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Frederick L. Ransier, III Columbus Office



PRACTICE AREAS

- Bankruptcy and Creditors' Rights
- Financial Institutions
- Government Relations
- Litigation
- · Real Estate and Commercial

INDUSTRIES

- Colleges and Universities
- Commercial and Residential Real Estate
- Governments
- Trade Associations

EDUCATION

- The Ohio State University College of Law, J.D., 1974
- Central State University, B.A., 1971

Mr. Ransier is a partner in the Vorys Columbus office and a member of the bankruptcy practice and the government affairs and lobbying group. He has served as a Bankruptcy Trustee for the Southern District of Ohio since 1988 and represents clients in commercial and real estate matters.

Mr. Ransier is a member of the National Association of Bankruptcy Trustees, the National Bar Association, the American Bankruptcy Institute, the Ohio Bar Association and the Columbus Bar Association.

Mr. Ransier lectured at the National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges on "Means Testing," and at the Columbus Bar Association on "What Does a Trustee Really Want to See." He gave the Charter Day Address at Central State University.

Mr. Ransier received his J.D. from The Ohio State University College of Law and his B.A. from Central State University.

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- Appointed as a "Special Master" by U.S. District Court for foreclosure actions, 2007
- Chapter 7 Panel Bankruptcy Trustee in the Southern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, 1988-Present
- Columbus College of Art and Design Board of Trustees, Chair, Finance Committee and Executive Committee, 2000-Present
- Franklin Park Conservatory Joint Recreation District Board of Directors, Vice President Operations, 2002-Present
- Experience Columbus (formerly The Greater Columbus Convention and Visitors Bureau), Chair and Executive Committee, 2004-Present



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- KidsOhio.org Board of Trustees, Founding Member, 2002-Present
- Central State University Board of Trustees, 1996-2005;
 Chair, 1996-2000
- Columbus City Council, January 2000-September 2000
- Supreme Court of Ohio, Board of Commissioners on the Unauthorized Practice of Law, 1995-2000; Chair, 1998-2000
- Municipal Civil Service Commission, City of Columbus, 1987-December 1999; President, 1994-December 1999
- · Columbus Works, Chair, 1994-1997
- Southern District of Ohio, Trustee Advisory Committee, 1992-1997
- Village of Urbancrest, Ohio, Law Director, 1978-1997
- United States Bankruptcy Court, Southern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, Judicial Liaison Committee, 1992-1994
- The Legal Aid Society of Columbus, 1981-1987; Finance Chair, 1986-1987

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Ohio Super Lawyers, Bankruptcy and Creditor/Debtor, 2007-2008
- The Ohio State University College of Law Alumni Community Service Award, 2002
- Central State University Alumni Association Alumnus of the Year Award, 1999
- Presidential Citation, National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, 1999
- Columbus Urban League Equal Opportunity Day Award of Excellence, 1998
- Society National Bank, Minority Business Advocate Award, 1993
- The Columbus Bar Association, Community Service Award, 1990
- Fellow of the Columbus Bar Foundation since 1992