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**EDUCATION:**

American College in Paris, 1970-72

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

1972-73, B.A. in Journalism

Member: Kappa Tau Alpha (journalism honor society)

News writer: *The Daily Tar Heel*

University of North Carolina School of Law

1974-77, J.D. with Honors

Staff Member: *North Carolina Law Review*

**LEGAL EMPLOYMENT:**

Beekman & Bogue, New York, New York

Associate, 1977-79

Young, Moore, Henderson & Alvis, P.A., Raleigh, NC

Associate, 1979-82; Partner, 1983

Yates, Fleishman, McLamb & Weyher, Raleigh, NC

Partner, 1983-1990

Yates, McLamb & Weyher, L.L.P., Raleigh, NC

Partner, 1990-Present

**ADMITTED TO PRACTICE:**

North Carolina and New York

## **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:**

### American Bar Association

National Conference of Bar Presidents  
Southern Conference of Bar Presidents

### American Bar Foundation, Fellow

### North Carolina State Bar

Immediate Past President (2010-2011)  
President (2009-2010)  
President-Elect (2008-2009)  
Vice President (2007-2008)  
Councilor (1998 - 2006)

#### Current and Past Committee Memberships:

Issues Steering Committee (Vice-Chair 2005, Chair 2008)  
Facilities Committee (Chair 2008)  
Finance and Audit Committee (Chair 2009)  
Disciplinary Review Committee (Chair, 2007)  
Paperless Banking Committee (Chair, 2007)  
Appointments Committee  
Executive Committee  
Grievance Committee (Chair, 2006)  
Ethics Committee (Chair, 2004)  
Authorized Practice of Law Committee (Chair, 2002-2003; Vice-Chair, 2001)  
Publications Board  
Administrative Committee

### North Carolina State Bar Foundation

Board Member (Capital Campaign Co-Chair, 2012)

### North Carolina Bar Association

#### Current and Past Committee/Section Memberships:

Litigation Section (Chair, 2005-2006; Council Member 2002-2006)  
Law School Liaison Committee  
Nominations Committee  
Local Bar Services Committee  
Centennial Endowment Campaign Committee (Co-Chair, Triangle Region, 2000-2001)

### Wake County Bar Association

President, 1997  
Board of Directors, 1994-95  
Current and Past Committee Memberships:  
Nominations Committee (Co-Chair, 1998)  
Professionalism Committee

Professionalism Award Committee  
Finance Committee  
Endowment - Scholarship Award and Oversight Committee  
Endowment - Scholarship Gala Committee (Chair, 1999)

North Carolina Equal Access to Justice Commission  
Resource Development Committee (2008-2009)

Chief Justice's Commission on Professionalism, Ex-officio (2009-2010)

Tenth Judicial District Bar Grievance Committee, Chair, 1992-1993

North Carolina Academy of Superior Court Mediators

North Carolina Association of Women Attorneys

North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys

Litigation Counsel of America, Fellow

Defense Research Institute

Susie M. Sharp Inn of Court: Master

**AWARDS/HONORS:**

North Carolina Association of Women Attorneys: Gwyneth B. Davis Public Service Award - 2010

Listed in Best Lawyers in America: Insurance Coverage – 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012

Listed in North Carolina Super Lawyers: Insurance Coverage – 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012  
(also listed - Top 50 Women Attorneys in North Carolina)

City of Raleigh Service Award for Lunch with a Lawyer Program -2001

President's Award of Excellence, Wake County Bar Association -1999

President's Award of Excellence, Wake County Bar Association – 1993

**PRESENTATIONS:**

NABRICO (National Association of Bar Related Insurance Companies) Annual Meeting  
Topic: Anatomy of an Insurance Coverage Case (2011)

29B Judicial District Meeting

Topic: Overview of the North Carolina State Bar (2011)

Norman Adrian Wiggins School of Law, Campbell University

Topic: Pioneers in the Profession (2011)

Susie M. Sharp Inn of Court

Topic: North Carolina State Bar Disciplinary System (2011)

28<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Meeting

Topic: Overview of the North Carolina State Bar (2011)

4B Judicial District Meeting

Topic: North Carolina State Bar Disciplinary Process (2011)

17B Judicial District Meeting

Topic: Overview of the North Carolina State Bar (2011)

Wake County Bar Association

Topic: Unification of North Carolina Courts Part II (moderator) (2011)

19A Judicial District Meeting

Topic: North Carolina State Bar (2010)

Wake County Bar Association

Topic: Unification of North Carolina Courts Part I (moderator) (2010)

13<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Meeting

Topic: North Carolina State Bar (2010)

8<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Annual Meeting

Topic: Recent Developments at the State Bar (2010)

North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys – Medical Malpractice Section

Topic: Ethics in Medical Malpractice Defense (2010)

North Carolina Association of Women Attorneys

Topic: Diversity in Bar Leadership (2010)

23<sup>rd</sup> Judicial District Meeting

Topic: North Carolina State Bar (2010)

18<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Annual Meeting

Topic: Recent Developments at the State Bar (2010)

North Carolina Society of Health Care Attorneys  
Topic: The Lawyers Assistance Program (2010)

Norman Adrian Wiggins School of Law, Campbell University, Professionalism Series  
Topic: Leadership in the Law (2010)

University of North Carolina School of Law – Women in Law Symposium  
Forum Moderator: Leadership in Law Roundtable (2010)

3B Judicial District Meeting  
Topic: North Carolina State Bar (2010)

University of North Carolina School of Law - Women in Law Meeting  
Topic: Women in Leadership (2010)

26<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Meeting  
Topic: Current Issues at the North Carolina State Bar (2009)

North Carolina State Bar Annual Meeting  
Topic: Diversity in Bar Leadership (2009)

North Carolina Society of Health Care Attorneys  
Topic: Ethics in Health Care Law (2009)

7<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Meeting  
Topic: North Carolina State Bar Disciplinary Process (2009)

19C Judicial District Meeting  
Topic: North Carolina State Bar Disciplinary Process (2009)

North Carolina School Boards Trust  
Topic: Representation of Multiple Defendants (2009)

North Carolina Association of Women Attorneys Annual Meeting  
Topic: Women Attorneys Leading the Bar and Community (2008)

Capital City Lawyers Association  
Topic: The State Bar is Your Friend (2008)

24<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Meeting  
Topic: North Carolina State Bar Disciplinary Process (2008)

5<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Meeting  
Topic: North Carolina State Bar Disciplinary Process (2008)

Wake County Women Attorneys

Topic: Current Items of Interest at the North Carolina State Bar (2008)

Lawyers Mutual Liability Insurance Company - Practical Risk Management

(November, 2007; December 2007; January, 2008; March 2008)

Wake Forest University School of Law - Professional Responsibility Seminar

Topic: Ethics in Discovery (2007)

North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys -Medical Malpractice Seminar

Topic: Ethics of Defending Multiple Defendants (2007)

Joseph Branch Inn of Court, Wake Forest University

Topic: Case Evaluation – Mediator’s Perspective (2007)

North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys Fall Meeting

Topic: Evolution of Rule 3.4 (2006)

Beason & Ellis Conflict Resolution - Mediation Certification Training

Guest faculty (February 2005, September 2005, August 2006, January 2007, November 2008)

North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys - Advocacy Skills Seminar

Topic: Ethics for Defense Lawyers (2003)

North Carolina Bar Foundation, Real Property Section - Unauthorized Practice of Law,

Topic: Complaints on the Unauthorized Practice of Law before the AP Committee (2003)

North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers Insurance Coverage Seminar

Topic: Professional Liability Coverage (1998)

North Carolina Bar Foundation - Advanced Pre-trial Procedure Seminar

Topic: Ethics in Pre-trial Procedure (1998)

North Carolina Bar Foundation - All-Star Trial

Topic: Direct Examination (1997)

Wake Forest University - North Carolina Tort Law,

Topic: Family Torts and Sexual Assaults, Wake Forest University (1996)

Wake Forest University - North Carolina Tort Law

Topic: Family Torts and Sexual Assaults (1992)

**PRACTICE AREAS:**

Insurance and Trust Liability Coverage, Professional Liability, Representation of Attorneys on Ethical and Partnership Issues, Appellate Practice, Arbitration and Mediation (Certified Superior Court Mediator since 1995)

**PERSONAL:**

Born August 8, 1952 in Glen Cove, NY

Married to Dan J. McLamb

Children: Brad (32); Will (29); Chris (21); Alex (21)