of Washington
- State Co-Chair, Campaign for Equal Justice

### **Community Involvement**

- Board of Directors, TVW
- Member, Olympia Rotary
- Past President, Olympia Lion's Club
- Board of Directors, Olympia Historical Society
- Board of Directors, Olympia Symphony